TAKE FLIGHT
UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS VIEWBOOK

Discover what’s Central to you.
DEAR FUTURE EAGLES!

It’s a great day to be an Eagle at North Carolina Central University.

You will find an appreciation for our rich history, on our sloping hills and verdant green campus, innovative academic offerings, and engaging student life. We want the opportunity to help you explore NCCU, achieve your scholastic and career goals, and take advantage of meeting and collaborating with other phenomenal students and scholars.

- The 2019 rankings of Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) by U.S. News & World Report placed NCCU among the nation’s top 10 HBCUs and second-highest among those in North Carolina.

- NCCU is among the nation’s top 10 Historically Black Colleges and Universities and is the top-ranked HBCU in North Carolina – College Consensus (2018).

- NCCU Online is among North Carolina’s top 20 most affordable online higher education options for 2018 – SR Education Group (2018).

- NCCU Online ranked No. 12 among North Carolina universities for online education – College Choice (2017).

When you join our campus community you will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of academic, civic and research opportunities. Take a look through our viewbook to read more about the amazing campus connections that await you!

Discover What’s Central To You at North Carolina Central University!

In Truth and Service,

Dr. Monica Terrell Leach
Senior Associate Vice Chancellor for Enrollment Management and Academic Affairs

Discover what’s Central to you.
Founded in 1910, North Carolina Central University remains committed to diversity in and access to higher education. NCCU prepares students to succeed in the global marketplace. Consistently ranked as a top Historically Black College or University, NCCU offers flagship programs in the sciences, education, law, business, nursing and the arts. Our alumni excel in a wide variety of academic and professional fields. Visit us at www.nccu.edu.
COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

- The Biomanufacturing Research Institute and Technology Enterprise (BRITE) and the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences are ranked #1 among STEM programs at HBCUs (HBCU Digest 2016).
- World-renowned jazz artist Branford Marsalis is an artist-in-residence in the College of Arts and Sciences’ Department of Music’s Jazz Studies program.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

- The School of Business is accredited by Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) with four majors: Accounting, Business Administration (Entrepreneurship, Financial Analytics, Human Resources, Marketing, and Management), Computer Science and Business and Hospitality and Tourism Administration.
- Hospitality and Tourism Administration is one of the only accredited hospitality and tourism programs in North Carolina under the ACPHA accrediting body.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

- College Choice just released new ranking, the Most Affordable Online Master’s In Educational Counseling. North Carolina Central University made the list at #4.
- The Curriculum and Instruction Department is implementing the Teacher Assistant to Teacher Professional Program (TA2TP).

SCHOOL OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCES

- The School of Library and Information Sciences offers a joint JD/MLS degree in law and librarianship with the NCCU School of Law and a joint MBA/MIS degree in conjunction with the NCCU School of Business.

COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Through the Endzone Initiative; the College of Behavioral and Social Sciences is offering a new Bachelor of Science degree in Behavioral and Social Sciences aimed at helping returning students complete their undergraduate degrees.
- The Juvenile Justice Institute, located within the department of Criminal Justice, helps policy makers and practitioners make well informed policy and program decisions and works to reduce rates of juvenile crime and improve the juvenile justice system.
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

- Academic Success and Enrichment Services (ASES) utilizes an intrusive, approach to enhance academic performance through academic resources; including tutoring, academic coaching, the writing studio, and the Aspiring Eagles Academy.
- Academic Advisors provide academic advisement to University College students, through one-on-one mentoring, workshops, and presentations at least two times each semester.
- UNIV 1100 First Year Seminar instructors and undergraduate teaching fellows assist students in developing necessary self-care skills for successful adjustment to college.

SCHOOL OF LAW

- The Virtual Justice Project provides legal aid services not otherwise available to individuals with low-income by strategically placing video-conferencing technology in locations accessible to rural, impoverished communities.
- The School of Law and the Department of Biological and Biomedical Science and Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry have collaborated to create a 3+3 program that allows students to complete their undergraduate and law school degrees in six years.
Your career is more than a paycheck. It’s something you can find fulfilling and meaningful. It takes a great deal of determination, extensive hours of research, study skills, planning, and continuous development to turn your dreams into reality. NCCU Career Services and Outreach provides hands-on guidance to help you decide what you want to do and how your education and experiences beyond the classroom will get you there.

