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THIS IS YOUR TIME TO SHINE AT BAYLOR.

On this campus, academic excellence is elevated, a Christian commitment is celebrated, research is cultivated, and the Baylor Family welcomes every freshman with open arms.

Recently named a Research 1 (R1) institution, Baylor continues to light the way as one of 146 research universities representing the top research universities in the nation and pursuing research solutions to the most difficult challenges.

So take an illuminating tour through these pages, then follow your path to Baylor.

OUR MISSION

To educate men and women for worldwide leadership and service by integrating academic excellence and Christian commitment within a caring community.
SPOTLIGHT

FOUNDED 1845
LOCATED IN WACO, TEXAS
AWARD-WINNING CAMPUS ON 1K ACRES

94% of undergraduate classes are taught by Baylor professors (not grad assistants) who both teach and perform research in their fields.

38% of 2021's freshman class identify as belonging to a racial minority population.

45% of 2021's freshman class are from outside the state of Texas.

15,191 undergraduates (a true mid-size university).

3,400 anticipated freshman class.

16:1 student-to-faculty ratio.

28 average class size.

100+ countries represented.

72% of 2021’s freshman class were in the top quarter of their graduating high school class.

ACT 25-32 Median ACT score range for 2021 freshmen.

SAT 1170-1350 median SAT score range for 2021 freshmen (math & critical reading).

TOP 100

#75 “AMERICA’S BEST COLLEGES” - U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT 2022

SUPEIOR ACADEMICS
NATIONALLY RANKED

#2 First-time overall pass rate for the CPA exam in Texas


#13 Most Sought-After Colleges and Universities in the United States - Bold.org Scholarship Blog

#17 Undergraduate Research/ Creative Projects - U.S. News & World Report 2022

#21 in Best Colleges with No Application Fee in America - Niche.com

#33 Best Undergraduate Teaching - U.S. News & World Report 2022

#34 Most Innovative Schools - U.S. News & World Report 2022

#57 Best Undergraduate Accounting Program - U.S. News & World Report 2022

SUCCESS AT BAYLOR

73-75% acceptance rate into medical school for graduating seniors

90% acceptance rate to law school for graduating seniors 2017-2022

87% of students find jobs or start graduate school within six months of graduation

3.49 AVERAGE GPA and
156.7 AVERAGE LSAT score for Baylor seniors pursuing law school in 2022, which is above the national average.
Pre-professional programs are career aspirations. You will also select a major.

**Majors**

- Computer Science Fellows
- Computer Science
- Engineering & Computer Science
- Informal Education
- Middle Grades (4-8)
- Educational Psychology
- Elementary (PreK-6)
- Educational Psychology
- Creative Writing
- Communication Specialist
- Communication
- Corporate Communication
- Business Fellows
- Business Administration
- Business
- Apparel Merchandising
- Apparel Design & Product Development
- Apparel Design & Product
- Art History
- Interior Design
- Theatre Arts
- Theatre Arts
- Theatre Design & Technology
- Theatre Performance
- MATH & SCIENCES
- Mathematics
- English, Language Arts & Reading
- Middle Grades (4-8)
- Informal Education
- Elementary (PreK-6)
- Educational Psychology
- Educational Psychology
- Secondary Education
- Education Leadership
- Middle Grades (4-8)
- English, Language Arts & Reading
- Mathematics

**Business**

- Accounting
- Advertising
- Business Administration
- Business Fellows
- Corporate Communication

**Communications**

- Communication
- Communication Specialist
- Creative Writing

**Education**

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**Engineering & Computer Science**

- Computer Science
- Computer Science Fellows
- Data Science
- Electrical & Computer Engineering
- Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

