Standards fit for a HOOSIER

STEPS TO APPLY
Online Application ($65 Fee)
Official Academic Records
SAT/ACT Scores
Demonstration of English Proficiency (IBT 79, IELTS 6.5)
Proof of funding

AVERAGE TEST SCORES

SAT 1190-1350
ACT 24-28
GPA 3.5-4.0
Quiz time! Name that acronym.

WASSCE
HKDSE
IGCSE
NCEA
ICSE
CIE
IB
The results are in ...

**WASSCE** = Western African Senior School Certificate

**IGCSE** = Int’l General Certificate of Secondary Education

**NCEA** = New Zealand Certificate of Educational Achievement

**ICSE** = Indian Certificate of Secondary Education

**CIE** = Cambridge Int’l Examinations

**IB** = International Baccalaureate
Many systems abroad are exam based, meaning their “final” grades are an exam for 1-2 year’s worth of work.

Grade inflation is not as common.

In some countries it is next to impossible to get the equivalent of a U.S. “A”

Some countries have a 3 year HS system

We can’t always give a GPA
More Tests

SAT or ACT

• **Required**
• There are countries that don’t offer it (China)
• SAT fees: $43 + Non US Regional Fee ($35-53)
  • With Essay +$10.50
• ACT fees: $39.50
  • With Writing +$17

English Proficiency

• **Required** – multiple options to meet standard
  • SAT Critical Reading 500+
  • ACT English 21+
  • TOEFL 79+
    Test of English as a Foreign Language
  • IELTS 6.6+
    International English Language Testing System
Test Centers for June 2016 SAT

3 test centers

4 centers total
Freshman by the numbers

Fall 2016 Freshman

Applications: 5,161 (17,733 & 11,544) – 15%
Admits: 2,890 (15,220 & 8,228) – 11%
Mean SAT/ACT: 1247 (1289 & 1204)

International – Non Resident – Indiana Resident
Freshman by location

Top 3 Countries:
  China
  India
  South Korea

93 countries with apps
65 countries with admits
Open Doors, 2015: Indiana

- 28,104 international students within the state (#10 in the US)
  10,230 – Purdue
  2,197 – IUPUI
  7,009 – IU
  2,197 – IUPUI
  1,191 – Notre Dame
  1,217 – ISA

- $919,218,608 – estimated $$$ spent in the state by international students

- Source: www.iie.org/opendoors
 PRIMARY SOURCE OF FUNDING FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN THE U.S.

- personal & family: 64%
- U.S. college or university: 21%
- foreign government or university: 8%

$30.8 billion was contributed to the U.S. economy by international students in 2014/15. (Source: U.S. Department of Commerce)

THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (IIE) has conducted an annual census of international students in the U.S. since its founding in 1919. Known as the Open Doors Report since 1954, and supported by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Department of State since 1972, the report provides detailed data on student flows into and out of the U.S. Visit us online at: http://www.iie.org/opendoors.
Journey After Admission

- Sent an I-20 by OIS
  - Switching majors isn’t straightforward …
- Pay SEVIS (Student & Exchange Visitor Information System) fee $200
- Schedule a visa interview at US Embassy or Consulate
- Fly to the US (but only up to 30 days before start date on I-20) & present immigration docs to US Customs & Border Protection
Welcome to the US, now we need to take some blood

Must be in Bloomington by August 7th

IEPE – Indiana English Proficiency Exam
4 hours

TB Testing ($60)

Jet lag & Culture Shock
Other Hurdles

Working – only on campus

Off campus employment or internships require authorization

Must be full time (12 credits)

Getting a driver’s license & SSN

Banks & int’l wire transfers

Leaving the country & re-entering

IU Breaks – housing

Only seeing your family 1-2 times in a year
STUDENT SPOTLIGHT Lucia

- Double Major – Economics & Theatre
- Internships: Paralegal, Assurance, & Marketing
- International Student Ambassador
- Pursuing an MFA at Columbia (NYC)
International Alumni

Alumni Association with
48 International Chapters
across the globe

Ranveer Singh
Bollywood Star

Michael D. Higgins
President of Ireland

Vincent Mo
Billionaire & founder of SouFun Holdings
Questions? Let's chat with the experts!
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