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Colleges and Universities in Pennsylvania

Pennsylvania has **144 four-year degree-granting institutions** active in the federal directory — 40 public, 101 private nonprofit, and 3 private for-profit.

The list below is every active, degree-granting institution IPEDS classifies at the four-year level. It is a directory, not a ranking. Two-year colleges, certificate-only schools, and institutions that have closed or stopped reporting are not here.

Four-year institutions

Institution	City	Control	Notes
Albright College	Reading	Private nonprofit	
Allegheny College	Meadville	Private nonprofit	
Alvernia University	Reading	Private nonprofit	
American College of Financial Services	King of Prussia	Private nonprofit	
Arcadia University	Glenside	Private nonprofit	
Bryn Athyn College of the New Church	Bryn Athyn	Private nonprofit	
Bryn Mawr College	Bryn Mawr	Private nonprofit	
Bucknell University	Lewisburg	Private nonprofit	
Byzantine Catholic Seminary of Saints Cyril and Methodius	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Cairn University-Langhorne	Langhorne	Private nonprofit	
Carlow University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Carnegie Mellon University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Cedar Crest College	Allentown	Private nonprofit	
Central Penn College	Summerdale	Private for-profit	
Chatham University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Chestnut Hill College	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania	Cheyney	Public	HBCU
Commonwealth University of Pennsylvania	Bloomsburg	Public	
Curtis Institute of Music	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Delaware Valley University	Doylestown	Private nonprofit	
DeSales University	Center Valley	Private nonprofit	
Dickinson College	Carlisle	Private nonprofit	
Drexel University	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	Medical school
Duquesne University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania	East Stroudsburg	Public	
Eastern University	Saint Davids	Private nonprofit	
Elizabethtown College	Elizabethtown	Private nonprofit	
Franklin and Marshall College	Lancaster	Private nonprofit	

Gannon University	Erie	Private nonprofit	
Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine	Scranton	Private nonprofit	Medical school
Geneva College	Beaver Falls	Private nonprofit	
Gettysburg College	Gettysburg	Private nonprofit	
Gratz College	Melrose Park	Private nonprofit	
Grove City College	Grove City	Private nonprofit	
Gwynedd Mercy University	Gwynedd Valley	Private nonprofit	
Harrisburg University of Science and Technology	Harrisburg	Private nonprofit	
Haverford College	Haverford	Private nonprofit	
Holy Family University	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Immaculata University	Immaculata	Private nonprofit	
Indiana University of Pennsylvania-Main Campus	Indiana	Public	
International Institute for Restorative Practices	Bethlehem	Private nonprofit	
Juniata College	Huntingdon	Private nonprofit	
Keystone College	La Plume	Private nonprofit	
King's College	Wilkes-Barre	Private nonprofit	
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania	Kutztown	Public	
La Roche University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
La Salle University	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Lackawanna College	Scranton	Private nonprofit	
Lafayette College	Easton	Private nonprofit	
Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	Erie	Private nonprofit	Medical school
Lancaster Bible College	Lancaster	Private nonprofit	
Lancaster Theological Seminary	Lancaster	Private nonprofit	
Lebanon Valley College	Annville	Private nonprofit	
Lehigh University	Bethlehem	Private nonprofit	
Lincoln University	Lincoln University	Public	HBCU
Lycoming College	Williamsport	Private nonprofit	
Manor College	Jenkintown	Private nonprofit	
Marywood University	Scranton	Private nonprofit	
Mercyhurst University	Erie	Private nonprofit	
Messiah University	Mechanicsburg	Private nonprofit	
Millersville University of Pennsylvania	Millersville	Public	
Misericordia University	Dallas	Private nonprofit	
Missio Theological Seminary	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Moore College of Art and Design	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Moravian University	Bethlehem	Private nonprofit	
Mount Aloysius College	Cresson	Private nonprofit	

