COLGATE UNIVERSITY

Hamilton, New York  (population 3,814)
Colgate, which was founded in 1819, is located in the geographic center of New York State, about four hours northwest of New York City.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS
3,228

Student body
1,779  female students
1,449  male students
12  graduate students
24%  domestic students of color
13%  first-generation college students
17%  international students  (including dual citizens; 76 countries represented)
76%  from outside New York State

Faculty: 325
Courses taught by faculty members: 100%
Faculty with PhD or highest degree in their field: 95%
Faculty of color: 24%

STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO 9:1
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE 18
RETENTION RATE 94%
STUDENTS RETURNING AS SOPHOMORES
GRADUATION RATE 91%
AMONG THE HIGHEST IN THE NATION

Endowment: $1.14 billion (est.)
Acreage of campus: 575

56 MAJORS
Africana and Latin American studies
Anthropology
Applied mathematics
Art and art history
Asian studies
Astrogeophysics
Astronomy/physics
Biochemistry
Biology
Chemistry
Chinese
Classical studies
Classics
Computer science
Computer science/mathematics
Economics
Educational studies
English
Environmental biology
Environmental economics
Environmental geography
Environmental geology
Environmental studies
Film and media studies
French
Geography
Geology
German
Greek
History
Humanities
International relations
Japanese
Latin
Mathematical economics
Mathematics
Middle Eastern and Islamic studies
Molecular biology
Music
Native American studies
Natural sciences
Neuroscience
Peace and conflict studies
Philosophy
Philosophy and religion
Physical science
Physics
Political science
Psychological science
Religion
Russian and Eurasian studies
Social sciences
Sociology
Spanish
Theater
Women's studies

MINORS
In addition to most majors, minors are offered in the following:
Architecture  Jewish studies  Medieval and Renaissance studies
Creative writing  LGBTQ studies  Museum studies
Global public and environmental health  Linguistics  Writing and rhetoric
Mathematical systems biology

Data accurate when compiled, June 1, 2021.
The Colgate Commitment
A financial aid initiative for access and affordability that will support students based on their family’s annual income. Visit colgate.edu/colgatecommitment for more information.

$80,000 or less
Tuition-free
No-loan eligible

$80,000–$125,000
5% of income toward tuition, on average
No-loan eligible

$125,000–$150,000
10% of income toward tuition, on average
No-loan eligible

$150,000 or more
The University continues to meet 100% of the demonstrated need of all admitted students.

Zero loans for families with income up to $150K

Financial Aid
Average award for first-year students receiving financial aid, 2021–22:

**AVERAGE AWARD $59,297**

Colgate grant $55,079
Student loan $2,500*
Work-study $2,522

*Average loan for students who did not qualify for Colgate’s no-loan initiative.

$14.8K average debt load for aided students after four years

Financial Aid

40% of the first-year class is receiving financial aid

2021–22 Cost of attendance

**COMBINED STUDENT CHARGES $77,490**

Tuition $61,594
Student activities fee $372
Room (residence hall) $7,496
Meals (premier gold) + $8,028

Estimated personal expenses/books $2,670

190 formal recruiting partners