NCCU is in Durham, N.C., the City of Medicine, a thriving entrepreneurial community that is continually ranked on the “best of” list of business, economy and lifestyle. NCCU is only minutes away from the Research Triangle Park, an international hub for the world’s leading information technology, biotechnology, pharmaceutical and medical companies.

OVER 30,000 ALUMNI LIVE AND WORK AROUND THE WORLD.

They lead Fortune 500 corporations, serve non-profit organizations, research cures to diseases and create award-winning works of art.
North Carolina Central University is engaged in a variety of consortia and partnerships that offer a range of locations for students to choose from in their study-abroad experiences. The university, through the Office of International Affairs, provides the opportunity for all students to explore the world beyond the classroom by providing opportunities for them to study abroad. Students learn and deepen their global knowledge while earning college credits. Our Eagles soar internationally!

A few places that our students have soared:
OUR ALUMNI
PAST AND PRESENT

Norman B. Anderson ’77
First African-American Chief
Executive Officer of the American
Psychological Association (APA)

David Bailey ’07
U.S. Capitol Police Officer

John H. Baker Jr. ’58*
Defensive Lineman in the National
Football League (1958-1968)
and Sheriff of Wake County, NC
(1978-2002)

William J. Barber II ’85
Architect of NC’s Moral Monday
Movement, Co-chair of Poor
People’s Campaign

Ernie E. Barnes ’60*
Painter, Professional Football
Player, Actor and Author

Bianca Barnes-Williams ’95
Producer at VIACOM/BET and
Co-Owner at Cylent Films

Barry C. Black G’78
62nd Chaplain of the
United States Senate

Herman “Ike” Boone ’58
High School Football Coach
whose story inspired the hit movie
Remember the Titans

Danielle Brown ’98
Director of Multimedia Sales at
ESPN

George K. Butterfield ’72, L’74
U.S. Representative for NC’s 1st
Congressional District Chair,
Congressional Black Caucus

Julius L. Chambers ’58*
Chancellor of NCCU (1993-2001)
and Civil Rights Attorney

Warachal E. Faison ’89
Geriatric Psychiatrist Medical
Director for the divisions of
Women’s and Men’s Health at
Pfizer, Inc.

Dalia Davies Flanagan ’04
Television Producer, Post Story
Producer at Magilla Entertainment

Willie E. Gary L’74
Attorney, opened the first black
law firm in Martin County, Florida

Charles “Tex” Harrison ’54*
Harlem Globetrotters Basketball
Player for 18 years

Maynard H. Jackson L’64*
First African-American Mayor
of Atlanta

Sam Jones ’57
Pro Basketball Player with the
Boston Celtics (1957-1969)

Levell D. Moton ’96
NCCU Head Men's Basketball Coach

Matti R. Sharpless ’65, ’72
U.S. Ambassador to the Central

Simone Shepherd ’04
Comedian

Ryan Smith, ’15
Tampa Bay Buccaneers,
Cornerback #29

André Leon Talley ’71
Former Editor-at-large for
Vogue magazine

* Deceased
While our students work hard in the classroom, they also play hard on the field and the court. Committing themselves to thriving both academically as well as competitively in their sport, they have earned a reputation as a true force to be reckoned with.

North Carolina Central University’s athletics programs have enjoyed regional and national recognition for years. Fifteen men’s and women’s sports teams participate in National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) competition at the Division I level (Football Championship Subdivision) as members of the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC).

**SPORTS**
- Baseball (M)
- Basketball (M/W)
- Cross Country (M/W)
- Football (M)
- Golf (M)
- Indoor Track & Field (M/W)
- Outdoor Track & Field (M/W)
- Softball (W)
- Tennis (M/W)
- Volleyball (W)
NCCU offers a vibrant, full university experience. Students can participate in more than 100 student-run organizations ranging from National Pan-Hellenic sororities and fraternities to political and social action groups. Our university activities include the esteemed NCCU Honda Campus All-Stars Challenge and Model UN teams. There is no lack of creativity at NCCU, including the award winning NCCU Jazz Ensemble, Campus Echo Newspaper, WNCU, the campus NPR and Jazz Radio station and the NCCU Theatre Department productions.

