

You Belong Here

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Ranked 5th for
Entrepreneurship

Princeton Review 2020

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Nationally for
Student Engagement

Wall Street Journal/Times Higher
Education, 2019

#79

National Universities
in the USA

US News & World Report 2020

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Key facts:

CAMPUS: Approximately 1,000 acres

FOUNDED: 1845

STUDENT POPULATION: 14,316 undergraduates,
2,743 graduate students

INTERNATIONAL POPULATION: 4.6% from 72
different countries

STUDENT TO FACULTY RATIO: 14:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 26

ACCREDITATION:

- The Association of American Colleges and Universities
- The American Council on Education
- The American Association of University Women
- AACSB International - The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
- 50+ specialized accreditations for academic programs including Computer Science: B.S.C.S. degree accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission (CAC) of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)

COLLEGES:

- College of Arts & Sciences
- Diana R. Garland School of Social Work
- Hankamer School of Business
- Honors College
- Louse Herrington School of Nursing
- Robbins College of Health and Human Sciences
- School of Education
- School of Engineering & Computer Sciences
- School of Music

DEGREE PROGRAMS:

125 undergraduate programs, 75 master's programs, and 42 doctoral programs.



Choose Baylor University

and become
part of the family

To be chosen by Baylor is to **be among the best.** We receive applications from some of the brightest students in America and across the world. We select those who match our strengths and values.

THE BAYLOR FAMILY

Our caring community is united by school spirit, Christian values, and a desire to achieve. Baylor has the family atmosphere of a small institution, with the facilities and opportunities of a larger university. All faiths are welcomed, and the whole Baylor family shares a strong sense of morals, purpose and belonging.

WHERE BRIGHT STUDENTS EXCEL

Baylor has an international reputation for educational excellence and top-tier research. You'll be motivated by other talented students, and you'll work with award-winning faculty on research projects that will enhance your CV.

YOUR PATHWAY TO EXCELLENCE

The International Study Center provides a pathway to success at Baylor University. Located on campus, you'll be immersed in Baylor life from the start. When you progress to mainstream studies, you'll be ready to achieve your full potential.



RANKINGS FROM US NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, 2020:

#8
in Entrepreneurship

#8
in First-Year

#20
in Best Undergraduate
Teaching



#22
in Writing Disciplines

#27
in Undergraduate
Research/Creative
Projects

#48
Best Colleges



#42
in Most Innovative
Schools

#66
in Business Program

#47
in Accounting



Career Success

Baylor prepares you for excellence in your professional career. At the International Study Center, you'll **plan for your future** with our structured employment service, CareerAhead.



AN ELITE NETWORK

When you graduate from Baylor, you'll become part of the university's elite global network which will take you far in your chosen field.





“The internship that I did over the summer was with an investment company in Dallas. I got to learn a lot about the company. They threw us into projects straight away.

Mohit from UAE
Studying Management Information Systems with Entrepreneurship and Corporate Innovation



YOUR PERSONAL CAREER PLAN

Our CareerAhead service gives you a structured approach to plan for the future. You'll create a personalized employment plan that helps you explore your options and gain the skills and experience you need.

CORE EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

We help you to develop core career skills such as planning, leadership, organization and communication. This lays the foundation for becoming a highly employable graduate by building your competence, capabilities and confidence.



FAMOUS ALUMNI

JENNIFER ELROD Judge, United States Court of Appeals, States Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit

ANH “JOSEPH” CAO First Vietnamese American elected to Congress

JESS CAGLE Editor of People Magazine

JERRY CLEMENTS Named one of the “50 Most Influential Women in Law” in America by the National Law Journal

MICHAEL BRANDT Co-author of the movies Wanted, 3:10 to Yuma and 2 Fast, 2 Furious

CHIP AND JOANNA GAINES Time’s 100 Most Influential People and stars of HGTV’s Fixer Upper

CAREER SUCCESS

Baylor students acquire successful jobs and internships:

- Amazon
- AT&T
- Disney
- ESPN
- ExxonMobile
- General Motors
- Google
- HP
- KPMG
- Oracle
- Samsung
- San Antonio Spurs
- 3M

You'll learn skills that will help you throughout your career.

Welcome to Texas

Texas is the second largest state in the USA. It also has the second largest population. You will find a **wide range of tourist attractions and things to do** during your free time here.

National Parks such as Big Bend or Guadalupe Mountains, museums like the Bullock Texas State History Museum, the Houston Space Center, and historical sites including The Alamo make Texas an exciting place to explore.