Muhlenberg College	Allentown	Private nonprofit	
Neumann University	Aston	Private nonprofit	
Peirce College	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Pennsylvania College of Art and Design	Lancaster	Private nonprofit	
Pennsylvania College of Technology	Williamsport	Public	
Pennsylvania Institute of Technology	Media	Private nonprofit	
Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education-Central Office	Harrisburg	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Main Campus	University Park	Public	Medical school
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Abington	Abington	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Altoona	Altoona	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Beaver	Monaca	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Berks	Reading	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Brandywine	Media	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State DuBois	DuBois	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Erie-Behrend College	Erie	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Fayette- Eberly	Lemont Furnace	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Great Valley	Malvern	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Greater Allegheny	McKeesport	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Harrisburg	Middletown	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Hazleton	Hazleton	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Lehigh Valley	Center Valley	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Mont Alto	Mont Alto	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State New Kensington	New Kensington	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Schuylkill	Schuylkill Haven	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Scranton	Dunmore	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Shenango	Sharon	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Wilkes-Barre	Dallas	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State York	York	Public	
Pennsylvania State University-World Campus	University Park	Public	
Pennsylvania Western University	California	Public	
Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	Medical school
Pittsburgh Theological Seminary	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Point Park University	Pittsburgh	Private nonprofit	
Reconstructionist Rabbinical College	Wyncote	Private nonprofit	
Robert Morris University	Moon Township	Private nonprofit	
Rosemont College	Rosemont	Private nonprofit	

Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary-Overbrook	Ambler	Private nonprofit	
Saint Francis University	Loretto	Private nonprofit	
Saint Joseph's University - Lancaster	Lancaster	Private nonprofit	
Saint Joseph's University - Philadelphia	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Saint Vincent College	Latrobe	Private nonprofit	
Saint Vincent Seminary	Latrobe	Private nonprofit	
Salus University	Elkins Park	Private nonprofit	
Seton Hill University	Greensburg	Private nonprofit	
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	Shippensburg	Public	
Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania	Slippery Rock	Public	
Strayer University-Pennsylvania	Trevose	Private for-profit	
Susquehanna University	Selinsgrove	Private nonprofit	
Swarthmore College	Swarthmore	Private nonprofit	
Talmudical Yeshiva of Philadelphia	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	
Temple University	Philadelphia	Public	Medical school
Theological Seminary of the Reformed Episcopal Church	Oreland	Private nonprofit	
Thiel College	Greenville	Private nonprofit	
Thomas Jefferson University	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	Medical school
Trinity Anglican Seminary	Ambridge	Private nonprofit	
United Lutheran Seminary	Gettysburg	Private nonprofit	
University of Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	Private nonprofit	Medical school
University of Pittsburgh-Bradford	Bradford	Public	
University of Pittsburgh-Greensburg	Greensburg	Public	
University of Pittsburgh-Johnstown	Johnstown	Public	
University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus	Pittsburgh	Public	Medical school
University of Scranton	Scranton	Private nonprofit	
University of Valley Forge	Phoenixville	Private nonprofit	
Ursinus College	Collegeville	Private nonprofit	
Villanova University	Villanova	Private nonprofit	
Walnut Hill College	Philadelphia	Private for-profit	
Washington & Jefferson College	Washington	Private nonprofit	
Waynesburg University	Waynesburg	Private nonprofit	
West Chester University of Pennsylvania	West Chester	Public	
Westminster College	New Wilmington	Private nonprofit	
Westminster Theological Seminary	Glenside	Private nonprofit	
Widener University	Chester	Private nonprofit	
Wilkes University	Wilkes-Barre	Private nonprofit	
Wilson College	Chambersburg	Private nonprofit	

Won Institute of Graduate Studies	Warminster	Private nonprofit
Yeshivath Beth Moshe	Scranton	Private nonprofit
York College of Pennsylvania	York	Private nonprofit

Public university systems

System membership as recorded in the IPEDS directory. Counts are of four-year public members in this table only, so a system that also runs two-year campuses will show more members in its own materials.

System	Four-year public members here
Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education	11
The Pennsylvania State University	22
University of Pittsburgh	4

Sources

- **NCES IPEDS, Institutional Characteristics directory (HD2024)** — the federal directory of postsecondary institutions participating in Title IV programs. Every institution, city, control, and system value above is read directly from that file. Retrieved 2026-08-11 from nces.ed.gov/ipeds.
- Filters applied: currently active (CYACTIVE), degree-granting (DEGGRANT), and institutional level (ICLEVEL). Flags in the Notes column are the IPEDS HBCU, TRIBAL, LANDGRNT, and MEDICAL fields.

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