**Humanities**

- American Sign Language
- American Studies
- Anthropology
- Arabic
- Arabic & Middle East Studies
- Archaeology
- Asian Studies
- Child & Family Studies
- Chinese
- Civic Interfaith Studies
- Classics
- Criminal Justice
- Dance
- English
- French
- German
- Gerontology
- Greek
- Greek & Roman Studies
- History
- Humanities Research Fellows
- International Studies
- Italian
- Japanese
- Latin
- Latin American Studies
- Leadership in Medicine
- Leadership Studies
- Legal Reasoning & Analysis
- Linguistics
- Military Studies
- Museum Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Poverty Studies & Social Justice
- Religion
- Russian
- Slavic & East European Studies
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Spanish
- University Scholars
- Women’s & Gender Studies
- World Affairs

**Math & Sciences**

- Applied Mathematics
- Astronomy
- Astrophysics
- Aviation Administration
- Aviation Sciences
- Biochemistry
- Biomechanics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Communication Sciences & Disorders
- Earth Science
- Environmental Health Science
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Studies
- Exercise Physiology
- Forensic Science
- General Family & Consumer Sciences
- Geography
- Geophysics
- Health, Kinesiology, & Leisure Studies
- Health Sciences
- Mathematics
- Medical Humanities
- Neuroscience
- Nursing
- Nutrition Sciences
- Outdoor Education & Leadership
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Recreation
- Recreation Ministry
- Science Research Fellows
- Statistics

**Music**

- Choral Music
- Church Music
- Composition
- Instrumental Music
- Music
- Music History & Literature
- Pedagogy
- Performance
- Theory

**Pre-Professional Programs**

- Pre-Chiropractic
- Pre-Dentistry
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Medicine
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Optometry

Visit baylor.edu/majors to explore Baylor’s majors!

Explore Baylor’s majors: [baylor.edu/majors](http://baylor.edu/majors)
Opportunity for high-ability students to study business along with other disciplines around the university through a degree plan tailored to each individual.

- Complete multiple majors and minors in business, math, sciences and liberal arts.
- Prepare yourself for internships, jobs and graduate studies in medicine, law, business and more.
- Progress more rapidly to courses in your majors and minors.
- Receive individualized, in-depth advising that helps you succeed in professional and academic goals.

Baylor Business Fellows

baylor.edu/business/fellows

Hankamer Scholars are eligible to take upper-level business core and specific major classes earlier to accelerate the pace of coursework. These select students will study alongside other Scholars who also display an excellent record of academic achievement, active extracurricular involvement and strong leadership skills.

This application-based program allows for more creativity and flexibility for high-ability students within the traditional BBA degree plan.

Scholars will receive specialized guidance provided by the Hankamer School of Business advising team for their entire academic journey.

Hankamer Scholars

baylor.edu/business/scholars

Baylor holds firmly to the conviction that the world needs a preeminent research university that is distinctly Christian, where such a commitment does not imply a lack of scholarly inquiry, but rather requires scholarship and creative endeavors at the highest levels of quality to complement and inform its teaching and service.

Being a Christian, however, is not required for admission to Baylor. Our caring community welcomes students from any or no faith background, including those from about 40 different religious affiliations as part of our undergraduate student body.

baylor.edu/spirituallife

Here are a few of the ways we seek to integrate faith and learning:

- Chapel has played an integral role in the life of Baylor University since its inception. Because everyone’s spiritual journey is unique, students are able to select their own chapel experiences created from the communities that are already investing in their spiritual lives. From academic cohorts, Living-Learning Centers, athletics, campus ministries, residential colleges and other programs, there is a chapel experience connected to the groups where students are naturally finding community or in a larger group experience if that is preferred. Learn more at baylor.edu/spirituallife/chapel.

- Religion classes help students examine and understand Christian history, literature and beliefs.

- Service opportunities help students put hands and feet to faith. At Baylor, we believe service can be a whole lot of fun, and we make sure of it through our strong Baptist Student Ministry, mission trips, Steppin’ Out and other community service projects.

