Enrollment Update – 2019-2020

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Fall Recap 2019

- College Fairs:
 - ▶ 174 (Total) 144 (Staff), 30 (APART)
- High School Visits:
 - **>** 876
- Off-campus interviews:
 - **4**7

- 28 States (including DC), 11 Countries (including the United States)
- Total Students met with:
 - **2**,077
- Senior Visitors (Individual visits, three on-campus events)
 - ▶ 460 (Aug 1-Nov 15)

Admission Stats to Date (Jan 6, 2020)

2020		2019	
Total Applications:	2711	Total Applications:	3001
Completed Applications:	2180	Completed Applications:	2303
Students admitted:	1748	Students admitted:	1834
Average SAT/ACT:Average GPA:	1234/26 3.74	Average SAT/ACT:Average GPA:	1246/26 3.71
Number Enrolled:	56	Number Enrolled:	31

2019-20 Strategic Enrollment Goals

- Begin admitting students in October (vs. December) regardless of the admission plan under which they apply - to be more competitive with peers that share early admission decisions
- Introduce pre-read process for athletics
- Introduce and implement new rating system for student athletes
- Increase A/PART involvement in recruitment activities, include attendance at college fairs, conducting interviews, connecting with prospective parents, hosting/attending receptions, etc.

2019-20 Strategic Enrollment Goals

- Better coordinated Student Search process partner with EnrollmentFUEL
- Enhance digital marketing presence through Gateway Media partnership
- Earlier and more personal communication efforts with juniors
- Continued engagement with students and families in a very personal to ensure they feel they have an advocate for them in the admission process, and a resource from which they can learn more directly about OWU

2019-20 Strategic Enrollment Goals

- Implement YouVisit and Custom Viewbook as new tools in our communication strategy
- Hire a regional recruiter for Chicago
- Enhance recruitment efforts in Nashville, Houston and Denver
- Hire a transfer coordinator
- Promote longevity among admission staff members

Questions?