FAST FACTS

COLBY-SAWYER COLLEGE MISSION STATEMENT
Colby-Sawyer College is a private, independent college offering undergraduate and graduate educational programs based in the liberal arts and sciences and designed to prepare students for their professions and lives of ongoing learning. Faculty, staff and students strive for excellence in the college’s engaged teaching and learning community to foster students’ academic, intellectual and personal growth.

The college prepares students to thrive in, and make a positive impact upon, a dynamic, diverse and interdependent world.

Colby-Sawyer College was founded as an academy in 1837 and has been engaged in higher education since 1928.

This mission was adopted by the Board of Trustees on Oct. 16, 2015.

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LEARNING OUTCOMES

STUDENTS WILL:
- Learn and use a broad body of knowledge with depth in their major fields
- Enrich and deepen their self-knowledge
- Think creatively and critically
- Communicate and interact effectively
- Act ethically and professionally
- Understand and employ multiple perspectives

FEES (2018 – 19)
- Tuition: $41,598
- Room and Board: $14,264
- Mandatory Fees: $800

SETTING
- Located in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee region of New Hampshire 90 minutes north of Boston, 60 minutes south of the White Mountains and 3.5 hours south of Montreal
- 33 buildings on 200 acres; Georgian, brick, Colonial architecture
BACKGROUND
- founded in 1837
- baccalaureate programs in 1943
- coeducational in 1989

ACCREDITATION
- New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC)
- Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE)
- Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
- New Hampshire Board of Nursing (NHBON)
- State of New Hampshire Board of Education
- Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)

ENROLLMENT (FALL 2017)
- 1,043 undergraduates, 989 matriculated, 13 graduate, 41 online, representing 30 states and 16 countries
- 70% women; 30% men
- 5% international
- student to faculty ratio: 9:1
- average class size: 14
- first year 2016 retention rate: 73.2%
- entering 2013 class grad rate: 53.75% in 4 years

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (FALL 2017)
- approximately 96% of full-time undergraduate students enrolled for fall 2017 received institutional aid
- of those students, the average institutional aid amount was $27,990

LIVING SUSTAINABLY
- climate action plan emissions:
  - 43% reduction by 2010 — achieved
  - 50% reduction by 2015 — achieved
  - 70% reduction by 2020 — goal
  - 100% reduction by 2050 — goal

FACULTY & STAFF (FALL 2017)
- total employees: 288 (245 full time, 43 part time)
- total faculty: 107
- full-time faculty: 60 (75% with terminal degrees)
- 80% of classes taught by full-time and pro-rata faculty
- 47 adjunct instructors

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS
Business Administration - Environmental Studies
Exercise and Sport Sciences - Fine and Performing Arts
Humanities - Natural Sciences - School of Nursing and Health Professions - Social Sciences and Education

20 MAJORS; 26 MINORS
American Studies (m)
Art History (m)
Art – Studio Art (M, m)
Athletic Training (M)
Biology (M, m)
Business Administration (M, m)
Chemistry (m)
Child Development (M, m)
Communication Studies (M, m)
Creative Writing (M)
Crime and Legal Studies (M) fall 2018
Education (m)
English (m)
Environmental Science (M)
Environmental Studies (M, m)
Exercise Science (M)
Film Studies (m)*% collectiveGraphic Design (M, m)
Health Care Management (m)
Health Studies (m)
History (m)
History & Political Studies (M)
International Studies (m)
Legal Studies (m)
Mathematics (m)
Nursing (M)
Philosophy (m)
Political Studies (m)
Psychology (M, m)
Public Health (M)
Self-Designed (M)
Sociology (M, m)
Sport Management (M)
Sustainability Studies (M, m)
Women’s & Gender Studies (m)
Writing (m)

Certificate Program
Coaching

Master of Science in Nursing Degree

Online Degree Programs
Liberal Arts Associate Degree
R.N. to B.S. Degree

INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS NCAA DIVISION III
WOMEN
alpine skiing
basketball
cross-country
equestrian
field hockey
lacrosse
rugby (2018 – 19)
soccer
swimming and diving
tennis
track and field (indoor and outdoor)
volleyball

MEN
alpine skiing
baseball
cricket
equestrian
equestrian
soccer
swimming and diving
tennis
track and field (indoor and outdoor)
volleyball

MEMBER
North Atlantic Conference (NAC) 2017 – 18 final year
Great Northeast Athletic Conference (CNAC) 2018 – 19
Great Northeast Athletic Conference (CNAC)/ Swimming and Diving 2017 – 18
National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division III
Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA)
Eastern Intercollegiate Ski Association (EISA)

TEAM NAME: Chargers
MASCOT: charging horse
COLORS: royal blue and white
colby-sawyerathletics.com

2016 GRADUATE CAREER SUCCESS*
98% of the class were employed or attending graduate school six months post-graduation:
- 91% were employed; 86% of those jobs were related to the graduate’s major
- 10% entered graduate school or were both working and attending graduate school

*82% data collection rate