

The FAMU logo consists of the letters 'FAMU' in a bold, white, sans-serif font, centered within a solid orange rectangular box. The background of the entire graphic is a dark green overlay on a photograph of a university building and a fountain. Orange L-shaped decorative lines are positioned in the top-left and bottom-right corners.

FAMU

FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY

The *No. 1* Public HBCU in the Nation

OVERVIEW

Introduction

Florida A&M University, established in 1887, is a historically Black university devoted to student success and renowned for academic excellence, world-class faculty, and research innovation.

Quick Facts:

- Enrolls nearly 10,000 students from the U.S. and more than 70 countries.
- 15:1 student-faculty ratio
- 94.6% retention rate | 33% acceptance rate
- Only HBCU land-grant institution in Florida.
- The nation's only joint College of Engineering (HBCU/R1).



A Look Back...



1887

FAMU was founded on Oct. 3, 1887 with 15 students and two instructors as the State Normal College for Colored Students.



1905

Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes (FAMC) is officially designated as an institution of higher education.



1935

FAMC is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC).



1953

The Florida Legislature elevates FAMC from a college to a university to become FAMU.



1992-1997

FAMU enrolls more National Achievement finalists than Harvard, Yale, and Stanford.



PRESENT DAY

FAMU is the No. 1 Public HBCU for the seventh consecutive year and remains a Top 100 University by U.S. News and World Report.

Founding and History of Florida A&M University



FAMU RANKING

Our Reputation...

Florida A&M University is a Top 100 ranking university in Tallahassee, Florida. It is ranked as the No.1 Public HBCU in the nation.



- Ranked in the top 25 for Social Mobility Index.
- Ranked in top 10 for 23 degree programs.
- Ranked No. 1 for research and development by the National Science Foundation (NSF).
- Designated as a Fulbright HBCU Institutional Leader.
- Designated a Collegiate Purple Star Campus for supporting military connected students.

NOTABLE ALUMNI

You can get anywhere from FAMU!

Florida A&M University alumni are 'striking from the top' of their careers.



KEISHA LANCE BOTTOMS

Former Mayor of Atlanta and
Senior Advisor to
U.S. President Joe Biden



JERRY LORENZO

Fashion Designer, Founder
FEAR OF GOD



ANIKA NONI ROSE

Tony award-winning actress
and voice of Disney's first
African-American princess



WILL PACKER

Film producer and founder
WILL PACKER PRODUCTIONS

OUR 14 COLLEGES & SCHOOLS

Discover the Possibilities



**College of Agriculture
& Food Sciences**



**College of
Education**



**College of
Law**



**College of Pharmacy,
Institute of Public
Health**



**College of Science &
Technology**



**College of Social
Sciences, Arts &
Humanities**



**FAMU-FSU College of
Engineering**



**School of
Architecture +
Engineering
Technology**



**School of Business &
Industry**



**School of Allied
Health Sciences**



**School of Graduate
Studies & Research**



**School of Journalism
& Graphic
Communication**



**School of
Nursing**



**School of the
Environment**

Strike, Strike, and Strike Again!



ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Explore the Possibilities

Florida A&M University prepares its scholars to be leaders in their chosen fields within 14 colleges and schools.

BACHELOR

70+

Bachelor
Degree Programs

MASTER

32

Master
Degree Programs

PROFESSIONAL

3

Professional
Degree Programs

DOCTORAL

14

Doctoral
Degree Programs

Strike, Strike, and **Strike Again!**



IMPORTANT INFORMATION



Deadlines

Early Action - November 1

Regular Decision - February 1

Rolling Admission - May 1

Submitting Transcripts

Students should have their official high school and dual enrollment transcripts sent electronically or mailed in the official sealed envelope. Email is not an official way to submit transcripts.

FALL 2026 ADMITTED PROFILE



Middle 50% Ranges

Weighted Core GPA: 3.6 - 4.2

SAT: 1080 – 1230

ACT: 22 – 26

CLT: 61 – 73

Top Areas of Interest

Pre-Med

Pre-Nursing

Business

Computer Science

Mechanical Engineering

RESIDENTIAL HALLS

Co-ed Housing

Traditional Housing



**Polkinghorne
Village**



**Venom Landing
&
FAMU Towers**



**Palmetto South
&
Phase III**



**Sampson Hall
&
Young Hall**

What to Expect

Advance Payment: \$200 (Non-Refundable)

Meal Plans are **REQUIRED** if you stay in the residence halls

Residence Hall Price Range

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Palmetto South	\$3,722 - \$4,285	\$3,722 - \$4,285
Phase III	\$3,722 - \$4,285	\$3,722 - \$4,285
Sampson Hall	\$4,116	\$4,116
Young Hall	\$4,116	\$4,116
Polkinghorne Village	\$4,268	4,268
FAMU Towers	\$4,302	4,302
Venom Landing	\$4,496	\$4,496

Move – In Dates

• FAMU Towers (South) • Polkinghorne Village (West)	August 17
• FAMU Towers (North) • Polkinghorne Village (East) • Venom Landing (North) • Young Hall	August 18
• Venom Landing (South) • Sampson Hall	August 20
• Palmetto South • Phase III	August 21
Everyone who has not checked in	August 22

LIVING LEARNING COMMUNITIES



First-Year Experience

Make it Meaningful

Designed for first-year students, FAMU's Living Learning Communities (LLCs) motivate, cultivate, and challenge student residents both in and outside of the classroom. Programing includes:

- Meetings/Study groups
- Group activities/projects
- Leadership development
- Research
- Study abroad/field trips
- Shared classes
- Service Learning
- Career/Experiential Learning
- Cultural and social events

CAMPUS LIFE

FAMU has over 300 registered student organizations, 30+ fraternity and sorority chapters, and Student leadership positions and student leadership roles.



Student Government, Presidential Ambassadors, and more



Homecoming, Set Fridays, and more



Greek Life, Student Organizations, and more



A&M

ATHLETICS

SCHOLARSHIP SPORTS

BASEBALL // BASKETBALL (M&W) // BOWLING (W) // CROSS COUNTRY (M&W) // FOOTBALL
GOLF // SOFTBALL // TENNIS (W) // TRACK AND FIELD (M&W) // VOLLEYBALL (W)

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES



Student Success

Your FAMU journey comes with support.

- Academic advising
- Academic coaching and tutoring
- Health and wellness resources
- Counseling and psychological services
- Peer mentoring

CAREER DEVELOPMENT



Prepared for Success **Career & Professional Development**

The FAMU Career and Professional Development Center helps students discover their passions, build experience, and connect with employers so they graduate career-ready.

- Career Coaching
- Major Exploration
- Internships
- Job Search Support
- Career Planning

STRIKE BOLD!
STRIKE PROUD!
STRIKE FAMU !

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