Compared to Princeton’s medical school applicants, the veterinary school applicants are a more diverse group in terms of their academic preparation and time to application. Thus, it is difficult to provide data that captures the applicant pool in aggregate.

### Princeton Applicants to Veterinary School by Application Year

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The thirteen accepted applicants submitted a total of 96 applications and accrued 41 acceptances to the following programs:

- Colorado State University (4)
- Cornell University (4)
- Kansas State
- Lincoln Memorial
- Massey
- Oklahoma State
- Oregon State
- Ross University (3)
- Royal Veterinary College (2)
- Tufts (4)
- University College Dublin
- U Edinburgh
- U Glasgow
- U Minnesota (2)
- U of Wisconsin
- U of Pennsylvania (5)
- U of Tennessee
- U of Wisconsin
- UC Davis (3)
- Virginia-Maryland (2)
- Western University
Academic Preparation

• Accepted applicants’ GRE scores ranged widely but averaged in the 85th – 90th percentile in each section.
• The average total undergraduate GPA, including Princeton courses, summer courses, and postbac courses, was a 3.47, with a range from 2.6 to 3.9.
• The average science GPA, including Princeton courses, summer courses, and postbac courses, was a 3.48, with a range from 2.6 to 3.9.
• The average number of science credit hours was 81 (the equivalent of about 20 Princeton courses), with a range from 47 to 113.
• Of the 13 accepted applicants:
  o Nine took course work after graduation prior to applying
  o Eight were EEB majors
  o Two took summer courses away from Princeton
  o Three were career changers who took most or all of their prerequisites at another university

Application Timeline

• 13 out of 13 accepted applicants took glide years between graduation and matriculation at veterinary school.
• Most applicants submitted the VMCAS application in early September.
• The number of applications submitted ranged from two to twenty.
• The number of acceptances ranged from one to nine.

Time to Application

- 1 glide year: 8%
- 2 glide years: 15%
- 3 glide years: 31%
- 4 glide years: 31%
- 5 or more glide years: 15%

Additional Resources

• HPA Prevet Resources: hpa.princeton.edu/explore-careers/veterinary-medicine
• Association of American Veterinary Medical Colleges Student Portal: www.aavmc.org/students-applicants-and-advisors.aspx