



# Welcome to California

International Student  
Admission 2021-2022

University of  
**La Verne**



# An Inclusive Campus

The moment you arrive, you will know that you have found a home.

Nearly half of our students are the first in their families to attend college, and our student body reflects Southern California's vibrant cultural diversity. You will find advisors who stick with you and professors who know your name, all here to make sure you have the support you need to thrive inside and outside of the classroom.

## Quick Facts

**1891**

Year founded

**16**

Average class size

**2482**

Traditional undergraduate students

**55+**

Student clubs & organizations

**14 to 1**

Student-to-faculty ratio

**3.57**

Average admitted GPA

**45**

Countries represented

**27**

Hectares on campus to explore

**16**

NCAA National Championships

### **NCAA Division III Athletics:**

Baseball (M)  
Basketball (M,W)  
Cross Country (M,W)  
Football (M)  
Golf (M,W)  
Soccer (M,W)  
Softball (W)  
Swimming & Diving (M,W)  
Track & Field (M,W)  
Volleyball (W)  
Water Polo (M,W)



### **Tuition & Fees**

(2021-22)

#### **Tuition**

\$44,700

#### **Health Insurance**

\$830

#### **Student Activity Fee**

\$320

#### **Housing & Meal Plan**

\$13,790

Actual cost may vary depending on room occupancy and meal plan.



# A Top-Tier Education

Whether you already have a career in mind or you are still figuring it all out, the University of La Verne offers more than 40 undergraduate majors and minors for you to customize an education that meets your future goals. Here, your professors will know you by name, not your student ID number. Small class sizes lead to a more engaging classroom experience and give faculty more time to advise students.

## Undergraduate Academic Programs

### Behavioral Sciences

- Anthropology\*
- Criminology\*
- Ethnic Studies (minor only)
- Forensic Investigation and Identification (minor only)
- Psychology\*
- Sociology\*

### Business

- Accounting
- Business Administration\*
- Business Management (minor only)
- Economics\*
- International Business & Language
- Marketing (minor only)

### Communications

- Communications
- Digital Media
- Journalism

### Computer Science

- Computer Science
- E-Commerce
- Information Science (minor only)
- Information Technology
- Internet Programming (minor only)
- Software (minor only)

### Education

- Child Development\*\*^
- Educational Studies\*\*^

### Fine Arts

- Art History\*
- Music\*
- Photography\*
- Studio Art\*
- Theatre Arts\*

### Humanities

- Creative Writing\*
- English\*
- Interfaith Studies (minor only)
- Philosophy\*
- Religion\*
- Religion & Philosophy

### Interdisciplinary Programs

- Black Studies (minor only)
- Gender Studies (minor only)
- International Studies\*
- Latinx and Latin American Studies (minor only)
- Liberal Arts
- Rhetoric and Communication Studies\*
- Social Science
- Sustainability (minor only)

### Legal Studies

- American Law (minor only)
- Legal Studies
- Pre-Law Program

### Modern Languages

- French\*
- Japanese (minor only)
- Spanish\*

### Kinesiology

- Kinesiology\*

### Natural Science

- Biology\*
- Chemistry\*
- Mathematics\*
- Natural History
- Physics\*
- Pre-Health Programs

### Social Science

- History\*
- Political Science\*
- Public History (minor only)

\*Also available as a minor    ^Also offered as a bachelor's degree + credential program

## Examples of International Schools Represented at University of La Verne

- Almaty International School (Kazakhstan)
- American International School Dhaka (Bangladesh)
- American School Doha (Qatar)
- American School Foundation Mexico City (Mexico)
- Cairo American College (Egypt)
- Hangzhou International School (China)
- International School Manila (Philippines)
- Saigon South International School (Vietnam)
- Singapore American School (Singapore)
- The American School in Muscat (Oman)
- The American School of Asuncion (Paraguay)
- Yangon International School (Myanmar)



# Scholarships

The University of La Verne offers competitive merit scholarships to all qualified international undergraduate applicants. There is no separate application process. All applicants are considered upon review of a completed and timely submitted application. Scholarships are automatically renewed for all students in good academic standing with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

## Freshman Scholarships

We award scholarships based on a combination of cumulative GPA and test scores. Multiple test scores may be submitted, but only one test score is required for your application. A student may only receive one scholarship. All awards listed are annual amounts.

