

Northeast Rank	Forbes Name	State	Carnegie Classification	Control	Total Score
1	Williams College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	88.64295154
2	Princeton University	NJ	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	87.62087526
3	Amherst College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	84.52559925
4	United States Military Academy	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Public	84.50073095
5	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	83.4709382
6	Swarthmore College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	83.25719054
7	Harvard University	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	81.71408549
8	Yale University	CT	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	81.24439826
9	Wellesley College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	80.72036429
10	Columbia University	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	80.54681019
11	Haverford College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	80.42818878
12	Wesleyan University	CT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	79.3671702
13	Vassar College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	77.71597562
14	Middlebury College	VT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	75.5108565
15	Boston College	MA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	75.41423063
16	Colgate University	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	74.78365124
17	Dartmouth College	NH	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	74.36622824
18	Colby College	ME	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	74.33524241
19	Tufts University	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	72.79265982
20	Smith College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	72.50917839
21	University of Pennsylvania	PA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	72.43290552
22	Bryn Mawr College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	71.97423257
23	College of the Holy Cross	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	71.541725
24	Bowdoin College	ME	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	71.1355314
25	Brown University	RI	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	70.46591399
26	Union College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	69.54212608
27	Bates College	ME	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	68.25473434
28	Bucknell University	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	68.21625718
29	Brandeis University	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	67.69521241
30	Lafayette College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	67.0887668
31	Barnard College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	66.59243254
32	Dickinson College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	65.73210058
33	Cornell University	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	64.63688197
34	Hamilton College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	62.97814429
35	Mount Holyoke College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	62.29244848
36	Skidmore College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	61.88694502
37	Juniata College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	61.27926606
38	Connecticut College	CT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	61.23551485
39	Drew University	NJ	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	59.63001761
40	Cooper Union	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	58.99673969
41	Wells College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	58.86451958
42	Trinity College	CT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	58.85666274
43	Franklin and Marshall College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	58.3494662
44	Washington and Jefferson College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	58.26808972

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45	Ursinus College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	58.11640249
46	United States Coast Guard Academy	CT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Public	57.54417066
47	Carnegie Mellon University	PA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	57.13233328
48	Ithaca College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Private	57.06451896
49	Villanova University	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	56.6968098
50	Gettysburg College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	56.0934483
51	Allegheny College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	55.41068292
52	St. Michael's College	VT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	55.34754006
53	Muhlenberg College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	55.21746438
54	University of Rochester	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	55.18987578
55	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	54.77017229
56	St. Anselm College	NH	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	54.63561022
57	Manhattan College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Private	54.50362437
58	Marlboro College	VT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	54.10052179
59	Gordon College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	53.40653652
60	Clark University	MA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	53.39669496
61	United States Merchant Marine Academy	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Public	53.22280109
62	Sarah Lawrence College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	52.84514335
63	New York University	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	52.73400415
64	Lehigh University	PA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	52.57672705
65	College of the Atlantic	ME	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	51.29534234
66	Pennsylvania State University, University Park	PA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	51.13989147
67	SUNY, Binghamton (Binghamton University)	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	50.92031687
68	Providence College	RI	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	50.613907
69	University of Pittsburgh	PA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	50.57038836
70	Susquehanna University	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	50.53625378
71	Fordham University	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	50.51247937
72	Hampshire College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	50.34025735
73	Houghton College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	50.134148
74	Bard College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	49.72513822
75	Boston University	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	49.39256873
76	University of Scranton	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Private	49.24702643
77	St. Joseph's College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	49.04553528
78	Siena College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	48.57670469
79	Wheaton College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	48.01264234
80	Emerson College	MA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	47.79004061
81	Bennington College	VT	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	47.5873909
82	St. Lawrence University	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	47.52145557
83	Cedar Crest College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	47.13204544
84	Alfred University	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Private	46.67461598
85	University of Connecticut	CT	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	46.43794972
86	SUNY, College of Environmental Science and Forestry	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	46.36258511
87	Grove City College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	46.35562854
88	Marist College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	46.14396064
89	College of New Jersey	NJ	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	45.97935343
90	Moravian College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	45.54445548
91	Syracuse University	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	45.45565088

