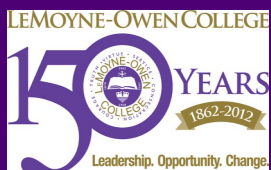




# LEMOYNE-OWEN COLLEGE



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## FACT SHEET 2011-2012

### Mission Statement

LeMoyne-Owen College provides a transformative experience educating students for urban-focused leadership, scholarship, service and professional careers.

### Vision Statement

To be an exemplary historically black college providing an excellent liberal arts education that transforms urban students, institutions and communities.

### History:

Originally founded in 1862; officially becoming LeMoyne Normal and Commercial School (1871) and merging with Owen College (1947) in 1968 becoming LeMoyne-Owen College.

### FOUNDING COMMUNITIES:

American Missionary Association and the Tennessee Baptist Mission and Educational Convention.

### ENROLLMENT (Fall 2011)

First-time Freshmen class: 183  
Total enrollment: 1091 (982 FT, 109 PT)  
Gender: Female (67%); Male (33%)  
Student-Faculty Ratio: 14:1

### STUDENT LEVELS (Fall 2011)

Freshmen	469 (43.0 %)
Sophomores	250 (22.9 %)
Juniors	191 (17.5 %)
Seniors	181 (16.6 %)

### ENROLLMENT TYPE (Fall 2011)

First-time Freshmen	183 (16.8%)
Transfers	90 (8.2%)
Continuing/Readmits	818 (75.0%)

### STUDENT AGE (Fall 2011)

Under 18	14 (1.3%)
18-24	633 (58.0%)
25-44	338 (31.0%)
45-64	102 (9.3%)
65 and over	4 (0.4%)



# LeMoyne-Owen COLLEGE

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### ACADEMIC DIVISIONS:

Business and Economic Development Education  
Fine Arts & Humanities  
Natural and Mathematical Sciences  
Social and Behavioral Sciences

### DEGREES OFFERED:

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.),  
Bachelor of Science (B.S.)  
Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.)

### MAJORS (22):

Art, Biology, Business Administration, Chemistry, Computer Science, Criminal Justice (interdisciplinary), Child Development and Family Studies (Early Childhood Education), English, General Mathematics, General Science, History, Humanities (interdisciplinary), Information Technology, Language Arts, Mathematics, Music, Political Science, Social Science (interdisciplinary), Social Studies (interdisciplinary), Social Work, Sociology, Special Education, Urban Leadership and Social Justice

## ATTENDANCE STATUS

Full-time 90%

Part-time 10%

## FTE ENROLLMENT

IPEDS 1045

## RACE/ETHNICITY

Black 99.0%

Hispanic/ 0.1%

Non-Resident Alien 0.7%

White 0.2%

Retention Rate 50%

## Residency Status

In-State 996 (91.3%)

Out-of-State 95 (8.7%)

## State of Permanent Residence:

Tennessee 996

Mississippi 31

Arkansas 19

Illinois 7

Michigan 5

## Major of Study (Top 5)

Business 24%

Education 7%

Criminal Justice 7%

Biology 6%

Computer Science 4%

## ALUMNI CHAPTERS 6

## STUDENT HOUSING

201 beds

## ATHLETICS:

Intercollegiate Sports: 10

Nickname: *Magicians*

School Colors:

Purple & Gold

Conference:

NCAA Div. II, Southern

## ACCREDITATION:

LeMoyné-Owen College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award the baccalaureate degree. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of LeMoyné-Owen College.

The Commission on Colleges should be contacted only if there is evidence that appears to support that LeMoyné-Owen College is non-compliant with a Commission requirement or standard.

The Division of Education at LeMoyné-Owen College is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), [www.ncate.org](http://www.ncate.org). This accreditation covers initial teacher preparation programs at LeMoyné-Owen College. However, the accreditation does not include individual education courses that the institution offers to P-12 educators for professional development, relicensure, or other purposes.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

American Humanics

Center for African and African-American Studies (CAAAS)  
W.E.B. Du Bois Scholars Honors Program

Early Admissions

Cooperative Learning (Internships)  
Service Learning

Study Abroad

TRIO Student Support Services Program

TRIO Upward Bound Program

HBCU Wellness Program

Teaching & Learning Center

## STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS:

Academic/Professional: 7

Greek Organizations: 9

Honor Societies: 2

Performing Arts: 6

Religious: 1

Special Interest: 4

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