Test Scores	3.00 GPA	3.25 GPA	3.50 GPA	3.75 GPA
950-1160 SAT, 18 ACT, 85 TOEFL, 7.0 IELTS, 110 DET	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$12,000	\$12,000
1100-1170 SAT, 22 ACT, 90 TOEFL, 7.0 IELTS, 115 DET	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$17,000	\$17,000
1180-1240 SAT, 24 ACT, 95 TOEFL, 7.5 IELTS, 120 DET	\$12,000	\$17,000	\$25,000	\$25,000
1250+ SAT, 26+ ACT, 100+ TOEFL, 8.0+ IELTS, 125+ DET	\$12,000	\$17,000	\$25,000	\$30,000

## ELS Scholarship

Applicants who have completed ELS Language Center's level 112.	\$5,000 Annual Amount
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## Transfer Scholarships

### International Trustee's Scholarship (\$17,000 Annual Amount)

Applicants who have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.50+ in university coursework.

### International Founder's Scholarship (\$15,000 Annual Amount)

Applicants who have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.21-3.49 in university coursework.

### International Leo's Scholarship (\$7,000 Annual Amount)

Applicants who have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.00-3.20 in university coursework.

## Applying for Financial Aid

U.S. citizens and permanent residents are encouraged to apply for financial aid. International students are not eligible for financial aid.

All applicants seeking need-based financial aid must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at [studentaid.gov](http://studentaid.gov).

**1 October** is the opening day to begin filing the FAFSA. (La Verne's FAFSA code: 001216)





## Priority Application Deadlines

### Freshmen

Fall Semester (Aug.):

1 February

Spring Semester (Feb.):

1 December

### Transfers

Fall Semester (Aug.):

1 April

Spring Semester (Feb.):

1 December

The University of La Verne is on rolling admission. Applications received after the priority deadline will continue to be accepted as space permits.



## Application Materials:

Application materials can be uploaded directly through the application portal or emailed to [admission@laverne.edu](mailto:admission@laverne.edu).

# Application Checklist

## STEP 1

### Application for Admission

- Visit [univ.lv/application](http://univ.lv/application) to apply.

## STEP 2

### Application Fee

- Submit a \$50 application fee.

## STEP 3

### Personal Statement

- Tell us something about yourself. Make sure to proofread! The word count for the essay is 250 words minimum.

## STEP 4

### Transcripts

- Submit your transcripts to the Office of Admission. We will accept unofficial transcripts in PDF for admission consideration, but we will need final official transcripts directly from your school once you graduate.

## STEP 5

### Letter of Recommendation

- Have a teacher, academic counselor, supervisor, etc., write us a letter about your work ethic and character. You can upload your letter or send an invitation directly to your recommender through the application portal.

## STEP 6

### Test Scores

- If you are applying for freshman admission, please submit official test scores from one of the below exams.
- The La Verne identification code for the SAT is **4381**. A minimum score of 460 on the evidence-based reading and writing section of the SAT is required.
- The La Verne identification code for the ACT is **0295**. A minimum score of 19 on the English section of the ACT is required.
- The La Verne identification code for the TOEFL is **4381**. A minimum score of 80 with acceptable bandwidth scores is required.
- A minimum score of 6.5 on the IELTS with acceptable bandwidth scores is required.
- A minimum score of 105 on the Duolingo English Test is required.

For more details on testing, please visit the English proficiency section of the international admission website.

**Please note:** Test scores may be submitted as part of the transcript. We will accept unofficial test scores for admission consideration, but we will need final official test scores for scholarship consideration.





# So Much More to Explore

Live and study at the edge of one of the most vibrant metropolises in the world. After class, you can explore the diverse neighborhoods, natural wonders, cultural landmarks, and recreational spaces of greater Los Angeles. It's all just a short car, bus, or train ride away.

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an event, or register for an appointment  
with an admissions counselor.