Developing leaders of character.

The learning experience continues after Texas A&M graduates frame their diploma, because a passion is instilled during their time here. A passion for lifelong learning and serving the greater good. This shows in the lives of Aggies the world over.
IS A COLLEGE DEGREE WORTH THE COST?
A DEGREE FROM TEXAS A&M IS.

The metrics are undeniable — Texas A&M is unique in delivering a transformational, world-class education that remains affordable, accessible and achievable.

AFFORDABLE

▸ TEXAS A&M’S **ANNUAL COST IS 30% LOWER THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE.**
  US Dept. of Education’s “College Scorecard”, 2016

▸ **LOWEST ADMINISTRATIVE COST RATIO IN TEXAS AT 3.6%.** THE AVERAGE FOR TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITIES IS 9.8%.
  THECB, 2015

▸ **LESS THAN 45% OF TEXAS A&M STUDENTS GRADUATE WITH STUDENT LOAN DEBT — AND GETTING LOWER.**
  Texas A&M Academic Affairs, 2015

▸ **#2 IN THE NATION FOR “BEST VALUE SCHOOLS” OF ALL FOUR-YEAR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.**

ACCESSIBLE

▸ **#2 BEST COLLEGE FOR VETERANS IN THE NATION.**
  College Factual, 2016

▸ **#1 IN THE NATION OF “BEST COLLEGES YOU CAN ACTUALLY GET INTO.”**
  Money Magazine, 2016

▸ **1 OUT OF 4 TEXAS A&M STUDENTS IS 1ST GENERATION.**
  Texas A&M Academic Affairs, 2015

▸ **23% OF THE 2015 FRESHMAN CLASS ARE UNDERREPRESENTED STUDENTS.**
  THECB, 2016

Chiamaka Efuchie ’19
Finance

Alex Casas ’18
Biomedical Sciences
**Transformational**

- **Two-thirds of students spent at least one hour performing community service or volunteer activities in a typical week.**
  
  *Student Experience in the Research University (SERU), 2015*

- **#1 rated faculty in Texas.**
  
  *Rate My Professors, 2015*

- **“Best overall student experience” in the nation.**
  
  *Daily Beast, 2015*

- **90% of students were satisfied with educational enrichment programs (e.g., service-learning, study abroad, internships).**
  
  *Student Experience in the Research University (SERU), 2015*

- **#1 in Texas for time-to-degree (4.0 years) of all four-year public institutions. The state average is 4.9 years.**
  
  *THECB, 2016*

- **#1 in the state among all public and private universities based on social mobility, research, and service.**
  
  *Washington Monthly, 2015*

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**Achievable**

- **Only public school in Texas on Forbes list of “four-year schools with high graduation rates and low costs.”**
  
  *Forbes, 2015*

- **#1 in the nation of colleges that combine best outcomes for low-income students with accessible admission rates.**
  
  *Priceonomics, 2015*

- **#1 in Texas for number of bachelor’s degrees awarded.**
  
  *THECB, 2016*

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*William Nereson ‘14, M.Eng. Chemical Engineering*

*Madeline Smoot ‘16, Microbiology*
Investment

Ask the Texas A&M graduates themselves.

Almost 90% of recent Texas A&M graduates said they were “very” or “extremely” satisfied with the investment in their education.

Texas A&M doesn’t fit into the one-size-fits-all model of public universities. We are consistently recognized among the best in higher education, and the life-changing value we provide our students is beyond measure.

- #1 RETURN ON INVESTMENT IN TEXAS OF ALL FOUR-YEAR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS. Payscale, 2015 & 2016


- #1 FOR “GETTING A WELL PAID JOB” IN TEXAS. Newsweek, 2015

- #3 BEST ALUMNI NETWORK IN THE NATION. Princeton Review, 2016

- #2 TOP-RATED GRADUATES BY RECRUITERS IN THE NATION. Wall Street Journal, 2010