- A current Truett Seminary student serves as Resident Chaplain in each residence hall, providing leadership, guidance and support.
LIVING ON CAMPUS

Living on campus at Baylor, you will experience a supportive Christian environment with people and services in place to help you achieve personal growth and academic success. Freshmen are required to live on campus, but it is optional for upper class students. Learn more about your housing options at baylor.edu/CLL.

LIVING-LEARNING CENTERS

Living-Learning Centers are communities organized around specific academic programs or areas of interest. Living-Learning Centers bring together freshmen through seniors who share similar interests and degree plans. As part of the emphasis on community, residents may share common cohort classes and have access to other academic services and programming within the communities.

- Baylor & Beyond
- Business & Innovation
- IMPACT & LEAD
- Fine Arts
- Outdoor Adventure
- Science & Health

RESIDENTIAL COLLEGES

Residential Colleges are faculty-led communities that foster academic excellence, intensive faculty-student interaction and rich culture steeped in Baylor tradition. The Residential Colleges offer a special sense of family through group dinners, optional morning and evening prayer, and Master’s Teas hosted by the Residential College Faculty Steward.

- Brooks Residential College
- Honors Residential College
- Teal Residential College

FIRST-YEAR COMMUNITIES

First-Year Communities foster a strong sense of belonging among Baylor’s incoming class. These residence halls offer freshmen an opportunity to meet and live with other freshmen with different interests and backgrounds. Students are able to learn and grow with each other through their first year at Baylor as they find their place in the Baylor Line.

- Baylor Cityside (male/female)
- Kokernot Hall (female)
- Martin Hall (male)
- Penland Hall (male/female)
- South Russell Hall (male/female)
- Texana House (female)
- University House (female)
70% of students are involved in a student organization

375+ student organizations

10,000+ student organization events each year

Whether playing spikeball, creating an initiative for a cleaner environment, spearheading a fundraiser for cancer research or gaming with the Oso Esports team, there is an opportunity for you to connect and develop leadership skills through student organizations.

baylor.edu/studentactivities

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY ACHIEVEMENT (URSA)

The Undergraduate Research and Scholarly Achievement (URSA) initiative is one of the programs housed in the Office of Engaged Learning, which is the central hub of programs that are designed to serve faculty and students from all disciplines by providing opportunities for “learning beyond the classroom.” The goal of URSA is to support, promote and enhance high-quality undergraduate research and scholarship through grants and Scholars Week, where students from all disciplines give research presentations or display their artistic creations. This high level of research activity has led to 13 Baylor students being named Fulbright recipients for 2022. For more details on undergraduate research opportunities at Baylor, visit baylor.edu/ursa.

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The Department of Multicultural Affairs enriches the development of each student by encouraging them to celebrate their personal heritage and embrace the cultures of others. In pursuit of this mission, we sponsor three main student coalitions and support their collaborative efforts throughout the year: Black Student Coalition, Coalition of Asian Students and Latinx Coalition. Baylor also has more than 40 multicultural organizations, from academic and professional development to Greek life, religious engagement, special interest activities and other student associations. For more information and to stay up-to-date with events, visit baylor.edu/multicultural.

FIRST IN LINE

Will you be the first in your family to earn a college degree? Being a first-generation college student is a proud accomplishment! Our First in Line office provides support, resources and scholarships for our first-generation college students to help them better navigate Baylor successfully. We also provide you with an additional layer of support through peer-led connections in programs like the First in Line Student Society, Ambassador-led First Family Gatherings and monthly workshops. We strive to support, empower and celebrate our first-generation students and are excited to meet you! And be sure to check out the First in Line Success Academy scholarship program, exclusive for incoming, first-generation Bears. For more information, please visit baylor.edu/firstinline.
Membership in a Greek organization will provide you the opportunity to excel as a student at Baylor University. Whether it is through leadership, academic excellence, service, friendship or spiritual growth, being part of a fraternity or sorority at Baylor offers students the chance to make significant and impactful differences in their organizations, the Baylor community and beyond.

