Common App in Alaska

First-Year Application Data
2021–2022

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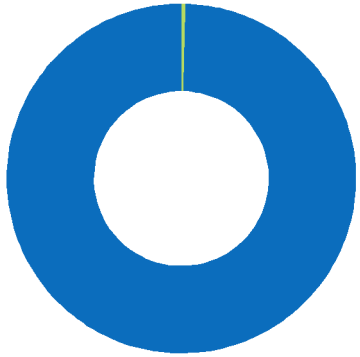
4,685 Applications submitted

963 Unique applicants

587 Unique colleges and universities applied to (out of 982)

Destination of Applications



100% Out-of-State 0% In-State

Percent of applications to all Common App member colleges and universities by Alaska applicants

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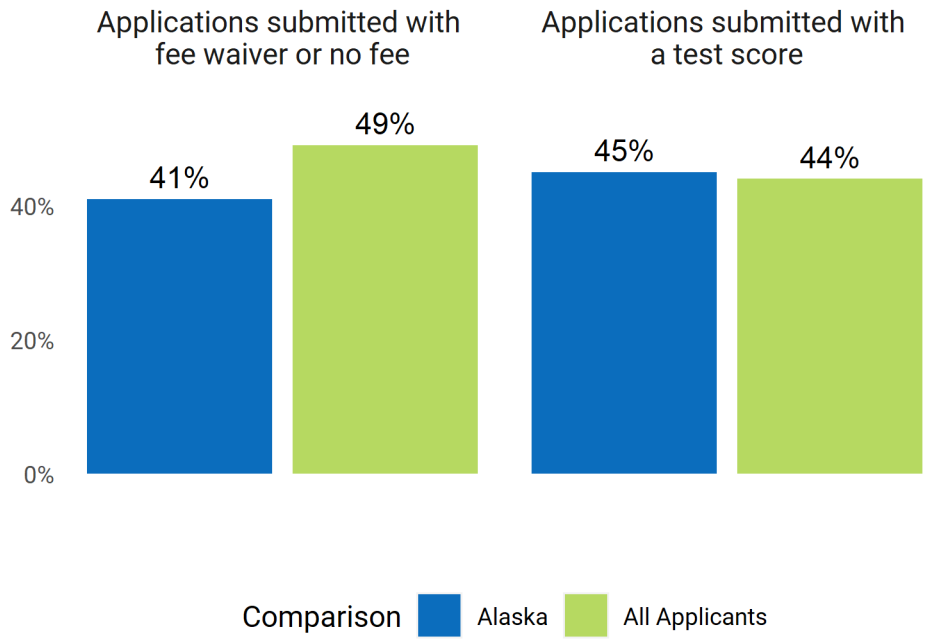
41% Applications submitted with fee waiver or no fee

45% Applications submitted with a test score



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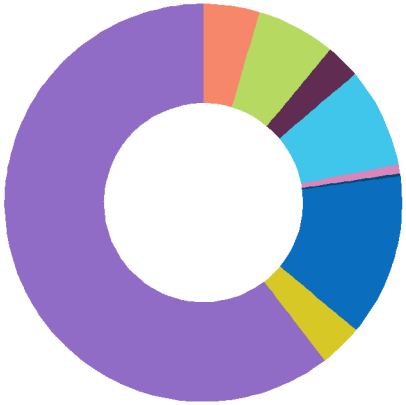
Applicants by Race/Ethnicity



- Asian 6%
- Black or African American 3%
- Latinx 8%
- Native American 5%
- Nonresident Alien 0%
- Pacific Islander 1%
- Two or More Races 13%
- Unknown 4%
- White 60%

Applicants by Sex

- 39% Male
- 61% Female

Applicants by First-Generation Status

- 71% Not first-generation
- 29% First-generation

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Top receiving institutions nationally from applicants in Alaska (descending)

- Oregon State University
- University of Oregon
- Colorado State University
- Gonzaga University
- University of Colorado Boulder
- The University of Utah
- Arizona State University
- University of Colorado Denver
- Lewis & Clark College
- The University of Arizona
- University of Michigan
- University of Portland
- Whitman College
- University of Denver
- Stanford University

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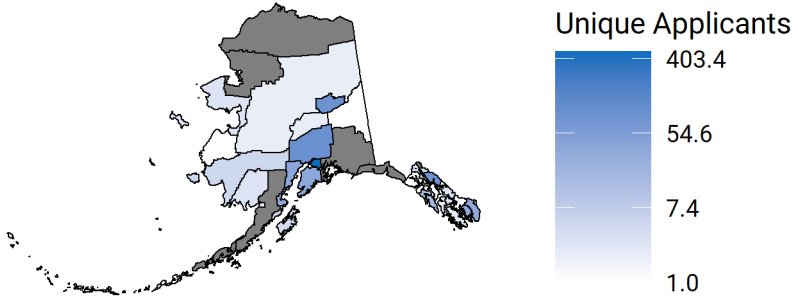
Top applying counties in Alaska (descending)

- Anchorage Municipality
- Matanuska-Susitna Borough
- Fairbanks North Star Borough
- Juneau City and Borough
- Kenai Peninsula Borough
- Ketchikan Gateway Borough
- Sitka City and Borough
- Aleutians West Census Area
- Bethel Census Area
- Kodiak Island Borough
- Dillingham Census Area
- Haines Borough
- Nome Census Area
- Petersburg Census Area
- Bristol Bay Borough



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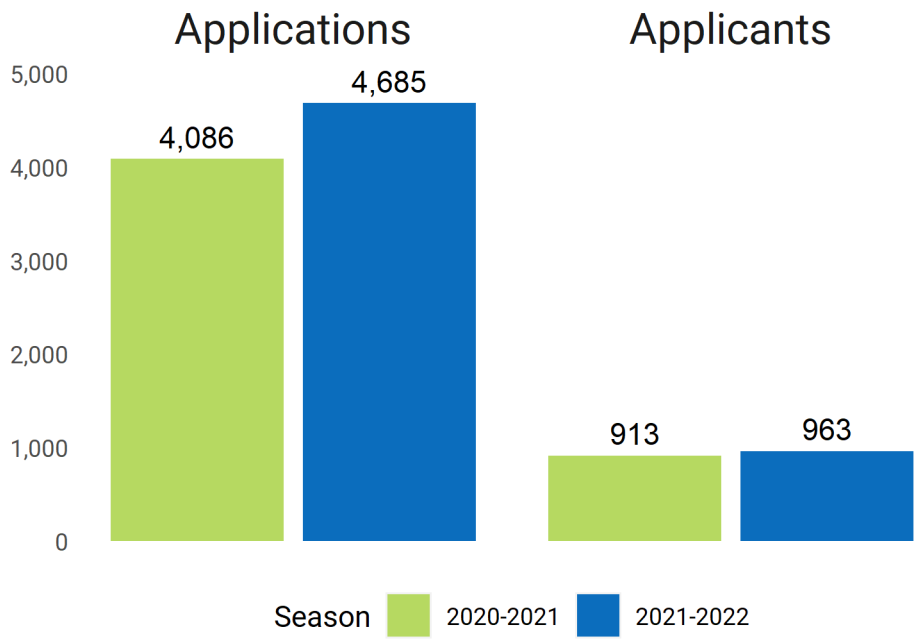
Year-over-year comparisons

+15% State annual change in applications

+5% State annual change in applicants



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Total comparisons, inclusive of all applicants and all countries

+15% State annual change in applications

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+5% State annual change in applicants

+8% Total annual change in applicants

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