With 20 baccalaureate degrees in a broad range of disciplines, and more being added, Penn State Berks opens the door to a world of options and opportunities.

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PLUS
THE FIRST 2 YEARS OF STUDY FOR NEARLY ALL OF PENN STATE’S 275+ MAJORS

2,100+
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STUDENT TO FACULTY RATIO: 12:1
FACULTY MEMBERS: 180
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 20 STUDENTS

ASSOCIATE
Business Administration
Information Sciences and Technology
Multidisciplinary Studies
Occupational Therapy

BACCALAUREATE
Accounting
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Biology
Business
Communication Arts & Sciences
Criminal Justice
Cybersecurity Analytics & Operations
Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology
Elementary & Early Childhood Education
Global Studies
Hospitality Management
Information Technology
Kinesiology
Mechanical Engineering
Organizational Leadership
Psychology
Rehabilitation & Human Services
Science
Security & Risk Analysis
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2.5 HRS TO STATE COLLEGE

50+
CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

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NCAA DIVISION III INTERCOLLEGIATE VARSITY ATHLETIC TEAMS

BASEBALL (M)
BASKETBALL (M,W)
CROSS COUNTRY (M,W)
GOLF (M)
SOCCER (M,W)
SOFTBALL (W)
TENNIS (M,W)
VOLLEYBALL (W)
PLUS CLUB TEAMS—INCLUDING BOWLING, ICE HOCKEY, AND RUGBY—AND INTRAMURALS

800+
STUDENTS IN ON-CAMPUS HOUSING + MORE IN OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING LOCALLY

$1,200,000+
CAMPUS SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED ANNUALLY

30,000+
BERKS ALUMNI

PART OF PENN STATE’S WORLD-WIDE 750,000+
ALUMNI NETWORK
RANKED #1 BY COLLEGE MAGAZINE

*Not accepting new students.
When should I apply?
Penn State reviews applications throughout the year, but we strongly encourage you to submit your application as soon as possible in the fall. Students can expect a decision within four to six weeks.

The Penn State application is available beginning August 1 at admissions.psu.edu.

Students can also apply via the Common Application. Visit admissions.psu.edu/apply for more information. Students who visit Berks can get the application fee waived prior to submitting the Penn State application.

Transfer Students
Interested in transferring to Penn State to complete your degree? It’s probably easier than you think! Get started at berks.psu.edu/transfer-students.

For assistance in transferring from another institution into one of our programs, please contact Admissions, 610-396-6060.

Scholarships and Financial Aid
About 82 percent of Penn State students receive some form of financial aid. Our financial aid staff can help you identify and apply for a variety of grants, loans, work study, campus employment programs, and scholarships to make your college education more affordable. Assistance for military veterans and adult learners is also available.

Students are automatically considered for scholarships, both merit-based and need-based, once they apply and are accepted to Berks. There is no separate scholarship application to complete. These scholarships are in addition to any other forms of need-based financial aid for which a student may be eligible.

To apply for financial aid, simply complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at fafsa.gov.

For more information on student financial aid, contact Financial Aid, 610-396-6070.

April 1
Application for undergraduate admission becomes available.

November 1
Penn State’s Early Action and Schreyer Honors College priority filing deadline.

December
Early Action applicants will receive their decision (admit to Penn State, deferral of decision, deny).

Early February
Early awarding of student aid begins for applicants in Early Action applicants.

May 1
National Decision Day