Baylor practices a deferred recruitment model, where incoming students become eligible for membership during their second semester rather than their first semester. This allows incoming students to spend their first semester adjusting to academics, connecting to the university and learning about chapters and membership benefits.

baylor.edu/greeklife

“Greek life has allowed me to thrive academically and professionally. I am always being supported, encouraged and motivated by my sisters in Tri Delta and my friends in other sororities! I’m so inspired by all of the members of Greek life. Everyone has different passions, interests and career paths.”

Giana Pinotti

40+ inter/national and local organizations

650+ students hold formal leadership roles in Greek organizations each year

FRATERNITY & SORORITY LIFE

ARGENTINA | FRANCE | JAPAN | NORWAY | SPAIN
AUSTRALIA | GERMANY | KUROZJSTAN | PERU | SWITZERLAND
AUSTRIA | GIBRALTAR | LATVIA | POLAND | TAIWAN
BELGIUM | GREECE | LITHUANIA | PORTUGAL | TUNISIA
BRAZIL | HUNGARY | MALTA | ROMANIA | TURKEY
COSTA RICA | INDIA | MEXICO | RWANDA | UNITED KINGDOM
CZECH REPUBLIC | IRELAND | MOROCCO | SLOVAKIA | VATICAN CITY
DENMARK | ISRAEL | NETHERLANDS | SLOVENIA | WEST INDIES
ECUADOR | ITALY | NEW ZEALAND | SOUTH KOREA | ZAMBIA

GLOBAL INVOLVEMENT

Preparing you for worldwide leadership and service means providing opportunities to experience the world. Choose from more than 100 study abroad programs as well as global mission trips. For more information, visit baylor.edu/studyabroad

Are you looking to start your college experience with an adventure abroad? Explore our Global Scholars program, a unique four-year educational and professional development opportunity that begins in Dublin, Ireland! Learn more at baylor.edu/globalscholars.
STOMPFEST teams perform in this annual step show to a variety of musical styles, such as Hip Hop, Rap, Latin American and popular Christian music.

Fiesta! A cultural celebration of the diverse cultures of Latin America through cuisine, art, music and performances.

CHRISTMAS ON 5TH STREET A joyful celebration that includes an annual tree lighting, caroling, a live nativity scene and special musical guests.

HOMECOMING Baylor is believed to have the nation’s oldest and largest Homecoming celebration. Students and alumni enjoy events, such as a bonfire, parade, Pigskin Revue and more.

WELCOME WEEK New Baylor Bears enjoy opportunities to connect with other incoming and returning students.

THE BAYLOR LINE This spirit organization, made up of new students, wears signature gold jerseys as they run on the field at all home football games.

Diadeloso Since 1934, students have been given a day off in Spring to enjoy the outdoors. Diadeloso, or “Day of the Bear,” features athletic tournaments, activities, live music and more.

MOSAIC WEEK The wonderful diversity at Baylor is highlighted during a series of events hosted by the Department of Multicultural Affairs.

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT #4 - THE WALL STREET JOURNAL/TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION COLLEGE RANKINGS

FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCES #15 - U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT 2022

THANKSGIVING DINNER One of the most attended on-campus Baylor traditions, this dinner is a time for students, faculty and staff to come together to enjoy food, games, entertainment and fellowship with the Baylor community.

SING Student groups compete for bragging rights in this annual Broadway-style music and dance show.

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AS A CHARTER MEMBER OF THE BIG 12 CONFERENCE, BAYLOR OFFERS THE THRILL AND EXCITEMENT OF DIVISION 1 ATHLETICS!