With the 2nd largest economy in the nation, Texas is home to 49 Fortune 500 companies and more than 120 of the largest U.S. companies.

The state capital, Austin, is 90 minutes away from Baylor. It is one of the top 5 cities to visit in Texas, along with Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston, and San Antonio which are all within driving distance..

FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES IN DALLAS AND AUSTIN REGIONAL AREAS:

- Exxon Mobil
- AT&T
- Energy Transfer Equity
- American Airlines Group
- Southwest Airlines
- Tenet Healthcare
- Texas Instruments
- Dr. Pepper Snapple Group
- Whole Foods Market
- Dean Foods

Clockwise from top:

The Alamo, Texas Capitol Building in Austin, Guadalupe Mountains.



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in The Best States for Business
(Forbes)

2ND

largest economy in the nation

49

Fortune 500 companies and more than 120 of the largest U.S. companies



Clockwise from top:
San Antonio Riverwalk, Bullock
Texas State History Museum,
Houston Space Center,
Dallas Skyscrapers.

Home in Waco

Live and study within **1,000 acres of green space and historic buildings, with culture and recreation on your doorstep.** A place that feels like home, Baylor's campus is located in the riverside city of Waco, Texas.

LIFE IN WACO

Waco is a mid-sized city in the heart of Texas. Baylor students are active in the community, and they volunteer in local projects that make an impact. Waco has welcoming Southern hospitality, vibrant culture, and a beautiful setting on the Brazos River. The big cities of Dallas-Fort Worth, Austin and Houston are easy to reach by car.

Baylor's campus is located in downtown Waco, where you will find interesting places to visit and fun things to do:

TOP PLACES TO VISIT

McLane Stadium, Cameron Park, Cameron Park Zoo, Waco Mammoth National Monument, Magnolia Market at the Silos

TOP OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Biking, Hiking, Canoeing, City Tours, Horseback Riding Tours

AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Annual High Temperature: 77.7°F / 25.5°C

Annual Low Temperature: 55.3°F / 13°C

Average Temperature: 66.5°F / 19.25°C



Baylor students, faculty and staff volunteer more than

150,000

hours of community service annually



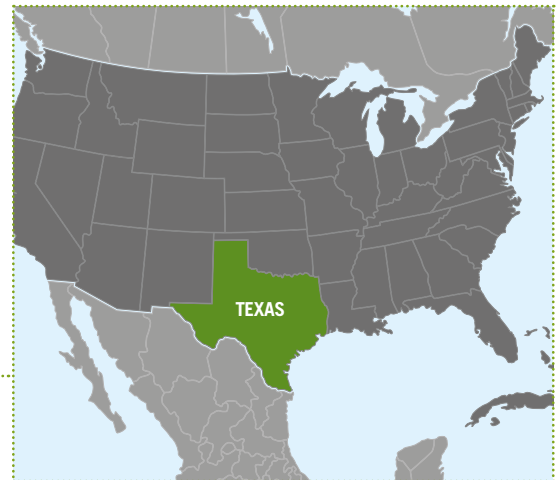
The campus is located between two bridges crossing the Brazos river.



“I first applied to Baylor after one of my professors recommended Baylor to me. And one of my dreams is helping developing countries through my talents. So my match would be the Baylor missions; I think it would be great if my talents can help for those who need the help. Baylor heavily invests in research and they provide with supportive professors and advisors to grow my talents.

Andrew from South Korea
Studying MS Electrical Engineering

Our campus encourages students to engage in the Baylor community, invest in traditions, cultivate meaningful friendships, and explore their personal calling.



NEAREST BIG CITIES AND AIRPORTS

Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport (DFW)

90 minutes by car with nonstop flights to Beijing, Dubai, Sao Paolo, Seoul, Shanghai, and many more international locations.

Austin-Bergstrom International Airport

90 minutes by car with direct flights to locations throughout North America and Europe.

George Bush Intercontinental Houston Airport

3 hours by car with nonstop flights to Beijing, Bogota, Rio de Janeiro, Taipei, and more international cities.

Highlighted Majors

HANKAMER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Baylor University's Hankamer School of Business has a visionary standard. Integrity stands shoulder-to-shoulder with analytic and strategic strengths. The School's top-ranked programs combine rigorous classroom learning, hands-on experience in the real world, a solid foundation in ethical values and a global outlook.

