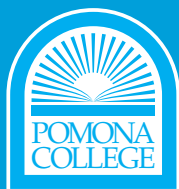


Pomona College **CAMPUS VISITS**

**BE
OUR
GUEST**



GREETINGS

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN POMONA COLLEGE.

To aid us with our mailing process, please take a moment to review the address label on this brochure. If any changes need to be made, notify us as soon as possible so future mailings will not be delayed.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Founded in 1887, Pomona is a coeducational, undergraduate college offering distinguished instruction in the natural sciences, social sciences, fine arts and humanities. Emphasis is placed on close interaction between faculty and students. Pomona's enrollment is approximately 1,550 students (including 100 on study abroad/exchange programs each semester). The student to faculty ratio is 7 to 1, and the average class size is 15 students.

Pomona is the founding member of the Claremont Colleges, a unique arrangement in American higher education—five autonomous undergraduate colleges and two graduate institutions located on adjacent campuses cooperate to broaden the intellectual, social and cultural resources available to their students. *Our Viewbook will follow, giving you specific information about academic and extra-curricular life at Pomona.*

In the meantime, visit Pomona, experience the College in person and meet some of the people who make up our community. A central part of that visit should include an interview, tour, class visit and overnight stay. This brochure describes how to plan a campus visit and provides tips on some ways you can learn about Pomona once you are here.

When you are ready to make plans, or if you have questions that are not answered in this publication, please call or write us at:

Pomona College
Office of Admissions
333 North College Way
Claremont, CA 91711-6312
(909) 621-8134

You may contact us via email or by visiting our Website:

admissions@pomona.edu
http://www.pomona.edu

WHEN TO VISIT

The Office of Admissions, located in Sumner Hall, is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. From late September through early December we are also open Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., when the College is in session. *See the calendar at the back of this publication for specific details; please call us to confirm dates and times.*

A campus visit is informative any time of year. A visit when the College is in session can be especially rewarding because it allows you to meet students and faculty, to visit classes, to stay overnight in a dormitory and to see the dynamics of campus life during the academic year.

WHAT TO DO ONCE YOU'RE HERE

Interviews

The interview gives you an opportunity to share your goals and interests with us and to ask specific questions about academic and social life. We recommend it as a way for us to get to know each other better. *We suggest that you interview before you submit your application.*

Interviews are conducted by members of the admissions staff and by senior interviewers—students who are selected and trained to help us accommodate the many interview requests we receive. Please call two or three weeks before your visit to make arrangements for an appointment; however, appointments in December fill up quickly, so please plan accordingly.

All freshman candidates who live in Southern California are expected to interview and should make arrangements to come to the campus. We strongly recommend that you interview as soon as possible in the fall.

Freshman candidates who live outside of Southern California and are unable to interview on campus may meet with alumni of the College in their home towns. Alumni interview request cards are included in the College's freshman application materials; requests must be received in our office by October 15 for Early Decision 1 candidates and December 1 for Early Decision 2 and Regular Decision candidates.

Please note that applicants for Early Decision 1 must complete their interviews by November 15; those applying under the Early Decision 2 or Regular Decision program must interview by December 22. Transfer candidates for fall entry must interview by February 15 and may only interview on campus.

Information Sessions

Members of the admissions staff conduct daily group information sessions for interested students and parents. The sessions consist of an overview of the College and its programs. *We recommend that you call us to confirm dates and times.* No reservation is necessary.

Tours

Student-led tours of Pomona's campus are offered every day that the Office of Admissions is open throughout the year. Tours offer a student's perspective of the College's academic and social life. Again, we recommend that you call us to confirm dates and times. No reservation is necessary.

Lunch

A student-hosted lunch is available in one of the College's dining halls when the College is in session. Lunch provides the opportunity to meet current students and sample the dining hall cuisine. No reservation is necessary.