BAYLORBEARS.COM
APPLICATION PROCESS

1. CHOOSE YOUR APPLICATION DEADLINE

- Early Decision 1 (binding; for students who commit to attending Baylor if accepted; receive a decision by December 15)
- Early Action (non-binding; receive a decision by January 1)

FEBRUARY 1
- Early Decision 2 (binding; for students who commit to attending Baylor if accepted; receive a decision by March 1)
- Regular Admission (non-binding; receive a decision by April 1)

2. CHOOSE YOUR APPLICATION METHOD

Decide which free application you want to use to start your application file:
- Baylor Online Application: baylor.edu/goBaylor
- Common App: commonapp.org
- ApplyTexas: applytexas.org

To apply using the Baylor Online Application, you start by creating a goBaylor account. If you apply using Common App or ApplyTexas, you will get an email to create your goBaylor account after you submit your application. Regardless of your application choice, your goBaylor account will be important for tracking your application status and any next steps you might have.

MEET YOUR COUNSELOR

Connect with your admissions counselor to ask questions and/or schedule a time to meet one-on-one. If you feel more comfortable speaking in a language other than English, please contact admissions@baylor.edu to connect with one of our bilingual counselors, who are happy to assist you.

3. REVIEW THE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Your goBaylor account will show you exactly which items we have received and what is needed to complete your file by the deadline.

1. COMPLETED APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
2. ESSAY
   - If you are applying via the Baylor Online Application, the essay will be part of your goBaylor account.
   - If you are applying via the Common Application or ApplyTexas, the essay will be part of your application.
3. ACADEMIC RECORD
   - SELF-REPORTED ACADEMIC RECORD (SRAR)—Recommended
     - With the Self-Reported Academic Record, or SRAR, you’re able to self-report your academic information, including coursework and grades, which will allow Baylor Admissions to process your application more holistically. To learn more about SRAR, visit baylor.edu/SRAR.
   - HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT—Required
     - Baylor accepts both official transcripts (preferred, with official school seal and signature) and unofficial transcripts (no seal). To submit your application, transcripts must be received or postmarked by the application deadline to be considered for admission.
     - Please note: Final enrollment at Baylor is contingent upon receipt of an official transcript.
     - REQUIREMENTS: Your transcript must show:
       - Student name
       - Grades received through the end of the junior year
       - GPA
     - To learn more about the submission process and transcript guidelines, please visit baylor.edu/admissions/transcript.
4. TEST SCORES
   - Students are not required to submit standardized test scores for admission. The decision to apply with or without test scores should be carefully thought through and is considered final. Learn more about our Test Optional policy at baylor.edu/test-optional.
   - SAT or ACT SCORES:
     - SELF-REPORTED: You may self-report your best test scores on your application for admission. We will use these scores when we review your file, so please make sure they are accurate and correct — entering false information, even by accident, could disqualify your application. If accepted, you will need to have the testing agency send your official scores to our office by May 1.
     - SUBMITTED FROM THE TESTING AGENCY: Test scores can be sent through the College Board or ACT student website. Baylor’s SAT code is 6032, and Baylor’s ACT code is 45-45-45. Please allow 2-3 weeks for delivery.
     - SUBMITTED ON AN OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT: We can accept test scores listed on an official high school transcript.
5. APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID—CSS PROFILE AND FAFSA
   - To be considered for the maximum amount of financial aid, you must submit both the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the CSS Profile.
6. OTHER REQUIREMENTS
   - Other steps might be required based on your individual circumstances. Check your goBaylor account to see if you need to submit any additional items.
7. RECOMMENDED ITEMS
   - These items allow us to get to know you better. Submit them through your goBaylor account after completing your application for admission. Review our Letters of Recommendation and Short-Answer Response (required for Early Decision applicants).

CLASSIC LEARNING TEST (CLT) SCORES:
- Homeschooled students may submit CLT scores in lieu of SAT or ACT scores. All other applicants may submit CLT scores as an additional piece of academic information to be added to the application file if you have taken the CLT and would like to submit your score to Baylor, please send your exam results via baylor.edu/cltexam.com.