North Carolina Central University was the first HBCU in the state to establish an LGBTA Center and the second in the nation. The NCCU Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Ally (LGBTA) Resource Center first opened its doors on April 9, 2013.

The campus also boasts more than 11 residence halls, a Campus Recreation and Wellness Center complete with racquetball courts and a swimming pool, over five dining locations spread throughout the campus and countless opportunities for students to expand their leadership skills.
More than a degree! At North Carolina Central University, students have the opportunity for immersion in transformative experiences, while completing the community engagement academic graduation requirement. Undergraduate students engage in 15 hours of service each semester. In 2017-2018, students invested more than 211,000 hours in local, regional, national and global communities. Additionally, over 200 graduates have been awarded the Student Service Impact Award. Engagement in the community will help you toward an “on-time” graduation, as well as provide amazing support for your resume.

Recognized as a "community engaged campus"

The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching
Deciding to apply to North Carolina Central University is the first step in soaring to higher heights academically. Apply online today at www.nccu.edu/apply!

In addition to submitting your application online, you must also provide the following:

**FIRST YEAR APPLICANTS**
- Official high school transcripts
- Official SAT or ACT scores (For all applicants under 21 years of age)
- GED recipients must submit official GED scores

**TRANSFER APPLICANTS**
- Official college transcripts for all previously attended institutions (If under 21 with less than 24 transferable credits, submit required freshman documents as well)

**READMISSION APPLICANTS**
Readmission applies to students who have previously been admitted, registered, and attended a degree seeking program at North Carolina Central University. Students must apply for readmission if they skip a term or stop out after completing a single semester or more. For additional information, please contact The Office of Readmission at (919) 530-6973 or readmissions@nccu.edu.

**INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS**
Follow the same guidelines listed above and include the following:
- Course-by-course evaluation of all international transcripts by an approved educational credentials service
- Official TOEFL or SAT scores for non-native English speakers
- A completed Financial Statement Certificate of Eligibility and proof of financial support in order for the I-20 form to be issued
- Copy of passport

**ADMISSIONS DEADLINES**
1st Priority Deadline – October 15
2nd Priority Deadline – November 15
3rd Priority Deadline – January 15

**DEADLINES FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS**
Fall semester – April 1
Spring semester – September 1
Financial aid is available in the form of scholarships, grants, loans and work-study. Most federal and state funded financial aid programs are awarded on the basis of proven financial need. The Office of Scholarships and Student Aid (OSSA) ensures that funds are awarded in a consistent and equitable manner. For each student who desires financial assistance, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) must be completed online at https://fafsa.gov beginning on October 1. Students must reapply each academic year for financial aid. Applicants should make sure the correct award year is selected and the school code of 002950 is listed in section six. NCCU does not certify private loans.

Additional financial aid information is available at www.nccu.edu/ssa.

**ESTIMATED TUITION AND FEES FOR 2019-2020 (Includes health insurance)**

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QUICK GUIDE
TO THE CHEATHAM-WHITE
MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

ABOUT

The Cheatham-White Scholarship is a merit-based scholarship program for students entering North Carolina Central University and N.C. Agricultural and Technical State University. This program was designed to provide an outstanding educational experience to exceptional scholars who display a wide range of interests, are proficient in areas of both the arts and sciences, and demonstrate leadership potential and a strong commitment to service.

BENEFITS

This is a fully funded four-year scholarship. The scholarship covers full tuition and fees, housing, meals, textbooks, a laptop, travel and personal expenses. Each scholarship also provides four summers of fully funded enrichment and networking opportunities that may include international travel and study.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for nomination to the Cheatham-White Scholarship Program, a person must satisfy all of the following criteria:

1. Be admitted as a freshman in the fall semester into a baccalaureate program at NCCU.
2. Be a United States citizen or permanent resident.

3. Be on course to graduate from high school in the spring semester prior to college admission.

4. Minimum of 4.0 or higher weighted cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.

5. Have a minimum SAT score of 1280 or a minimum ACT score of 28.

6. Show exceptional qualities of character and leadership.

7. Be significantly involved in extracurricular activities.

8. Demonstrate a strong commitment to service.

**EXPECTATIONS**

- Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5.

