

SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE Fact Sheet 2016-17

Note to Reader: Sweet Briar College remained open with all of its programs intact following the unexpected announcement on March 3, 2015 that the College would cease operations in August 2015. While the College is well on its way to a complete recovery and expects each year to show improvement, please take into account that the announcement impacted the College in many ways reflected in the figures reported below.

Size and Enrollment (Fall 2016)

Aces	3,250
Total Enrollment	376
FTE Enrollment (Full-time equivalent)	368.7
Undergraduate Enrollment	365
Degree-Seeking	320
On-Campus	324
Off-Campus (Includes Junior Year Programs)	41
Graduate Enrollment	11
Student to Faculty Ratio (All Students/Instructional FTE)	5 to 1
Average Class Size	8
Class Sections: Less than 10 Students	60%
Class Sections: 10-19 Students	37%
Class Sections: 20 or More Students	3%

Academic Programs (Fall 2016)

Undergraduate Degrees (B.A., B.S., B.F.A.)	3
Graduate Degrees (M.A.T., M.Ed.)	2
Majors/Minors	31/32

Student Charges (Academic Year 2016-17)

Tuition and Fees/Room and Board	\$36,425/\$12,635
Regular Part-time Per-Credit-Hour	\$1,050

Finances (Fiscal Year 2016)

Endowment End-of-Year	\$73.0 million
Operating Budget	\$28.3 million
Residential Occupancy Rate	47%

Note: Calculated based on the best practices configuration number of 637 (traditional residence living plus House 5).

Financial Aid (Aid Year 2015-16)

	First-time, First-year	Degree- Seeking
Receiving Institutional Grants/Scholarships	92%	99%
Average Institutional Grant/Scholarship	\$23,399	\$24,094

Fundraising (Fiscal Year 2016)

Total Giving	\$18.8 million
Sweet Briar Fund Giving	\$16.0 million
Alumnae Giving Rate	38%

Note: Voluntary Support of Education (VSE); Giving rate calculated using undergraduate degreed alumnae.

Graduation and Retention

One-Year Retention Rate (Fall 2015)	50%
Six-Year Graduation Rate (Fall 2010)	61%
Degrees Awarded	94
B.A./B.S./B.F.A.	66/26/1
M.A.T./M.Ed.	1/0

Most Popular Majors (Classes of 2012-2016):

Business, Biology, Psychology, History, English and Creative Writing, International Affairs, Engineering Science, Government

Career Outcomes Rate (Classes of 2012-2015)	93%
Employed at Six-Months	83%
Pursuing Advanced Degree at Six-Months	26%

Note: Since graduates may be pursuing more than one graduate outcome concurrently, the sum of the percentage Employed and Pursuing an Advanced Degree may be more than 100%.

Alumnae (Fiscal Year 2016)

Living Alumnae	14,257	
Undergraduate Degreed Alumnae	7,766	
Young Alumnae	Total Alumnae	
Virginia	43%	25%
Region I (Northeast)	13%	17%
Region II (Mid-Atlantic Excluding Virginia)	7%	6%
Region III (Southeast)	13%	19%
Region IV (Midwest)	6%	7%
Region V (South Central)	7%	13%
Region VI (West)	7%	10%
Region VII (Outside the U.S.)	3%	3%

First-year Student Profile (Fall 2016)

Total Applications	1,341
Completed Applications	950
Acceptance Rate (of Completed Applications)	93%
First-year Enrollment	134
Yield	15%
Average High School GPA	3.50
Top 10% of Class	15%
Top 25% of Class	38%
Top 50% of Class	68%
SAT – Percent Submitting	77%
SAT Combined – Median (Critical Reading and Mathematics)	1050
Critical Reading - Median	555
Mathematics - Median	495
Writing - Median	520
ACT – Percent Submitting	42%
ACT Composite – Median	22

Undergraduate Student Characteristics (Fall 2016)

	First-time, First-year	Degree- Seeking
Ethnicity and Race		
Nonresident Alien	4%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0%	0%
Asian	2%	2%
Black or African American	11%	10%
Hispanic or Latino	13%	10%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1%	0%
White	66%	71%
More than One Race	2%	4%
Unreported	0%	1%
Geography (U.S. Census Regions)		
Virginia	46%	51%
South Atlantic (Excluding Virginia)	23%	21%
Northeast	7%	12%
South Central	11%	7%
Midwest	2%	2%
West	7%	6%
Outside the U.S.	4%	2%
Age		
Under 20	99%	49%
20-24	1%	45%
25 and Over	0%	6%
Full-time	100%	99%
Living on Campus	97%	93%
First Generation	23%	29%
Pell Grant Recipients	40%	39%
Legacy	10%	10%

Staffing (Fall 2016)

Total Employees	306
Staff	203
Faculty	103
Instructional FTE (Full-time equivalent of teaching faculty)	71.0
Full-time Faculty (AAUP-reported)	58
Tenured	52%
Hold Terminal Degree	86%
Average Salary – Professor (1000s)	\$82.9
Average Salary – Associate Professor (1000s)	\$63.1
Average Salary – Assistant Professor (1000s)	\$52.0

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