

THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

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February 2020 Counselor Updates



FAFSA PRIORITY DATE APPROACHING ON MARCH 1

The University of Arizona's priority filing date to submit the FAFSA is March 1, 2020. Students are not required to apply by the priority filing date, but it is highly recommended due to the limited availability of need-based funds such as grants and Federal Work Study. Priority filing dates do not affect eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant or Federal Direct Loans or many merit scholarships.

ARIZONA ARTS, HUMANITIES RANKED 11TH AMONG U.S. PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

The University of Arizona is one of the world's top institutions for arts and humanities studies. According to Times Higher Education, the university ranks No. 11 among U.S. public institutions and No. 80 out of 536 colleges and universities worldwide. "Our tradition of excellence in the arts and humanities is one of the foundational elements in our strategic plan," said University of Arizona President Robert C. Robbins. "I am proud that these rankings reflect our commitment to fostering a culture of creativity and humanistic scholarship." [Learn More about the rankings](#)

ARIZONA COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE RECEIVES AMERICAN VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION APPROVAL

The University of Arizona recently received approval from the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) to open the state of Arizona's first public College of Veterinary Medicine. The Letter of Reasonable Assurance, granted by the AVMA Council on Education, or COE, affirms the results of the COE site visit in May. New veterinary schools are evaluated regularly and are eligible for full accreditation after the graduation of their first class of students. [Read the full story here.](#)

MEET OUR TEAM

Name: Emily Martinez

Title: Regional Recruiter, Midwest

Where she recruits: Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Missouri, and Ohio

Favorite thing about Arizona: Coming from the Midwest, obviously the weather, with all of the sunshine, is nice, but my favorite thing about the University of Arizona is the well-rounded experience available to students. The rigor and support of the academic programs to help students advance their careers with powerful outcomes, and the friendships they develop in the process makes the University of Arizona the best institution I've ever worked for!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Arizona Experience

Designed for prospective undergraduate students and their families, students will learn more about Arizona academics, financial aid, student services, housing, and more! Students will also meet current students, hear from our academic colleges, make valuable campus connections, and enjoy lunch on us.

[Saturday, February 22](#)

[Saturday, March 21](#)

[Saturday, April 25](#) - HS Junior Focus

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Admitted Student Day

Admitted Student Day is all about welcoming students and families to the University of Arizona and making sure they're #WildcatReady. It is the perfect chance to test out everything Wildcat Life has to offer, get to know the Wildcat family and experience a new home away from home!

Please note: This optional opportunity to visit campus does not replace the mandatory New Student Orientation.

[Register Here](#)

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