Classes

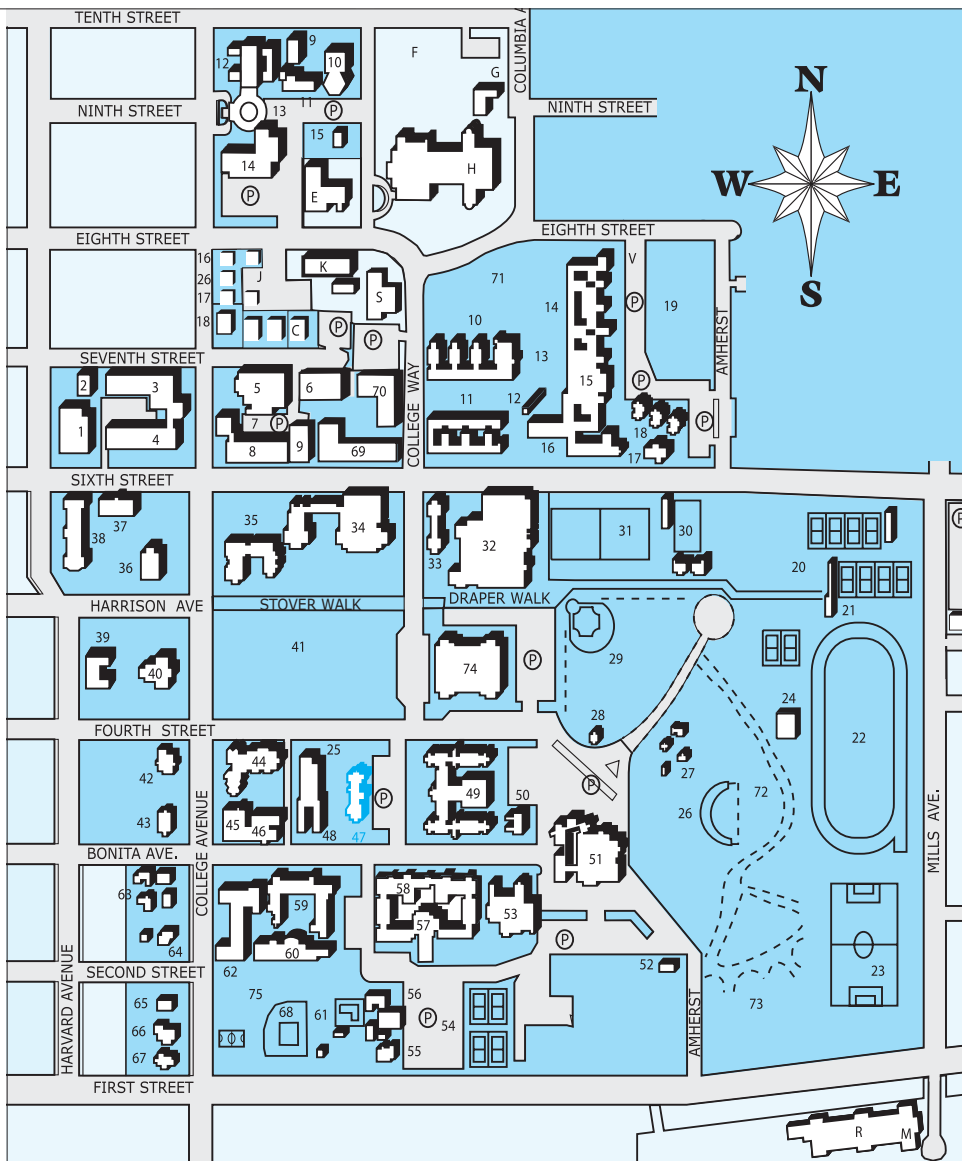
The greatest number of classes are scheduled in the morning; no classes are held on Friday afternoons or Saturdays. The Office of Admissions keeps a complete schedule of classes for reference. *We recommend class visits after the first week of classes and before the last week of classes for each semester. Check the calendar in this publication for dates the College is in session.* No reservation is necessary.

Overnight Stays

Overnight stays may be arranged when the College is in session (see calendar). Current students volunteer to host you for your stay. Please bring a sleeping bag; we will give you meal passes redeemable in the College's dining halls.

Prospective students may stay during the fall of their senior year. Freshman applicants and transfer prospective students may stay overnight January through mid-March. Only admitted students may stay during the month of April.

If you wish to stay in a residence hall, please call the Office of Admissions at least two weeks before your visit. If you wish to stay with friends or relatives at Pomona, please contact them directly; they can make arrangements with the Office of Admissions for meal passes.



