



FIND YOUR CALLING

The Texas A&M University College of Agriculture and Life Sciences gives every student the right options to find their calling and prepare for a productive career. From social sciences to life sciences, we offer some of the best-ranked programs in the country. Choose from nearly 100 undergraduate and graduate programs. As experts in their areas of research, teaching and outreach, our faculty and staff represent a community of scholars working to change the world.

Our 10 honors programs offer enhanced learning experiences for motivated students. You will work closely with renowned faculty and participate in innovative leadership activities and independent research projects.

- > 15 Departments
- > 30 Majors

GET INVOLVED

Finding community is an essential part of your university experience. We provide some freshman-only classes as well as College-sponsored clubs and organizations where you'll meet others and find opportunities to grow, learn and serve.

Our faculty, student services staff and peer mentors are a part of your journey and will work with you to help you thrive. Many of our students are the first in their family to attend college.

- > First-Year Experience: Class limit of 25 students, faculty work closely with students, greater awareness of campus resources, guidance from peer mentors
- > Honor societies: Gamma Sigma Delta (Agriculture), Alpha Zeta (Agriculture), Pi Alpha Xi (Floriculture), Rho Phi Lambda (Recreation, Park and Tourism Sciences)
- > First-Year Friendly Faculty mentors: Group of faculty members from all 15 departments coach freshman students
- > Over 50 student clubs, organizations and thriving chapters of national societies

7,486 students (6,332 undergraduates and 1,154 graduate students)

57%

Female

43%

Male



93.6% retention rate for first-year students



68% of students graduate within four years

~1,800

first-generation college students

BE A PART OF A COMMUNITY IMPACT

In addition to being a key part of Texas A&M University's land-grant mission, the College is also a component of Texas A&M AgriLife, which includes state research and extension efforts that provide faculty and students countless options for research and study.

- > AgriLife agencies collaborate with various state agencies, universities, government organizations and industry groups around the world.
- > With a research portfolio of more than 500 projects and \$200 million in annual research funding, Texas A&M AgriLife Research reached #2 in annual agricultural research expenditures among universities nationwide.
- > The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service delivers research-based, educational information from the College to Texans throughout the state.

EXPERIENCE HIGH-IMPACT LEARNING

Students who participate in a high-impact learning program not only learn better but are more likely to stay in school and even earn their degrees faster. We offer experiential learning in three areas:

Undergraduate research opportunities

Work with faculty on real-world projects and learn first-hand about research practices and careers.

- > Undergraduate research opportunities have increased by 104% since 2011.
- > More than half of our undergraduates are part of a program focused on science, technology, engineering or math.

Experiential learning

Learning on-location during an internship or field study can be one of the most beneficial experiences in your academic career. More than a third of our students take advantage of our College's connections to find internships and field-learning opportunities.

- > 2,386 students had an internship or field experience last year—a 90% increase since 2011.

International experiences

We are global citizens and part of our mission is to help you cultivate a broader worldview. Experience learning in a whole new way when you take part in an exchange program, field trip or faculty-led study abroad opportunity.

- > 679 students studied abroad last year.

LOOK TO THE FUTURE

We equip future leaders in agriculture and life sciences with in-demand skills for careers in the sciences, agriculture, business and more. The top three placements for graduates right out of our College are:

- > **Jobs in business, finance or sales:** banking, law, business development, financial planning
- > **Jobs in industry or management:** supply chain, oil and gas, food safety, food processing, horticulture
- > **Graduate or professional school:** law school, medical school, nursing, dentistry, veterinary medicine, graduate school



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Texas A&M University has a strong commitment to diversity in all areas. In that spirit, admission to Texas A&M University and any of its sponsored programs is open to all qualified individuals. Texas A&M does not discriminate on the basis of an individual's disability in its admissions, accessibility, treatment, and employment of students in its programs and activities.



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