ELECTRICAL & COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Builds on strong general education and the technical foundations of mathematics, physics, chemistry and computer science. Many engineering students also have the opportunity to work with our faculty and other students on laboratory and research projects.

LOUISE HERRINGTON SCHOOL OF NURSING

LEARN. LEAD. SERVE.

Traditional undergraduate pre-nursing students at Baylor complete their first two years on the Baylor campus before transitioning to the Louise Herrington School of Nursing (LHSON), which is located in Dallas on the campus of Baylor University Medical Center and has more than 150 professional nursing practice sites throughout Dallas communities.



BAYLOR INSTITUTE FOR AIR SCIENCE

The degree provides a balance of aeronautical theory and application combined with an impeccable college education on a tradition-rich campus. The result is an academic experience that fully equips our students to grow into leaders in the aviation industry. The Bachelor of Science in Aviation Sciences (B.S.A.) degree is a four-year undergraduate program with multiple options so you can serve on the ground or take to the skies.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Department of Computer Science offers a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (BSCS) as well as a Bachelor of Arts (BA) in computer science. One of the strengths of the computer science program is the balance between theory and practice.

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in Best Undergraduate
Engineering Program

US News & world Report, 2020





“By interacting with the students, I give them advice, not only related to research but for their future career development. For example, I ask the students to work hard to develop a good work ethic, and to explore different things outside their research area, and to talk to different people. Not only do they need to focus on their own research interest but they should also talk to students from mechanical engineering, for example.”

Associate Professor in Electrical and Computer Engineering

Baylor University has a national reputation as a top-tier research institution

The Baylor Research and Innovation Collaborative (BRIC) provides more than

300,000

square feet of research space that allows for new discoveries with real-world applications

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Best Colleges for Business in Texas and

#51 in the US

NICHE.COM 2019)

EXAMPLE BBA BUSINESS UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

Core Curriculum – 38-50 hours

- Chapel – 2 semesters*
- Fine Arts – 5-6 hours
- Mathematics and Natural Sciences – 10 hours
- Personal Development – 2 hours
- Social Sciences – 6 hours
- English Requirements – 9 hours
- Communication Option – 3-8 hours

Major Requirement – 50 hours

- Accounting and Business Law – 9 hours
- Business – 11 hours
- Economics – 6 hours
- Finance – 3 hours
- Management Information Systems – 6 hours
- Management – 6 hours
- Marketing – 3 hours
- Quantitative Business Analysis – 6 hours

*** ABOUT CHAPEL**

All of what students do during Chapel is an important part of a Baylor education. The programs they enjoy and the sacred time they share are significant gifts to our community. They help us to remember our deeper callings and envision a greater good. They challenge and inspire us. They nurture us and help us rest for a while. Chapel is a place of learning and a place of knowing, though knowing of a different kind. There are some things that can't be known through a lecture or a lab. They are beyond that sort of calculation.

While the great majority of students will receive their two chapel credits through traditional University Chapel, some students may receive one credit in a chapel alternative. Examples of chapel alternatives include: prayer services in our residential colleges, small group experiences, theological forums, and mission trips.

Undergraduate Degrees

Baylor University gives you a **wide range of undergraduate degree options**, with 125 majors to choose from. You will progress to your chosen undergraduate degree when you complete your International Year and achieve the required grades.



87%

of students find a job or start graduate school within 90 days of graduation

From arts to business to engineering, there are many options to suit your interests and career plans.

Arts & Sciences

American Studies, BA
 Anthropology, BA
 Anthropology, BS
 Applied Mathematics, BS
 Arabic and Middle East Studies, BA
 Art History, BA
 Asian Studies, BA
 Astronomy, BA
 Astronomy, BS
 Astrophysics, BA
 Astrophysics, BS
 Aviation Administration, BSAVSc
 Aviation Sciences, BSAVSc
 Biochemistry, BA
 Biochemistry, BS
 Biology, BA
 Biology, BS
 Chemistry, BA
 Chemistry, BS
 Classics, BA
 Clinical Laboratory Science, BS
 Communication Specialist, BA
 Communication, BA
 Computer Science, BA
 Earth Science, BA
 Economics, BA
 Economics, BS
 English, BA
 Environmental Health Science, BS
 Environmental Science, BS
 Environmental Studies, BA
 Film and Digital Media, BA
 French, BA
 Geology, BS
 Geophysics, BS
 German, BA
 Great Texts of the Western Tradition, BA
 Greek, BA
 Greek & Roman Studies, BA
 History, BA
 International Studies, BA
 Journalism, BA
 Linguistics, BA
 Latin American Studies, BA
 Latin, BA
 Mathematics, BA
 Mathematics, BS
 Medical Humanities, BA
 Music, BA
 Neuroscience, BS
 Philosophy, BA

