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Institutional Questionnaire Fiske Guide to Colleges 2016

(Numbers in parentheses refer to parallel question on CDS 2013-2014)

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- Name of college or university Kenyon College
- City State Zip code
- Undergraduate admissions phone Fax
- Undergraduate admissions e-mail address
- College website
- Location (Select One)
 - City Center
 - City Outskirts
 - Suburban
 - Small City
 - Small Town
 - Rural

ENROLLMENT

Please note that the following questions refer only to full-time, degree-seeking students. Do not include part-time or non-degree-seeking students.

Please do not use commas in the numeric fields.

- Total enrollment (FT, degree-seeking undergraduate, graduate & professional. **Do not include part-time or non-degree seeking students.**) (B1)
- Undergraduate enrollment (Only FT, degree-seeking students. **Do not include part-time or non-degree seeking students.**) (B1)

Please characterize total undergraduate student body (as described above) in terms of:

- Sex Male % Female %

10. Geographic Origin:

- In-state %
 Out-of-state %
 International %

11. High school:

- Public %
 Private/Parochial %
 Homeschooled %

12. Race (B2): For this question please refer only to degree-seeking undergraduate students (include first-time first-year students).

- Nonresident aliens %
 Hispanic/ Latino %
 Black or African American, non-Hispanic %
 White, non-Hispanic %
 American Indian or Alaska Native, non-Hispanic %
 Asian, non-Hispanic %
 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic %
 Two or more races, non-Hispanic %
 Race and/or ethnicity unknown %

- Percentage of entering freshmen who return for their sophomore year (B22) %
- Percentage of entering freshmen who graduate within six years (B11) %

STANDARDIZED TESTS

15. Please indicate your policies regarding standardized tests (C8-A)

SAT I or ACT:

- Required
 Required for Some
 Not used
 Recommended
 Consider if submitted

SAT Subject Tests:

- Required
 Required for Some
 Not used
 Recommended
 Consider if submitted

If SAT Subject Tests are required, which ones?

16. Do you require students taking the ACT to take the optional Writing component? (C8-B) Yes No

17. Test score ranges of the middle 50 percent of all enrolled first-time freshmen (C9)

	25th percentile	75th percentile
SAT critical reading	630	720
SAT math	600	690
SAT writing	630	730
ACT composite	28.00	32.00

STATISTICS ON CURRENT FRESHMAN CLASS

Please do not use commas in the numeric fields.

18. Number of first-time, first-year, degree-seeking applicants (C1)

19. Percentage admitted (C1) %

20. Percentage of admitted applicants who enrolled (Yield)(C1) %

21. High school class rank (C10): Percentage in:

Top Tenth %

Top Quarter %

ADMISSIONS POLICIES

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Please do not use commas in the numeric fields.

22. Policy toward the Common Application:

- Do not accept
 Use exclusively
 Use with own supplement

23. Does your institution have an application fee? (C13) Yes No

What is the amount of the application fee? \$

What is the application fee policy for students who apply online?

Same fee: Yes No

Free: Yes No

Reduced fee (provide amount): \$

24. Does your institution have an application closing date? (C14) Yes No

Please indicate application deadlines for:

Early Decision (C21)	<input type="text" value="2013-11-15"/>		Reset Date
Early Action (C22)	<input type="text" value="0000-00-00"/>		Reset Date
Regular Admissions (C14)	<input type="text" value="2014-01-15"/>		Reset Date
Rolling Admissions (C14)	<input type="text" value="0000-00-00"/>		Reset Date
Financial Aid	<input type="text" value="2014-02-15"/>		Reset Date
Housing	<input type="text" value="2014-01-15"/>		Reset Date

25. When do you notify admitted applicants (C16)

Rolling	<input type="text" value="0000-00-00"/>		Reset Date
Early decision/action	<input type="text" value="2013-12-15"/>		Reset Date
Regular admissions	<input type="text" value="2014-04-01"/>		Reset Date

26. Interviews:

Are campus interviews: not available optional required

Are campus interviews: used in evaluating students only for information

Are alumni interviews: not available optional required

Are alumni interviews: used in evaluating students only for information

27. Please list in descending order the eight schools with which you have the most applicant overlaps.

Shared Prospective Applicants:

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8

STUDENT LIFE

28. What percentage of students reside in university housing? (F1) %

29. What percentage of men belong to fraternities? (F1) % Women to sororities? (F1) %

30. In what NCAA division do you compete in athletics?

- I
- IA
- II
- III
- None

31. Which intercollegiate teams (men's and women's) are most competitive?

Please list any athletic championships in the last two years.

Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving. Men's Swimming and Diving
 NCAA Div III 2014 and 2013 N=national champions. Several individual
 Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving NCAA Div III national
 champions in 2013 and 2014.
 Men's and Women's Tennis
 Men's and Women's Soccer

32. Are there any other areas, such as debate or chess, where students at your school are competitive?

33. Please describe the recreational and intramural sports programs. Which are the most popular activities?

What proportion of undergraduates participate?

Ultimate frisbee, basketball, and volleyball.

FINANCIAL AID POLICIES

Please do not use commas in the numeric fields.

34. What percentage of your full-time degree-seeking undergraduate students receive financial aid from any source and thus do not pay the full sticker price for tuition, fees, and room and board? %

35. If you offer non-need-based merit awards, what is the average award? \$

36. Percentage of this year's freshmen eligible for Pell Grants %

37. How many athletic scholarships do you offer? In how many sports?

38. What percentage of your last graduating class borrowed at any time through any loan programs (federal, state, institutional, private)? (H4; please provide data from CDS field H4 only, do not include information from field H4a.) %

39. Among those who borrowed, what was the average cumulative principal borrowed? (H5; please provide data from CDS field H5 only, do not include information from field H5a.) \$

40. Do you offer financial aid to international students? Yes No

41. Do you have any special financial aid programs aimed at making your institution more affordable and accessible to incoming students such as replacing loans with grants or waiving costs for families below a certain income level? If so, please describe. (H15)

Newman's Own Foundation Scholarships.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Please do not use commas in the numeric fields.

42. What percentage of undergraduate class sections (not courses) have (13):

2–19 students %

20–49 students %

43. What percentage of class sections (not courses) taken by freshmen are taught by:

Senior faculty (full and associate professors, including visiting) %

Junior faculty (assistant professors) %

Graduate students, adjunct, or part-time faculty %

44. For the most recent graduating class, what were the five most popular majors (in descending order)?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

45. What are some strong programs that may not attract large numbers of students?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

46. Tell us about any signature academic programs that potential applicants should know about.

Kenyon is noted for its emphasis on students' written and oral communication skills across the curriculum. Students in the natural sciences benefit from especially close collaborations with faculty members, both during the academic year and in the competitive Summer Science Scholar Program, in which they conduct research on a project of their own devising with a faculty mentor. A select number of socio-legal and humanities position

47. Study abroad: What proportion of undergraduates receive academic credit for study abroad during their four years? %

Please tell us about the extent and nature of your study abroad programs.

About half of every junior class studies off campus, spending either a semester or a full year away. You can choose from more than 150 programs in more than 50 countries. Kenyon sponsors its own programs in England, Italy, and Belize. There are also a number of programs that offer special opportunities elsewhere in the United States.

Each of the following questions will be relevant to some but not all colleges and universities. Please feel free to answer only those questions that describe important aspects of your particular academic offerings.

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48. Please describe any recent changes, if any, in the general education requirements that all undergraduates must complete.

49. Have you made any other curriculum changes in the last two years; such as adding or dropping any programs?

If so, please describe.

New Comparative World Literature program, growing Scientific Computing program

50. Following is a list of programs that some schools have started as ways to enhance the academic and overall quality of the undergraduate experience. If you have any of these programs please tell us about them.

"First year" programs for freshmen, such as freshmen seminars.

What proportion of freshmen participate? %

"Capstone" programs in which seniors draw together what they have learned during the previous four years?

In order to graduate, Kenyon seniors must complete a senior exercise in their major discipline(s), the requirements of which vary by discipline.

What percentage of students participate? %

Undergraduate research

In addition to undergraduate research collaborations with faculty during the school year, Kenyon students also participate in the Summer Science, John W. Adams Summer Legal Studies, and Summer Scholar programs during the summer. Students frequently spend summers off campus participating in National Science Foundation REUs.

What percentage of students participate? %

Community service

What percentage of students become involved in community service during their four years? %

Living-learning communities?

What percentage of students participate? %

Honors Programs?

Seniors with a GPA of 3.33 or above and meeting the required GPA within their major (set by each department) may choose to read for departmental honors. Departmental honors typically involve a special examination.

What percentage of students participate? %

Writing across curriculum?

Writing is a central theme across the curriculum.

What percentage of students participate? %

Other?

51. Are there ways in which the academic mission of your school is evolving?

52. Have you completed any new physical facilities within the past two years? If so, please describe.

New Graham Gund Art Gallery, Horvitz Studio Art Building, (20) new townhouse apartments for students, new Health & Counseling Services and Hillel House are currently under construction.