

South Carolina College Profiles

SC Public Colleges/Universities (4-year)

College	Average GPA	Average SAT	Average ACT	ACT/SAT Optional? **
The Citadel	3.77	1170	24	Yes
Clemson University	4.00	1310	29	Yes
Coastal Carolina University	3.719	1100	23	Yes, with 3.5+ GPA
College of Charleston	4.07	1210	27	Yes
Frances Marion University	3.89	1035	19	No
Lander University	3.66	1070	21	Yes
South Carolina State University	3.16	1070	16	Yes
USC Columbia	3.66	1280	29	Yes
USC Aiken	3.58	1064	20	Yes
USC Upstate	2.53	1070	21	Yes
USC Beaufort	3.0	910	17 or >	Yes
Winthrop University	4.14	1100	22	Yes

SC Public Colleges (2-year)

College	Average GPA	Average SAT	Average ACT
USC Lancaster (no minimum requirement)	No minimum requirement	Not required	Not required
USC Union (no minimum requirement)	No minimum requirement	Not required	Not required
York Tech (*Students with a GPA lower than 3.0 will be admitted once they complete the ACCUPLACER test for placement purposes)	3.0*	Not required	Not required

SC Private Colleges/Universities (4-year)

College	Average GPA	Average SAT	Average ACT	ACT/SAT Optional? **
Anderson University	3.72	1115	24	Yes
Benedict College	at least 2.0	at least 850	at least 17	Yes
Bob Jones University	3.7		23	Yes
Charleston Southern University	3.63	1090	23	Yes
Clafin University	3.28	880	17	Yes
Coker University	3.4	1022	20	Yes
Columbia International University	3.5	1048	21	Yes
Columbia College	3.56	1027	18	Yes
Converse College	3.89	1140	24	Yes
Erskine College	3.0	1070	23	Yes
Furman University	3.61	1325	30	Yes
Limestone College	3.42	990	18	Yes
Morris College	2.57	At least 800	At least 18	No
North Greenville University	3.84	1089	21	No
Presbyterian College	3.6	1150	23	Yes
South Wesleyan University	At least 2.3	1070	20	Yes with 3.0/4.0
Wofford College	3.7	1180-1340	30	Yes

** These schools have listed test optional policies for admissions purposes. For scholarships/other aid, test scores **may** be necessary. Check with each school individually for policies.