Applying

**Freshman**
Early Action (Non-Binding)
November 1
Notification on or around January 20

**Regular Decision**
February 1
Notification on or around April 1

Create your personal web portal and receive periodic mailings, register for a campus tour and apply.

sealevel.uncw.edu

“Top 10 public regional master’s universities in the south.”

– U.S. News & World Report
Total Enrollment

14,918

Undergraduate  Graduate
13,218  1,700

Number of Applicants 12,500

Freshman Class

Fall .......................................................................................... 2,200
First-year Spring Admits ..................................................... 200
Female .................................................................................... 62%
Male ..................................................................................... 38%
Minority ............................................................................... 18%

Freshman Averages

- Middle 50% GPA: 3.80-4.43 (weighted)
- Middle 50% ACT composite: 24-28
- Middle 50% Old SAT: 1130-1250
  (math & critical reading only)
- Middle 50% New SAT: 1200-1310

UNCW will continue to “superscore” within the same SAT test version. We will accept old and new SAT scores and will convert them within our system.

Minimum Course Requirements
(Set by the UNC Board of Governors)

- 4 course units in English
- 4 course units in mathematics
  (one for which Algebra II is a prerequisite)
- 2 course units in the same foreign language
- 3 course units in science
  (one must be a life or biological science, one a physical science and one additional science; at least one of these courses must include a lab)
- 2 course units in social studies
  (one must be U.S. history)
Visit our campus...
Visiting campus continues to be the best way to get to know any institution you are considering. Register for a daily tour and information session offered Monday – Friday and some Saturdays. 

uncw.edu/admissions/visit

Visit Day Programs
Seahawk Saturday - October 1
(for high school seniors)
Seahawk Preview Day - April 1
(for accepted students)
Just Juniors - February 24 & March 17
(for high school juniors)

Residence Life
UNCW requires all fall freshmen reside on campus their first academic year. Research shows they make a smoother transition to collegiate life, achieve high grade point averages, develop strong friendships and a love of place and graduate at higher rates. For more information visit

uncw.edu/housing

“Best Value in public education.”

– Kiplinger
Financial Aid, Scholarships and Merit Awards

Applying for Aid
To receive financial aid, all eligible students must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). It is available Oct. 1 at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) for students to complete for the new academic year. You must re-apply each year you are in school.

UNCW has a priority filing date of March 1. The earlier you apply, the greater your chances for receiving grant dollars, if you are eligible. UNCW’s school code is 002984.

UNCW Scholarships
The UNCW scholarship process includes a number of awarding entities throughout the university, including the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid, academic departments, the alumni association and others. Some awarding entities use the scholarship application located on the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid website: [uncw.edu/finaid](http://uncw.edu/finaid). You must be a newly admitted or current student to access the scholarship application.

Freshman Merit Awards
UNCW offers a limited number of merit-based scholarships to entering freshmen, independent of the scholarship application. These decisions are made using the content of the application for admission.

### Expenses 2016-17

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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
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*estimated cost

Note: The above figures are estimates and are subject to change. Total cost of attendance is calculated to help students anticipate their costs and to determine eligibility for financial aid. Some students will spend more than the typical amounts, others less, depending on individual lifestyles and circumstances. Eligibility for financial aid is based not on individual preferences and spending habits, but instead on standard budget allowances.
Involvement Opportunities
uncw.edu/studentorgs
UNCW offers more than 260 student organizations, intramurals and a variety of other activities. Club sports include: crew, ice hockey, lacrosse, riding, rugby, sailing, surfing, Ultimate Frisbee, wakeboarding, waterskiing and more.

Honors College
uncw.edu/honors
The Honors College provides students with a strong learning community focused on achievement. More than 700 gifted and goal-oriented scholars in the Honors College receive multiple benefits and resources to take their education further, faster.

Career Center
uncw.edu/careercenter
Through assessments, interviews and other experiential opportunities, students expand their knowledge of themselves and the world of work in a dynamic global community. Resources include one-on-one counseling, resume clinics, interview workshops, job and internship fairs and a database of more than 5 million U.S. employers.

