

WHO WANTS THE ACT ESSAY?

REQUIRED

American University
 Auburn University
 Barnard College
 Baylor University
 Boston College
 Boston University
 Bucknell University
 Carleton College
 Carnegie Mellon University
 Case Western Reserve University
 Clemson University
 Columbia University
 Cornell University
 Dartmouth College
 Duke University
 Emory University
 Florida State University
 Harvard University
 Harvey Mudd College
 Hofstra University
 Indiana University–Bloomington
 Ithaca College
 Lehigh University
 Massachusetts Institute of Technology
 Miami University
 Michigan State University
 New York University
 North Carolina State University
 Northeastern University
 Northwestern University
 Oberlin College
 Ohio State University–Columbus
 Ohio University–Athens
 Penn State–University Park
 Pepperdine University
 Princeton University
 Purdue University–West Lafayette
 Rice University
 Seton Hall University
 Stanford University
 SUNY at Albany
 SUNY at Binghamton
 SUNY at Buffalo
 SUNY at Stony Brook
 Swarthmore College
 Syracuse University
 Temple University

The Catholic University of America
 Tufts University
 University of California–Santa Barbara
 University of California–Berkeley
 University of California–Davis
 University of California–Irvine
 University of California–Los Angeles
 University of California–Riverside
 University of California–San Diego
 University of Connecticut
 University of Delaware
 University of Florida
 University of Georgia
 University of Illinois–Urbana-Champaign
 University of Maryland–College Park
 University of Michigan–Ann Arbor
 University of Minnesota–Twin Cities
 University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill
 University of Oregon
 University of Pennsylvania
 University of Rhode Island
 University of Southern California
 University of Texas–Austin
 University of the South
 University of Virginia
 University of Wisconsin–Madison
 Vanderbilt University
 Vassar College
 Villanova University
 Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
 Washington and Lee University
 Wellesley College
 Willamette University
 Williams College
 Yale University

RECOMMENDED

Amherst College
 Arizona State University
 Centre College
 Colby College
 Cooper Union
 Furman University
 Gettysburg College
 Hobart & William Smith College
 Johns Hopkins University
 Lafayette College
 Manhattanville College
 Marquette University
 Middlebury College
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
 St. Bonaventure University
 St. Olaf College
 The George Washington University
 Trinity College–CT
 University of California–Santa Cruz
 University of Iowa
 University of Massachusetts–Amherst
 University of Notre Dame
 University of South Carolina–Columbia
 Wabash College
 Wesleyan University
 Yeshiva University

NOT REQUIRED

Bates College**
 Bard College**
 Bowdoin College**
 Brandeis University
 California Institute of Technology
 Colgate University
 College of Charleston
 College of the Atlantic**
 College of the Holy Cross
 College of William and Mary
 Connecticut College
 Creighton University
 Davidson College
 Denison University
 DePaul University
 Dickinson College
 Drexel University
 Fairfield University
 Fordham University
 Georgetown University
 Gonzaga University
 Grinnell College
 Illinois Wesleyan University
 James Madison University
 Kenyon College
 Lawrence University
 Loyola College in Maryland
 Macalester College
 Mount Holyoke College
 Providence College
 Reed College
 Rhodes College
 Saint Louis University
 Santa Clara University
 Sarah Lawrence College
 Scripps College
 Simon's Rock College of Bard
 Smith College
 SUNY College at Geneseo
 The College of New Jersey
 Tulane University
 University of Arizona
 University of Arkansas–Fayetteville
 University of Chicago
 University of Colorado–Boulder
 University of Kentucky
 University of Miami
 University of Pittsburgh
 University of Rochester
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