POMONA COLLEGE

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| 35 Alexander Hall for Administration | 59 Harwood Court | 4 Seaver South | G Disability Admin. |
| 9 Andrew Science Building | 55 Kenyon House | 51 Seaver Theatre | E Earl W. Huntley Bookstore |
| 19 Athen Field | 18 Lawry Court | 5 Seeley Mudd Science Library | H Honnold / Mudd Library |
| 65 Baldwin House | 48 Lebus Court | 33 Smiley Hall | M Human Resources |
| 29 Baseball Field | 70 Lincoln Building | 34 Smith Campus Center | G McAlister Religious Center |
| 13 Bixby Plaza | 60 Lyon Court | 12 Smith Tower | F Mudd Quadrangle |
| 25 Blanchard Park | 41 Marston Quadrangle | 23 Soccer Field | C Office of Black Student Affairs |
| 27 Brackett Observatory | 38 Mason Hall | 68 Softball Field | K Pendleton Business Building |
| 47 Bridges Hall of Music | 31 Merritt Football Field | 26 Sontag Greek Theatre | Chief Executive Offices |
| 40 Carnegie Building | 8 Millikan Laboratory | 22 Strehle Track | Financial Services |
| 14 Clark I | 58 Mudd / Blaisdell Hall | *47 Summer Hall (Admissions) | Information Services |
| 16 Clark III | 45 Museum of Art | 67 Sumner House | Risk Management & Employ' Benefits |
| 11 Clark V | 16 Norton-Clark | 44 Thatcher Music Building | V Telephone Office (Pomona Campus) |
| 66 Cook House | 49 Oldenberg Center | 21 Tennis / Track Office | S Tranquada Student Services Center |
| 63 Cottages | 50 Oldenberg Residence | 24 Track / Grounds Office | Chicano/Latino Student Aff'rs Cntr |
| 6 Cowart Information Technology Structure Building/Parking Structure | 20 Pauley Tennis Complex | 71 Walker Beach | Health Education Outreach |
| 37 Crookshank Hall | 36 Pearsons Hall | 10 Walker Hall | Monsour/Couns' & Psych' Services |
| 7 Duplicating Center | 56 Pendleton Dance Center | 17 Walton Commons | Student Health Service |
| 2 Faculty Offices (156 W. 7th) | 61 Pendleton Pool | 75 Wig Beach | |
| 73 Farm-Agroecology | 42 President's House | 62 Wig Hall | |
| 53 Frank Dining Hall | 32 Rains Center for Sport / Recreation | | |
| 15 Fry Dining Hall | 46 Rembrandt Hall | | |
| 57 Gibson Computer Lab | 64 Renwick House | | |
| 52 Grounds Building | 28 Replica House | | |
| 39 Hahn Building | 1 Richard C. Seaver Biology Building | | |
| 30 Haldeman Pool | 54 Rogers Tennis Complex | | |
| | 43 Seaver House | | |
| | 3 Seaver North | | |

CLAREMONT UNIVERSITY CONSORTIUM CENTRAL FACILITIES

- R Central Facilities Services
- J CUC Grounds & Custodial offices



WHERE TO STAY

Families of prospective students and students who are not spending the night on campus may stay in a variety of hotels. You can ask for the special “Pomona College rate” at the Doubletree Hotel in Claremont (909/626-2411). Other hotel options near the College are the Sheraton Suites Fairplex (800/722-4055) and the Shilo Inn (800/222-2244). Also, the DoubletreeHotel(800/222-TREE), the Marriott Hotel (800/228-9290), and the Hilton Hotel (800/445-8667) are among several hotels located near Ontario International Airport.

HOW TO GET HERE

Pomona College is located in Claremont, California, 35 miles east of downtown Los Angeles, and is easily accessible by car, plane or rail.

By Car

From anywhere except Pasadena and the San Fernando Valley, take I-10 to Indian Hill Boulevard, Exit 47. From Orange County, take the Orange Freeway (Route 57) to I-10 east. From the Long Beach area, take the San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605) or the Long Beach Freeway (I-710) to I-10 east.

After exiting at Indian Hill Boulevard, drive north about one mile to Bonita Avenue, turn right and go four blocks to the Sumner Hall parking lot which is on the left.

From Pasadena and the San Fernando Valley, take the Foothill Freeway (I-210) east to Towne Avenue. Turn right onto Towne, traveling south to Foothill Boulevard. Turn left onto Foothill. Travel east on Foothill to Indian Hill Boulevard, turn right, and proceed south ten blocks to Bonita Avenue. Turn left onto Bonita and travel four blocks to the Sumner Hall (Office of Admissions) parking lot.