Physics, BA
 Physics, BS
 Political Science, BA
 Professional Writing and Rhetoric, BA
 Psychology, BA
 Psychology, BS
 Religion, BA
 Russian, BA
 Science Research Fellows, BS
 Slavic & East European Studies, BA
 Sociology, BA
 Spanish, BA
 Statistics, BS
 Studio Art, BA
 Studio Art, BFA
 Theatre Arts, BA
 Theatre Design and Technology, BFA
 Theatre Performance, BFA
 Theatre Studies, BFA
 University Scholar, BA

Business

Accounting, BBA
 Basic Business, BBA
 Baylor Business Fellows, BBA
 Business for Secondary Education, BBA
 Economics, BBA
 Entrepreneurship and Corporate Innovation, BBA
 Finance, BBA
 Human Resource Management, BBA
 International Business, BBA
 Management Information Systems, BBA
 Management, BBA
 Marketing, BBA
 Professional Selling, BBA
 Risk Management & Insurance, BBA
 Supply Chain Management, BBA

Education

Elementary Education: PreK-6, BSEd
 English Lang Arts Reading, Middle Grades, BSEd
 English Lang Arts Reading, Secondary, BSEd
 Life Sciences, Secondary, BSEd
 Mathematics, Middle Grades, BSEd
 Mathematics, Secondary, BSEd
 Physical Sciences, Secondary, BSEd
 Science, Middle Grades, BSEd
 Social Studies, Middle Grades, BSEd
 Social Studies, Secondary, BSEd
 Spanish All-Level, BSEd
 Special Education All-Level, BSEd

Engineering & Computer Science

Bioinformatics, BSI
 Computer Science Fellows, BSC
 Computer Science, BSCS
 Electrical & Comp Engineering, BSECE
 Engineering, BSE
 Mechanical Engineering, BSME

Health & Human Services

Apparel Design & Product Development, BSFCS
 Apparel Merchandising, BSFCS
 Child and Family Studies, BSFCS
 Communication Sciences and Disorders, BA
 Exercise Physiology, BSEd
 General Family & Consumer Science, BSFCS
 Health Science Studies, BSEd
 Health, Kinesiology, and Leisure Studies, BSEd
 Interior Design, BSFCS
 Nutrition Sciences, BS
 Nutrition Sciences, BSFCS
 Physical Education All-Level, BSEd
 Public Health, BSPH
 Recreation and Leisure Services, BSEd

Music

Applied Music, BM
 Choral Music, BMED
 Church Music, BM
 Instrumental Studies, BMED
 Music Composition, BM
 Music History & Literature, BM
 Music Theory, BM
 Piano Pedagogy, BM

Nursing

Nursing, BSN

Social Work

Social Work, BSW

Baylor International Study Center

The International Study Center (ISC) **supports high-achieving international students** who want to pursue a degree at Baylor University. Our pathway programs prepare you for the challenges of a Baylor education.

THE BEST START

The ISC creates a supportive environment that helps you adjust to life in America and meet the high expectations at Baylor. With our help, you'll rise to your full potential and make a smooth transition to your mainstream undergraduate studies.

THE RIGHT PREPARATION

Our experienced staff prepare ambitious international students like you for educational excellence at Baylor. You'll develop the academic knowledge and English language skills you need to thrive, and you'll experience the same teaching styles as domestic students.

ISC FACILITIES

Our classrooms are equipped with the latest learning technology. You will have all the resources you need to excel, such as quiet study areas, group workspaces, modern research facilities and a well-stocked library.

PART OF THE COMMUNITY

You will be part of the Baylor community from the start. The ISC is located on campus, so it's easy to meet other students from America and across the world. You'll receive full support from the ISC staff and international community.



Learn alongside American and other international students.

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in First-Year Experiences

US News & World reports, 2020

International Year

Gain the academic knowledge, English language proficiency and essential study skills you need to **thrive at Baylor University**. At the ISC, you'll study a broad range of subjects that prepare you for success in your chosen degree.

YOUR PATHWAY TO EXCELLENCE

The International Year is equivalent to your first year of undergraduate study at Baylor University. Programs are delivered over two or three semesters, depending on your level of English language.

