



**BOWIE**  
STATE UNIVERSITY  
— 1865 —

**Admissions**

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**Undergraduate Admissions Data  
Fall 2016 - 2020**

	Fall				
	2016	2017	2018	2019*	2020*
<b>First-time Freshmen</b>					
# Applicants	6,720	10,815	12,830	11,755	11,497
# Completed Applications				4,905	5,168
# Accepted	2,775	3,893	4,204	3,948	4,197
# Enrolled	958	1,115	909	821	970
% Applicants Accepted	41%	36%	33%	34%	37%
% Completed Apps Accepted				80%	81%
% Enrolled/Accepted	35%	29%	22%	21%	23%
<b>Transfer Students</b>					
# Applicants	2,152	3,150	2,914	2,520	2,318
# Completed Applications				1,280	1,264
# Accepted	1,205	1,436	1,277	1,166	1,057
# Enrolled	556	610	577	549	496
% Applicants Accepted	56%	46%	44%	46%	46%
% Completed Apps Accepted				91%	84%
% Enrolled/Accepted	46%	42%	45%	47%	47%
<b>Total Undergraduate</b>					
# Applicants	8,872	13,965	15,744	14,275	13,815
# Completed Applications				6,185	6,432
# Accepted	3,980	5,329	5,481	5,114	5,254
# Enrolled	1,514	1,725	1,486	1,370	1,466
% Applicants Accepted	45%	38%	35%	36%	38%
% Completed Apps Accepted				83%	82%
% Enrolled/Accepted	38%	32%	27%	27%	28%

\* Beginning Fall 2019, data are reported for complete applications only

**Graduate Admissions Data  
Fall 2016 - 2020**

	Fall				
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
<b>First-time Graduates</b>					
# Applicants	768	1,219	1,294	1,267	1,095
# Completed Applications				549	535
# Accepted	446	551	556	495	424
# Enrolled	230	252	292	209	203
% Applicants Accepted	58%	45%	43%	39%	39%
% Completed Apps Accepted				90%	79%
% Enrolled/Accepted	52%	46%	53%	42%	48%

Source: AIS



**Undergraduate First-Time Applicants by Race  
Fall 2016 - 2020**

	Fall				
	2016	2017	2018	2019*	2020*
<b>African American</b>					
Applied	5,653	8,626	10,357	4,504	4,301
Accepted	2,392	3,258	3,534	3,620	3,485
Enrolled	844	929	798	685	820
<b>Asian</b>					
Applied	49	88	140	32	33
Accepted	15	41	36	29	27
Enrolled	8	10	9	12	12
<b>Hispanic</b>					
Applied	534	1,280	960	325	421
Accepted	190	330	248	281	341
Enrolled	42	68	34	38	38
<b>White</b>					
Applied	58	118	168	29	31
Accepted	18	37	40	27	29
Enrolled	3	6	8	8	13
<b>Foreign</b>					
Applied	60	119	194	25	18
Accepted	7	21	6	13	11
Enrolled	3	10	3	2	5
<b>Native American</b>					
Applied	5	3	24	7	11
Accepted	0	1	5	5	11
Enrolled	0	0	0	1	5
<b>Native-Hawaiian</b>					
Applied	6	7	11	4	1
Accepted	1	2	2	3	1
Enrolled	0	0	0	0	0
<b>2 or more races</b>					
Applied	263	362	502	207	201
Accepted	105	129	144	176	172
Enrolled	36	29	35	44	45
<b>Unknown race</b>					
Applied	85	182	416	163	151
Accepted	44	91	131	123	120
Enrolled	14	28	36	31	32
<b>Total</b>					
<b>Applied</b>	6,713	10,785	12,772	5,296	5,168
<b>Accepted</b>	2,772	3,910	4,146	4,277	4,197
<b>Enrolled</b>	950	1,080	923	821	970