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4. SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION MATERIALS

If you have not submitted your materials electronically, mail all application materials to:
- Undergraduate Admissions
  One Bear Place #97056
  Waco, TX 76798-7056

You may send materials separately, but please clearly indicate your full name and date of birth on each item to help us match it to your application file.
There are many ways to make a Baylor education fit your family’s budget. Very few students pay the full tuition “sticker price” and are able to fund their education through various scholarships, financial aid, loans and payment plans. More than 90% of students receive financial aid, and 86% receive merit scholarships. So this number could look different for your specific situation. Explore all the ways to fund your Baylor education at baylor.edu/affordability.

**OPTION 1: MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS**
Your comprehensive academic record and a full review of your completed Baylor application file determine your eligibility for a Baylor merit scholarship. No additional application is required. All applicants are considered for merit scholarships when they apply, including students who apply as test optional.

**OPTION 2: FINANCIAL AID**
To be considered for the maximum amount of financial aid, you must submit both the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at fafsa.ed.gov and the CSS Profile at cssprofile.collegeboard.org. Both applications open on October 1 and should be submitted by the final deadline to be considered for the most available funds:
- Freshman Early Decision 1 and Early Action Priority Deadline: November 1
- Final Deadline to submit the CSS Profile for all Freshman Admission Plans: February 1
- Final Deadline to submit the FAFSA (Federal Student Aid) at fafsa.ed.gov: April 1

If you miss the final deadline, please submit an application as soon as possible to be considered for any remaining funds.

The FAFSA will determine your eligibility for these programs: grants, educational loans and federal work study.

The CSS Profile will determine your eligibility for institutional, need-based aid.

**OPTION 3: SPECIALTY BAYLOR AWARDS**
Baylor offers a variety of “specialty” scholarships for students who meet specific qualifications (i.e. event-based, leadership, academic, extracurricular activities, denomination, legacy status, athletics, military, housing choice, departmental, transfer). Baylor will also help you process VA Education Benefits and participates in the Yellow Ribbon Program. You can learn more about these awards at baylor.edu/ypossaid.

**OPTION 4: OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIPS**
We recommend you apply for as many outside/ private scholarships as possible. These might include scholarships offered by local businesses or service/ religious organizations. Your school counselor should be able to assist you in determining what is available in your community.

**OPTION 5: PAYMENT PLANS**
Baylor offers an installment plan that allows you to pay your out-of-pocket cost each semester in five monthly payments. You can learn more about this option at baylor.edu/sfs/installment.

Some questions will be the same on the FAFSA and CSS Profile. Make sure you answer consistently, or your award package will be delayed until conflicting information is resolved.

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**INCLUDED WITH YOUR COST OF ATTENDANCE**

**ACADEMICS**
- Academic Advising
- Mentoring
- Undergraduate Research Opportunities
- University Writing Center

**WELL-BEING**
- Access to Pullin Family Marina
- Access to the Mclane Student Life Center (SLC), which includes free-standing Rock Climbing, Pool and Fitness Classes
- Counseling Services
- The Store Food Pantry
- Free Food Events, including Seasonal On-Campus Farmer’s Market

**CAREER-FOCUSED**
- Career Advising
- Career Closet
- Graduate School & Career Fairs
- Internship Opportunities
- Job Search Resources
- Mock Interviews
- Resume Reviews

**PROGRAMS**
- First in Line for First Generation College Students
- Multicultural Affairs
- Transfer Student Success Office
- Veteran Education and Transition Services

**AND MUCH MORE**

Each year, Baylor University awards more than $6 MILLION OF GENEROUS SCHOLARSHIPS to high-achieving attendees at the following scholarship programs:
- Getterman Scholars Program
- Invitation to Excellence
- Baylor/Baylor Medical Program
- Baylor/Baylor Law Program
- Baylor/Baylor Seminary Program
- Distinguished Scholars Day

Learn more at baylor.edu/scholarshipprograms.