By Plane

We recommend flying into Ontario International Airport, which is closest to campus. Ontario is served by most major airlines and all major car rental agencies. A cab ride to Claremont takes 15 minutes and costs around \$30.

Those flying into LAX may take a commuter flight to Ontario, rent a car, or take a shuttle van to Claremont. Allow an hour and a half to two hours driving time during peak hours.

SuperShuttle offers a 15% discount to any Pomona visitor to/from the following

Southern California airports: Los Angeles International (LAX), Ontario (ONT), Burbank (BUR), John Wayne Orange County (SNA) and Long Beach (LGB).

Use discount code FPCS2 when booking online at www.supershuttle.com or calling 1-800-BLUE-VAN.

From Downtown Los Angeles by Rail

The Los Angeles area Metrolink serves the city of Claremont with a station two blocks from the campus. Call (800) 371-LINK or check www.metrolinktrains.com for a schedule.

VISITING POMONA		Monday-Friday	Saturday
May 17 to Sept. 10	Campus Tours	9:00 11:00	
	Info. Session	10:00	
Sept. 13 to Dec. 4*	Campus Tours	10:00 12:00 1:30	1:00
	Info. Session	11:00	12:00
	Hosted Lunch	12:00	
Dec. 6 to Dec. 17	Campus Tours	12:00	
	Info. Session	11:00	
Dec. 20-22** & Jan. 3-28	Campus Tours	10:00 1:30	
	Info. Session	11:00	
Jan. 31 to Apr. 29***	Campus Tours	10:00 12:00 1:30	
	Info. Session	11:00	
	Hosted Lunch	12:00	
May 2 to May 13	Campus Tours	12:00	
	Info. Session	11:00	

*Sept. 25: Saturday schedule begins.

Oct. 15 & 18-19: Tours are at 10:00 and 1:30 only. Information Session is at 11:00.

Thanksgiving Break: Nov. 25-28; Office is closed.

**Holiday Break: Dec. 23-Jan. 2; Office is closed. No 1:30 tour offered on Dec. 22.

***Spring Break: Mar. 11-20; Tours are at 10:00 and 1:30 only. Information Session is at 11:00.

See inside for interview and overnight visitor information.

Pomona College complies with all applicable state and federal civil rights laws prohibiting discrimination in education and the workplace. This policy of non-discrimination covers admission, access and service in Pomona College programs and activities, as well as hiring, promotion, compensation, benefits and all other terms and conditions of employment at Pomona College.

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College Calendar 2010-2011

August 31	Fall semester classes begin.
September 6	Office of Admissions closed.
September 25	Office of Admissions open on Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. through December 4 (excluding November 27). Overnight stays begin. Available through the Fall semester. Call the Office of Admissions to make arrangements.
October 15	Alumni interview request deadline for Early Decision 1 candidates.
October 15-19	Fall break. No classes or overnight stays.
Oct. 29-Nov. 1	No overnight stays.
November 1	Early Decision 1 freshman application deadline.
November 15	Last day for interviews, candidates for Early Decision 1 admission in Fall 2011.
November 25-28	Thanksgiving recess. No classes. Office of Admissions closed. No overnight stays November 24-28.
December 1	Alumni interview request deadline for Early Decision 2 and Regular Decision candidates.
December 3	Last day for overnight stays, Fall semester.
December 4	Last Saturday Office of Admissions is open (10 a.m. until 1 p.m.).
December 8	Last day of classes, Fall semester.
December 22	Last day for interviews, candidates for freshman admission in Fall 2011.
Dec. 23-Jan. 2	Office of Admissions closed to visitors, but receiving mail and applications.
December 28	Early Decision 2 freshman application deadline.
January 2	Regular Decision freshman application deadline.
January 17	Office of Admissions closed.
January 18	Spring semester classes begin.
January 31	Overnight stays resume for freshman applicants and prospective transfers only. Available through mid-March.
February 15	Last day for interviews, candidates for transfer admission in Fall 2011.
March 11-20	Spring break. No classes.
March 11-31	No overnight stays.
March 15	Fall transfer application deadline.
March 25	Office of Admissions closed.
April 1-30	Overnight stays for admitted freshmen applicants only.
May 4	Last day of classes, Spring semester.
May 15	Commencement.
May 30	Office of Admissions closed.
July 4	Office of Admissions closed.



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