Common App in Rhode Island

First-Year Application Data
2020–2021

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Applications submitted: 41,124
Unique applicants: 6,649
Unique colleges and universities applied to (out of 919): 722

Destination of Applications:
- 71% Out-of-State
- 29% In-State

Percent of applications to all Common App member colleges and universities by Rhode Island applicants
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52% Applications submitted with fee waiver or no fee

21% Applications submitted with a test score

Comparison

- Rhode Island
- All Applicants
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Applicants by Race/Ethnicity
- Asian 4%
- Latinx 20%
- Nonresident Alien 1%
- Two or More Races 4%
- White 61%

Applicants by Sex
- 44% Male
- 56% Female

Applicants by First-Generation Status
- 60% Not first-generation
- 40% First-generation
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Top receiving institutions nationally from applicants in Rhode Island (descending)

- University of Rhode Island
- Rhode Island College
- Roger Williams University
- Johnson & Wales University-Providence
- Providence College
- Boston University
- Northeastern University
- University of Connecticut
- Bryant University
- University of New Hampshire
- Salve Regina University
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
- Brown University
- Quinnipiac University
- University of Vermont

In-State Applications to RI Institutions

- Brown University
- Bryant University
- Providence College
- Rhode Island College
- Johnson & Wales University-Providence
- Roger Williams University
- Salve Regina University
- University of Rhode Island

Applications

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Top applying counties in Rhode Island (descending)

- Providence County
- Kent County
- Washington County
- Newport County
- Bristol County

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Year-over-year comparisons

+2%  State annual change in applications

-5%  State annual change in applicants
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Total comparisons, inclusive of all applicants and all countries

+2% State annual change in applications
-5% State annual change in applicants
+17% Total annual change in applications
+9% Total annual change in applicants