## **Rice University Info Guide**

- Private University
- Undergraduate enrollment is 3,989
- Student to faculty ratio is 6:1
- 69% of the classes have less than 20 students. 22% of the classes have between 20-49 students. 8% of the classes have more than 50 students.
- Most popular majors are:
  - 1. Information science
  - o 2. Economics
  - 3. Mechanical Engineering
  - 4. Cognitive Science
  - 5. Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- List of majors:
  - Visual and Performing Arts
  - Art History
  - o Music
  - Music Theory
  - Music Theory and Composition
  - Keyboard Instruments
  - Voice and Opera
  - Stringed Instruments
  - Brass Instruments
  - Woodwind Instruments
  - Percussion Instruments
  - Economics
  - Econometrics
  - Business Administration
  - Cognitive Science
  - Linguistics
  - German Language and Literature

- French Language and Literature
- Romance Languages and Literature
- Classical Languages and Literature
- o English
- Classic, Ancient Mediterranean and Near Eastern Studies and Archaeology
- Philosophy
- Religious Studies
- Asian Studies
- Latin American Studies
- Gender Studies
- History
- Public Policy Analysis
- Political Science
- Sociology
- Interdisciplinary Studies, Other
- Sport and Fitness Administration
- COmputer and Information Sciences
- Biomedical ENgineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical ENgineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Nanotechnology
- Biology
- Biochemistry
- Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
- Neuroscience
- Mathematics
- Computational and Applied Mathematics
- Statistics
- Environmental Science

- Kinesiology
- Architecture
- Astronomy
- o Astrophysics
- Chemistry
- Chemical Physics
- Earth Science
- o Physics
- o Medieval and Renaissance Studies
- Psychology
- Anthropology
- There are no sororities or fraternities at Rice University
- Jobs and Internships: https://ccd.rice.edu/students/jobs-internships
- They offer an honors program and double majoring is allowed
- Its located in Houston Texas
- Things to do around campus:
  - The Houston Museum of Natural Science
  - Minute Maid Park
  - Museum of Fine Arts, Houston
  - Children's Museum Houston
  - Houston Zoo
  - Space Center Houston
  - The Galleria
  - Cockrell Butterfly Center
- Application info:
  - Deadline is January 1
  - 9% acceptance rate
  - SAT range: 1470-1570
  - ACT range: 33-35
  - Application fee \$75
  - SAT and ACT are considered but not required

- High school GPA is considered but not required
- It accepts common app
- Early decision deadline November 1
- Does not offer early action
- Rice students have a student-run council called the honor council, it enforces a strict honor code and plays an important role in academic affairs. - Source Jamboree
- The exams at Rice University are usually un-proctored and students can sometimes even take them at home.- Source Jamboree
- One of the most diverse universities
- Rice does not have a core curriculum but all students are required to take a selection of four classes each in the humanities, social sciences and natural sciences. -Source Magellan
- Students aren't required to live on campus but it is guaranteed for all incoming students.
- Dorms:
  - Duncan College Dorm at Rice University
  - Martel College Dorm at Rice University
  - Hanszen College Dorm at Rice University
  - Gibbs Recreation and Wellness Center Dorm at Rice University
  - Matchbox Gallery Dorm at Rice University
  - Rice Business (Jones Graduate School Of Business) Dorm at Rice University
  - Founder's Court Lot Dorm at Rice University
  - The Shepherd School of Music Dorm at Rice University
  - Rice University Campus Store (Bookstore) Dorm at Rice University
  - Duncan Hall Dorm at Rice University
  - Rice Stadium Dorm at Rice University
  - Abe and Annie Seibel Servery Dorm at Rice University
  - Fondren Library Dorm at Rice University
  - Rice University Dorm at Rice University
  - Wiess College Dorm at Rice University
  - Lovett Hall Dorm at Rice University
  - James Turrell's "Twilight Epiphany" Skyspace Dorm at Rice University
  - Rice University Mechanical Engineering Dorm at Rice University

- Rice Memorial Center Grand Hall Dorm at Rice University
- Raymond and Susan Brochstein Pavilion Dorm at Rice University
- Ray Courtyard Dorm at Rice University
- Valhalla Dorm at Rice UniversityOsaka Japanese Restaurant Dorm at Rice University
- Sewall Hall Dorm at Rice University
- Jones College Dorm at Rice University
- On campus dining options:
  - West Survey
  - Seibel Servery
  - Baker College Kitchen
  - South Servery
  - Public Dining
  - Little Kitchen HTX at the Broch
  - Curbside at the Club
  - Ambassador CHinese Cafe
  - North Servery

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