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92	King's College	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (smaller programs)	Private	45.36165551
93	Worcester Polytechnic Institute	MA	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	45.02685608
94	SUNY, Stony Brook (Stony Brook University)	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	44.55299566
95	Fairfield University	CT	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	44.48261179
96	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	44.20119245
97	Le Moyne College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	44.13648109
98	Stonehill College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	44.08522756
99	SUNY, Geneseo	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Public	43.89607848
100	University of Vermont	VT	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	43.35829301
101	Polytechnic Institute of NYU	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	43.24289026
102	Clarkson University	NY	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	42.51329414
103	St. John Fisher College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	42.20278445
104	Adelphi University	NY	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	42.0608932
105	CUNY, Baruch College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	41.81496917
106	Rutgers University, New Brunswick	NJ	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	41.73997313
107	Bentley University	MA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	41.66281127
108	University of New Hampshire	NH	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	41.40071654
109	Duquesne University	PA	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	41.27045517
110	Hartwick College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	40.79500443
111	Lycoming College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	40.36435667
112	Simmons College	MA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	40.18156955
113	St. Joseph's University	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	40.15708956
114	Lebanon Valley College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	40.13695042
115	St. Vincent College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	39.73879844
116	University of Massachusetts, Amherst	MA	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	39.54997767
117	Stevens Institute of Technology	NJ	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	39.46336782
118	Russell Sage College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	39.31941739
119	SUNY, Albany (University at Albany)	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	39.27639202
120	Quinnipiac University	CT	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	39.26750769
121	Elizabethtown College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	38.18186506
122	Seton Hall University	NJ	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	37.62465033
123	Yeshiva University	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Private	37.57394533
124	CUNY, Queens College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	37.50437531
125	Messiah College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	37.2556032
126	St. Francis College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	37.23190062
127	CUNY, City College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	36.87002024
128	SUNY, Buffalo (University at Buffalo)	NY	Research Universities (very high research activity)	Public	36.74704834
129	Westminster College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	36.64263901
130	New School	NY	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	36.35054174
131	University of Maine, Orono	ME	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	35.5815211
132	Seton Hill University	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	35.03091174
133	University of Massachusetts, Lowell	MA	Doctoral/Research Universities	Public	34.90268749
134	University of Rhode Island	RI	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	34.82551815
135	Albright College	PA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	34.39740319
136	Iona College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	33.92457921
137	La Salle University	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	33.26409083
138	Bryant University	RI	Master's Colleges and Universities (medium programs)	Private	32.56388889

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139	St. John's University	NY	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	32.36955153
140	Temple University	PA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	32.06378589
141	CUNY, Brooklyn College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	31.80219853
142	Northeastern University	MA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	31.54899331
143	CUNY, Hunter College	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	31.31189888
144	Merrimack College	MA	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	31.30950206
145	Colby-Sawyer College	NH	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	31.16177517
146	Hofstra University	NY	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	30.82371311
147	Millersville University	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	30.14871634
148	Montclair State University	NJ	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	30.04474882
149	Rutgers University, Newark	NJ	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	29.39945535
150	Drexel University	PA	Research Universities (high research activity)	Private	28.56353755
151	Bloomfield College	NJ	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	28.44583792
152	Rochester Institute of Technology	NY	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	28.18200725
153	Rider University	NJ	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	27.55170732
154	Rowan University	NJ	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	26.9364901
155	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	PA	Doctoral/Research Universities	Public	26.46965749
156	West Chester University of Pennsylvania	PA	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	25.93901914
157	New Jersey Institute of Technology	NJ	Research Universities (high research activity)	Public	25.86591229
158	Pace University	NY	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	25.7206405
159	Elmira College	NY	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	25.52498668
160	Roger Williams University	RI	Baccalaureate Colleges--Diverse Fields	Private	24.60523047
161	Rhode Island College	RI	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Public	24.4678703
162	Fairleigh Dickinson University, Metropolitan Campus	NJ	Master's Colleges and Universities (larger programs)	Private	22.68793293
163	Franklin Pierce University	NH	Baccalaureate Colleges--Arts & Sciences	Private	20.18696589
164	Widener University	PA	Doctoral/Research Universities	Private	19.70592077