- Enroll full time each semester and earn a minimum of 30 credit hours each academic year.

- Maintain membership and active participation in the University Honors Program.

For more information, contact the University Scholars Program at (919) 530-6520 or scholars@nccu.edu. Visit us at www.nccu.edu/scholarships/cheathamwhite.
Submit an online application
Pay $50 application fee
Submit an official high school transcript if under 21 years of age
Submit official college transcripts (from every college attended)

For additional information, please contact The Office of Transfer Services at (919) 530-5593 or transfer@nccu.edu.

Assisting Active Military / Veterans / and their Family Members

MISSION:
To offer a seamless transition to the university
Provide assistance and support to all military affiliated students
Create an atmosphere of student success

For more information contact Office of Veteran Affairs at (919) 530-5000 or veteranaffairs@nccu.edu.
Freshmen who submit their completed application by June 30 are guaranteed housing. A freshman is any student who has twenty-nine (29) or less college/university credit hours from NCCU and who did not complete any college credit hours after graduating from high school at a college/university other than NCCU. For your application to be complete, the $150 nonrefundable housing administrative fee must be paid in full and should be paid when completing the online application. Once we have received your completed application you will receive a confirmation notice. The housing selection process will begin on May 1. During this time, freshmen who have completed their housing application can select their room assignment.

Freshmen may choose from the following residence halls:
- Baynes
- Eagleson
- McLean
- Richmond
- New Res II
- Rush

For more information, please Residential Life at residential_life@nccu.edu or (919) 530-6227.
## Majors and Concentrations

### Undergraduate

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### Elementary Education (K-6), cont.

| Areas                                      | Concentrations                                                      |
|--------------------------------------------|                                                                     |
| English                                     | English Education, Literature, Writing                             |
| Environmental & Geographic Sciences        | Environmental Health Science, Environmental Science, Geoscience    |
| Family & Consumer Sciences                 | Human Development, Family Relations, Nutritional Science, Textiles and Apparel |
| History                                    | Comprehensive Social Studies, Hip Hop                              |
| Hospitality & Tourism Administration       | Senior Living Community Management                                |
| Interdisciplinary Studies                  | Kinesiology, Strength and Conditioning                             |
| Mass Communication                         | Broadcast Media, Journalism, Media Studies, Public Relations       |
| Mathematics                                | Computational & Engineering Mathematics (CEMA)                    |
Accreditation: NCCU is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award baccalaureate, master’s, education specialist, and doctoral degrees.

Theatre
- Dance Education
- General Theatre
- Technical Theatre
- Theatre Education
- Theatre Performance

Library Science
- Academic Librarianship
- Archives & Records Management
- Digital Librarianship
- Public Librarianship
- Special Librarianship
- School Media/School Librarian

ONLINE DEGREE PROGRAMS (GRADUATE)
- Career Counseling
- Educational Technology
- Higher Education Administration
- Information Science
- Library Science
- Mathematics
- Mental Health Counseling
- Middle Level Education
- Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Psychology
- Public Administration
- School Administration
- School Counseling
- Social Work
- Special Education, Blind & Visually Handicapped
- Teaching (MAT)
- Teacher of Students with Visual Impairment
- Blind & Visually Impaired Orientation & Mobility

ONLINE DEGREE PROGRAMS (UNDERGRADUATE)
- Behavioral and Social Sciences
- Criminal Justice
- Elementary Education
- Early Childhood Education
- Elementary Education 2nd Degree
- Literacy Concentration Only
- Hospitality & Tourism Administration
- Nursing: RN to BSN
  - Active License(s): RN
- Psychology

CERTIFICATE
- (G) Clinical Research Sciences
- (PM) Digital Librarianship
- (G) E-Learning Instructor
- (G) Faith-Based & Philanthropic Entrepreneurship Non-Profit
- (G) Health Informatics
- (G) Information Policy and Management
- (U) Teaching Artist
- (PM): Post-Masters, (G): Graduate
- (U): Undergraduate

HYBRID PROGRAMS
- BS in Criminal Justice at Vance-Granville Community College
- BS in Criminal Justice at Wake Tech Community College