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**UNDERGRADUATE COSTS // ’22 -’23**

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Remember that you also need to budget for personal expenses, books and supplies, and transportation. International students are also required to have health insurance.

To see a sample budget that includes direct and indirect costs, visit baylor.edu/sfs/coa.
The mission of the Baylor University Career Center is to ensure that every student has the opportunity and support to achieve their career potential. That begins the first semester of your freshman year by creating a path that spans throughout your college experience and on to an exciting career or graduate school.

DEDICATION

Every Baylor student has access to their own dedicated Career Success Professional (CSP). There are 25 CSPs ready to help identify students’ career interests, strategize job, internship and graduate school searches, craft résumés and prepare them for networking events or interviews.

PREPARATION

One of the most beneficial ways Baylor students are assisted by the Career Center is through the Professional Development courses, which allow students to explore their career interests and opportunities, learn about the numerous career resources available, practice career-oriented life skills and get ahead in their career plan long before they graduate.

For more information, visit baylor.edu/careercenter.

IN 2021, THE CAREER CENTER HOSTED:

- 379 events throughout the year, including career fairs, information sessions, class presentations and networking opportunities
- 5,810 appointments with career coaches
- 280+ employers attended Career Days

TOP EMPLOYERS

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EXPLORE WACO

Located in the heart of Texas, Waco is a 90-minute drive from Austin or Dallas/Fort Worth. The Waco Regional Airport makes it easy to connect to flights out of Dallas. While you’re visiting, don’t forget to explore Waco’s hot spots.

AROUND TOWN
- DICHOTOMY • DR PEPPER MUSEUM • FABLED BOOKSHOP & CAFÉ • GEORGE’S RESTAURANT • SCHMALTZ’S SANDWICH SHOPPE • SHORTY’S PIZZA SHACK • SUSPENSION BRIDGE • UNION HALL • VITEK’S BBQ

Campus tours are available Monday through Friday and select Saturdays. Email us at visit@baylor.edu and let us help create a customized visit experience for you and your guests to explore our beautiful campus and visit academic departments.

If you can’t visit us in person, we have several virtual visit opportunities available, including individual appointments with your admissions counselor, to help you in your college search. You can pick and choose what works with your schedule, and we’ll help you as you create your own tailored Baylor Experience. Learn more at baylor.edu/waystoconnnect.

Take a pic at our Bear Habitat and tag @baylorbearhabitat.
If you're a high school junior or senior, experience the Baylor difference while earning college credit through our year-round Accelerate pre-college program, which offers courses during the fall, spring and summer. Plus, juniors who earn a 3.0 GPA in at least 9 Baylor hours during the summer before their senior year will jump to the front of the line for admission into Baylor’s 2024 freshman class!* Explore your options at baylor.edu/accelerate.

If you are accepted to Baylor as a freshmen, you can jump start your academic pursuits at Baylor. We make it easy for incoming students to begin classes during the summer with our discounted Summer of Discovery courses. Get ahead in your core course requirements and move more quickly into your selected major. Taught by Baylor faculty, each course gives you the opportunity to learn alongside new friends who will be part of your college career. Find out more at baylor.edu/discovery.

Want to travel the world and have an exceptional educational experience after graduating from high school? Spend your freshman fall semester abroad with our partner, Verto! Through this unique freshman study abroad program, you’ll experience a different culture, expand your worldview and earn credit that will keep you on track for graduation before coming to Baylor’s Waco campus in spring. Learn more at vertoeducation.org/school/baylor-university.

*If a rising high school senior earns a cumulative 3.0 GPA or better while completing at least 9 Baylor course hours in the SUMMER prior to their senior year, and their school-record demonstrates good academic standing throughout high school, they will be considered to have met the academic requirements for admission. They may be admitted early to Baylor after completing a Fall 2024 application (available in August). Admission is contingent on a review of additional information covering behavioral and conduct issues.