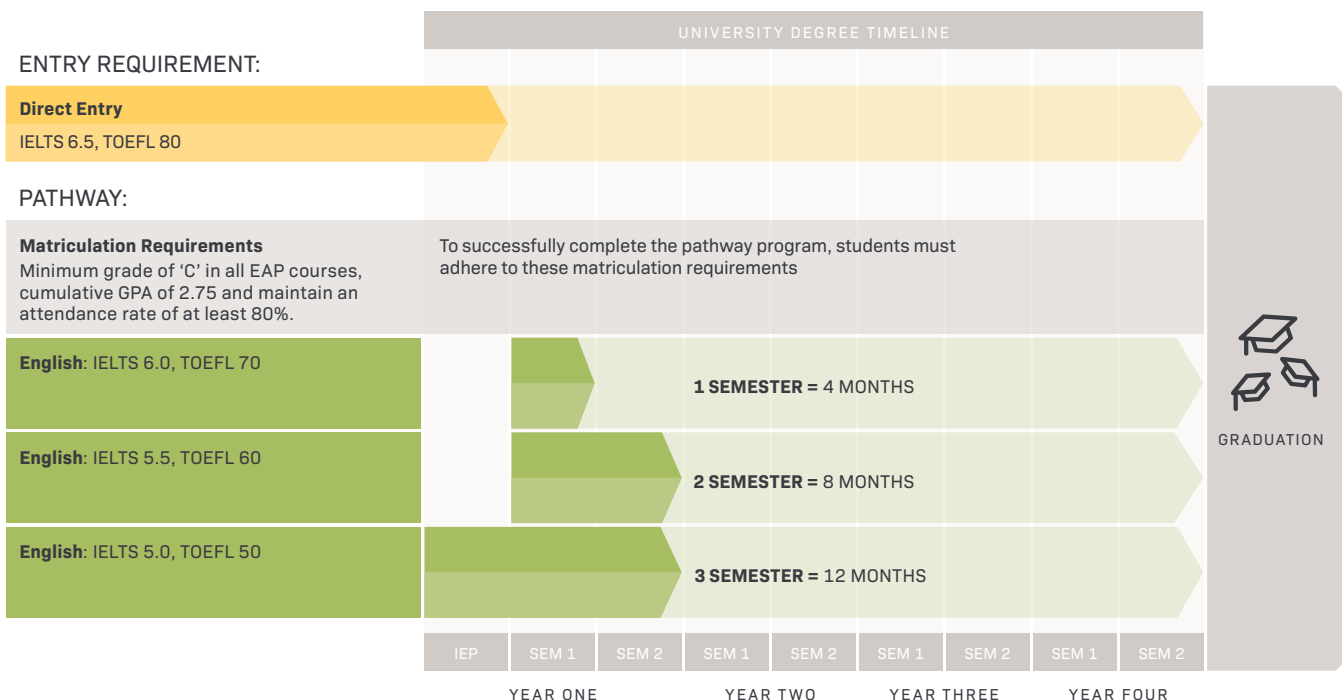
INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM (IEP)

Our IEP courses teach you the English language and academic study skills you need to succeed in your degree. You'll also study critical thinking and learn about university life at Baylor and in America.

DIRECT ADMISSION

Exceptional students with a high level of English language and academic knowledge can apply for direct entry to Baylor University. Our experienced staff can help with your application.

STUDY PLAN OPTIONS



During our International Year, you will study a combination of Intensive English Program (IEP) courses and academic content courses. Below is a sample list of the courses you may take in the different pathway programs.

GGP PROGRAM OF STUDIES SAMPLE CURRICULUM*

	3 Semester Program (IY3/IEP) - 5.0	2 Semester Program (IY2) - 5.5	1 Semester Program (IY1) - 6.0	
	GBL 0412 Writing I (4 cr.)	GBL 0421 Reading & Writing II (4 cr.)	GBL 0431 Reading & Writing III (4 cr.)	
	GBL 0413 Listening/Speaking (4 cr.)	GBL 0423 Listening/Speaking II (4 cr.)	GBL 0433 Listening/Speaking III (4 cr.)	
	GBL 0411 Reading I (4 cr.)	GBL 0424 Grammar II (4 cr.)		
	GBL 0414 Grammar I (4 cr.)			
BU	GBL 1105 Transition to the U.S. University System I (1 cr.)	GBL 1205 Transition to the U.S. University System II (2 cr.)	GBL 1305 Transition to the U.S. University System III (3 cr.)	
		MTH 1320 Pre calculus (3 cr.)	FAS 1311 Modern Languages, Cultures and Global Communities - 3 cr. (all) MTH 1320 or 1321 (3 cr.)	
	Entry at 3 Semester Program	POTENTIAL CREDITS		23 credits
		Entry at 2 Semester Program	POTENTIAL CREDITS	22 credits
	Conditional EAP Courses - depending on student's		Entry at 2 Semester Program	POTENTIAL CREDITS
				13 credits