Faculty
The faculty culture emphasizes teaching and mentoring, incorporating research as an important component of the student learning experience. A full 86 percent of faculty members have earned a Ph.D. or the highest degree in their field.
Athletics: NCAA Division I
uncw.edu/athletics

Baseball (M)
Basketball (M & W)
Cross Country (M & W)
Golf (M & W)
Soccer (M & W)
Softball (W)
Swimming & Diving (M & W)
Tennis (M & W)
Track and Field (M & W)
Volleyball (W)
Beach Volleyball (W)

Fitness and Recreation
UNCW offers a variety of wellness opportunities including a recreation center with cardiovascular conditioning machines, free weights and weight machines. It includes sports courts, an indoor track, pools, group exercise studios and a climbing wall. UNCW offers intramurals, sport clubs, recreation fields and adventure programs such as camping, surfing and kayaking. For more information visit uncw.edu/campusrec
College of Arts and Sciences
uncw.edu/cas
Anthropology*
Art*
Art History*
Biology*
Chemistry*
Communication Studies
Computer Science*
Creative Writing*
Criminal Justice
Criminology*
English*
Environmental Sciences*
Environmental Studies*
Film Studies
French*
Geography*
Geology*
Geosciences
German Studies*
History*
Information Technology*
International Studies*
Marine Biology
Mathematics*
Music*
Music Education
Music Performance
Oceanography*
Philosophy & Religion*
Physics*
Political Science*
Psychology*
Sociology*
Spanish*
Statistics*
Studio Art*
Theatre*

College of Health & Human Services
uncw.edu/chhs

School of Health & Applied Sciences
uncw.edu/chhs

Athletic Training
Exercise Science
Parks & Recreation
Physical Education
Public Health Studies
Recreation, Sport Leadership & Tourism Management*
Recreation Therapy*

School of Nursing
Professional Nursing
RN to BSN (online accelerated program)
Clinical Research

School of Social Work
Social Work

Cameron School of Business
uncw.edu/csb
Accountancy
Economics* (BA/BS)
Entrepreneurship & Business Development
Finance
General Business
Human Resource Management
Information Technology
Information Systems
International Business
Management & Leadership
Marketing
Professional Selling
Marketing Strategy
Operations Management

Watson College of Education
uncw.edu/ed
Education of Young Children
Elementary Education
Middle Grades Education
Secondary Education
Anthropology
Biology
Chemistry
English
French
Geology
Geosciences
History
Mathematics
Music
Physical Education
Political Science
Science
Sociology
Spanish
Special Subjects
Special Education

Additional Minors
African Studies
American Studies
Applied Behavior Analysis
Asian Studies
Brazil and Portuguese Studies
Campaign Management
Choral Music
Classical Studies
Community Health
Digital Arts

Educational Studies
English as a Second Language
Entrepreneurship & Innovation
Environmental Studies
European Studies
Forensic Science
Geospatial Technologies
German
Gerontology
Health
International Affairs
International Studies
Japanese
Jazz Studies
Journalism
Latin American Studies
Leadership Studies
Middle East & Islamic Studies
Middle East Studies
Native American Studies
Neuroscience
Nonprofit Mgt. & Leadership
Poetry
Physical Oceanography
Postcolonial Studies
Public Administration
Russian Studies
Science, Humanities & Society
Security Studies
Sustainability
Women's & Gender Studies

Pre-Professional Programs
uncw.edu/preprofessional
Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law*
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Occupational Therapy
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Physician Assistant
Pre-Podiatry
Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Note: These are not official majors. Students can, however, meet pre-requisites for admission to these professional schools as undergraduates in any UNCW major.

Onslow Extension Site
uncw.edu/onslow
Business Administration
Clinical Research (online)
Criminology
Elementary Education (online)
Elementary Education - Teacher Licensure (online)
Social Work

Graduate School
uncw.edu/gradschool
D.N.P. Doctor of Nursing Practice
Ed.D. Educational Leadership
Ph.D. Marine Biology
Ph.D. Psychology
M.S.A.C. Accountancy
M.S. Biology
M.B.A. Business Administration - International & Professional
M.S. Chemistry
M.S. Clinical Research & Product Development
M.S. Coastal and Ocean Policy
M.S. Computer Science & Information Systems
M.A. Conflict Management & Resolution
M.F.A. Creative Writing
M.A.T. Education – Specialization Options
M.Ed. Education – Specialization Options
M.A. English
M.S. Environmental Studies
M.F.A. Filmmaking
M.S. Geoscience
M.S. Gerontology
M.A. History
M.S. Instructional Technology
M.A. Liberal Studies
M.S. Marine Biology
M.S. Marine Science
M.S. Mathematics
M.S.N. Nursing
M.A. Psychology
M.P.A. Public Administration
M.S.A. School Administration
M.S.W. Social Work
M.A. Sociology & Criminology
M.A. Spanish

*Major and Minor offerings