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College of the Month



Dartmouth College is a private Ivy League university in Hanover, New Hampshire, founded in 1769. It is known for its strong liberal arts focus, undergraduate teaching, and close-knit community. The college offers a range of programs across arts, sciences, engineering, and business, with the Tuck School of Business and Thayer School of Engineering being notable graduate programs. Dartmouth also has a distinctive D-Plan, a flexible academic calendar that allows students to customize their schedules.



Essential Tasks Before Graduation

Graduation is just around the corner, make sure you have all of these things in order before their respective deadlines!

College Decisions - Most colleges release decisions by April, so compare financial aid offers and finalize your choice by May 1 (National College Decision Day).

Scholarships & Financial Aid - Continue applying for scholarships and ensure you've completed necessary financial aid steps (like accepting aid packages).

Senior Year Academics - Keep your grades up, as colleges can rescind offers based on poor performance.

Graduation & Final Preparations - Order your cap and gown, plan for graduation events, and start preparing for your transition to college or other post-high school plans.



For More Information

Testing Dates



ACT Test Dates		SAT Test Dates	
Test Date	Registration Dates	Test Date	Registration Dates
June 14, 2025	May 9, 2025	May 3, 2025	April 18, 2025
July 12, 2025	June 6, 2025	June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025

Career of the Month: Engineer



An engineer is a professional who applies scientific and mathematical principles to design, develop, and improve systems, structures, machines, or technology across various industries like civil, mechanical, electrical, and software engineering. Their work involves problem-solving, innovation, and ensuring safety and efficiency in projects. Salaries vary widely based on specialization, experience, and location, but the average annual salary for engineers in the U.S. typically ranges from \$70,000 to \$130,000, with higher earnings in fields like software and petroleum engineering. Advanced degrees, certifications, and experience can significantly boost an engineer's earning potential.

Dartmouth's Thayer School of Engineering offers a flexible, interdisciplinary engineering program that integrates liberal arts with hands-on technical education, emphasizing innovation and entrepreneurship. The program features a unique unified engineering curriculum, allowing students to explore multiple engineering disciplines before specializing, with opportunities for research, design projects, and real-world problem-solving. Thayer also provides strong graduate programs, including a BE, MS, PhD, and MEM, fostering collaboration and cutting-edge advancements in fields like biomedical, energy, and materials engineering.

Orlando Job Fair

Hosted By: United. Career Fairs
Tuesday, April 15, 2025 - 6pm
Four Points by Sheraton
5905 International Dr.
Orlando, FL 32819

"United Career Fairs has over 20 years of experience in connecting candidates with hiring managers at companies ranging from small local businesses clear on up to Fortune 500 corporations. Register now to attend our upcoming career fair!"

Why is College Important?

College is important because it provides specialized knowledge and skills that can open doors to better career opportunities. It also helps develop critical thinking, communication, and problem-solving abilities that are valuable in everyday life. Additionally, college can expand your network and expose you to diverse perspectives, which can shape personal and professional growth.

Are there any alternatives?

Alternatives to college include trade schools, apprenticeships, and self-directed learning through online platforms, which offer hands-on training and quicker paths into the workforce. These options are often more affordable and can lead to high-paying, in-demand careers without the time or debt of a traditional degree. Entrepreneurship and gaining experience through internships or freelancing are also valuable ways to build skills and succeed without college