*This is a sample program of studies and may be subject to change, and/or may be modified, depending on student's performance, English proficiency, and academic background.

BAYLOR COURSES OFFERED TO-DATE

- MTH 1320 Pre calculus (3 cr.)
- MTH 1309 Calculus for Business Students (3 cr.)
- MTH 1321 Calculus I (3 cr.)
- HISTORY 1307 (3 cr.)
- GBL 1305 Transition to the U.S. University System (3 cr.)
- FAS 1305 Modern Languages, Cultures, and Global Communities (3 cr.)
- Life Fitness Courses - <https://www.coursicle.com/baylor/courses/LF/>
- BUSINESS MAJOR OPTIONS
- BUS 1201, BUS 1305
- ECO 2306, ECO 2307 (require 3.0 to register)

Study English language and academic courses that count toward your degree

Life as a Baylor Bear

Our beautiful campus is at the heart of student life. All students are known as 'Baylor Bears,' and you'll be part of this **caring and active community** from the day you arrive.

LIVING ON CAMPUS

All first-year students live in residence halls on campus for one academic year. This helps you to settle in, meet other students, and become an active member of the community. Dining halls, classrooms, libraries and other facilities are located on-site. Some Baylor faculty also live on campus, providing a high level of academic, spiritual and emotional support.



Participating in **19** sports, Baylor student athletes compete at the highest level, consistently ranking among the Big 12's and nation's best in 19 sports.

3-Time National Champions

The Baylor women's basketball team won the program's **third NCAA championship in 2019**. Baylor's women's basketball program has won the **third most national championships** among all U.S. universities in the USA.

The McLane Stadium is a **\$266 million facility** that is not just home to Baylor Bears football. It's also the location for **world-class entertainment** events and other activities.



McLane Stadium is a **state-of-the-art multi-functional facility** that will host world class music, family and sporting events throughout the year in ad

BAYLOR TRADITIONS

Baylor is known for its strong school spirit and traditions. These bring everyone together to celebrate the University’s heritage. Annual highlights include the Baylor Line tradition, the Homecoming parade and the Day of the Bear festivities.

ACTIVE STUDENT LIFE

There are more than 330 clubs and organizations to be part of at Baylor, from rock climbing, rowing and theatre, to academic clubs, faith groups, and sorority and fraternity life.

SPORTS SUCCESS

Baylor’s fantastic sports facilities include a riverside stadium, a golf facility, indoor tennis courts, and an equestrian center. The University’s 19 varsity sports teams are an important part of community life – they compete at the highest level (NCAA Division 1) and are cheered on by the rest of the Baylor Bears.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

Baylor University has its own police department on campus. This helps students, professors, and faculty stay safe and secure, whether they study, work, or live on campus.

BU Campus Guardian - Mobile safety app to stay in touch with friends and emergency services on campus.

Emergency Call Boxes - 210 call boxes and emergency telephones across campus.

Video Surveillance and Monitoring- More than 800 cameras on campus monitored and recorded 24-hours a day.

Baylor Police Department & Waco Police Department- Baylor has their own police and emergency personnel located on campus with Waco Police Department within 1 mile of campus.

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national and local sororities and fraternities

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Ranked Nationally in Athletic Success in 2018 2019, CBS Sports

How to Apply

If you would like to apply to study at Baylor University, you need to complete an application form and submit the relevant documentation.

We will answer your questions and help with your application. We speak a variety of languages and understand several more. We will do our best to contact you in your preferred language.

Apply online isc.baylor.edu

Join our social media community

 [@BaylorISC](https://www.facebook.com/BaylorISC)



This brochure is issued for the general guidance of students considering entry to Baylor University in 2020.

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Baylor University International Study Center is part of Study Group, a global leader in preparing students for international academic success and rewarding careers through a life-changing learning experience.

To learn more, please visit studygroup.com