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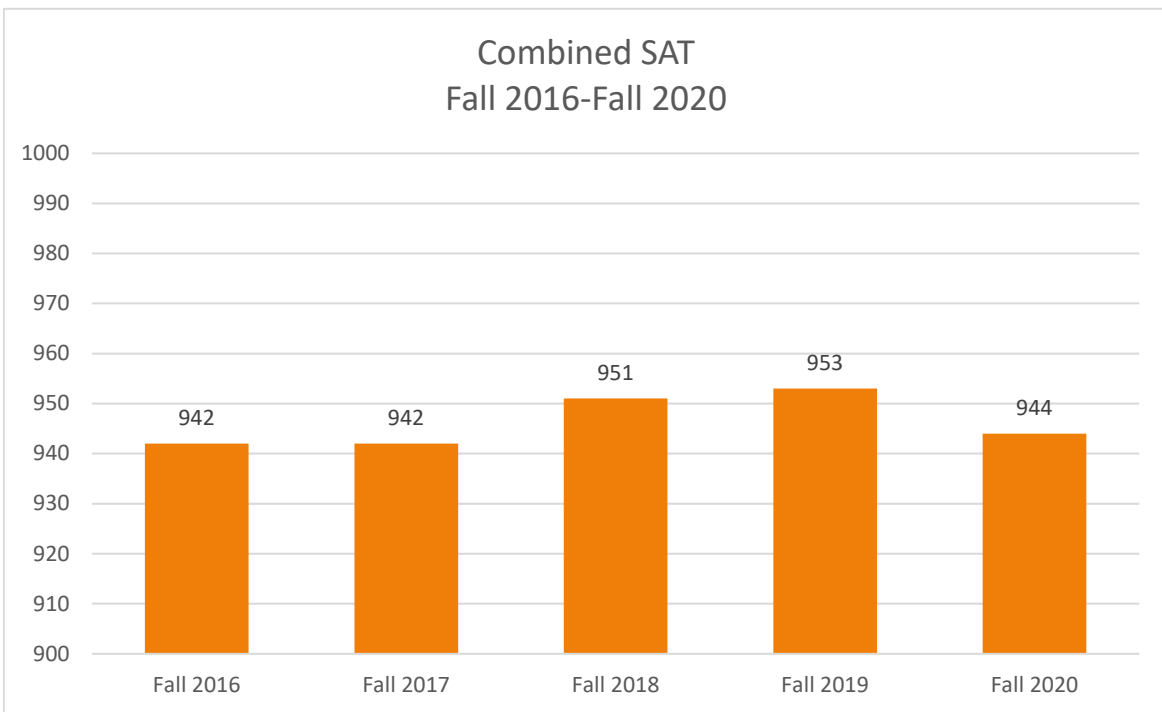
**First-Time Undergraduate Students  
Average Math and Verbal/Evidence Based Reading & Writing SAT Scores  
Fall 2016 - 2020**

Fall	Mean Math Scores			Mean Verbal/Evidence Based Reading & Writing Scores		
	National	Maryland	Bowie State University	National	Maryland	Bowie State University
2016*	508	490	427	494	476	441
2017**	533	524	466	527	536	481
2018**	531	535	466	536	545	485
2019**	528	523	466	531	535	488
2020**	523	507	487	528	522	461

\* Based on the three score SAT exam

\*\* Based on the two score SAT exam

Sources: National and Maryland scores Collegeboard.org; Bowie State University MHEC Institutional SAT Profile (S11)





**First-Time Undergraduate Students  
High School Information  
Fall 2020**

**Top 15 High Schools, First-Time Freshmen**

<b>High School</b>	<b>Number of Freshmen</b>
Bowie High School	36
Dr. Henry A Wise Jr HS	36
Charles Herbert Flowers HS	29
Gwynn Park HS	21
Baltimore Polytechnic Inst	20
Baltimore City College	18
Duval Senior HS	18
Parkdale HS	18
Mergenthaler Voc-Tech HS	14
Fairmont Heights SR HS	14
Meade Senior HS	14
New Town HS	14
Oxon Hill HS	14
Suitland HS	14
Western HS	13

Source: AIS



**New Undergraduate Transfer Students**

**Transfer Institution Type FY 2020**

Institution Type	Number of Transfers	Percentage of Transfers
Community College	384	49%
Out-of-State	279	36%
Public, 4-year in Maryland	104	13%
Private, 4-year in Maryland	11	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>100%</b>

FY 2020 includes Summer 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020

**Top Institutions From Which Students Transferred to BSU  
FY 2016-FY 2020**

Institution	Fiscal Year				
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Prince George's Community College	240	262	206	216	244
Montgomery College	41	40	41	43	44
UMES	20	26	32	23	20
Anne Arundel Community College	29	27	46	35	39
Morgan State University	28	25	30	19	26
College of Southern MD	29	24	32	39	32

Source: EIS