



# GROVE CITY COLLEGE

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## Grove City College listed in ‘America’s Best Value Colleges’ guidebook by Princeton Review

GROVE CITY, Pa. – According to The Princeton Review, Grove City College is one of the nation’s best value undergraduate institutions. The New York-based education services company features Grove City in the 2007 edition of “America’s Best Value Colleges,” on sale today.

The guide profiles 150 colleges with excellent academics and relatively low costs. It includes 103 public and 47 private colleges in 40 states. The Princeton Review chose the colleges for the book based on data the company obtained from administrators at 646 colleges and from its surveys of students attending them.

According to The Princeton Review, the average cost to attend a public college or university for four years is now \$48,500. At a private college, it’s \$116,000. At highly selective schools, costs total about \$160,000. At public four-year colleges, tuition and fees rose 7.1 percent this year; at private institutions, they increased 5.9 percent. At Grove City College in 2006-07, full-time students in residence halls will pay annually \$16,728, which includes tuition, room and board. Grove City College does not tack on additional fees and has been named one of the most competitive colleges in the nation by Barron’s.

“America’s Best Value Colleges” has three-page profiles on the colleges and lists of the top 10 best value private colleges and the top 10 best value public colleges, as well as provides advice about applying for college admission and financial aid. Additional topics covered in the profiles include: About the College, Getting In, Bang for Your Buck, What do Graduates Do?, The Bottom Line, Students Say and Fun Facts.

The Princeton Review ([www.princetonreview.com](http://www.princetonreview.com)) is an educational services company known for its test-prep courses, books, and K-12, college and grad school educational services.

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*Grove City College is listed as one of the Most Competitive colleges in the nation by Barron’s. In its category, Grove City College is also ranked by U.S. News & World Report as No. 1 Best Value and No. 3 overall in the 2006 guide to America’s Best Colleges. Grove City College has also been called a “best value” and a “hidden treasure” by guidance counselors in the Kaplan National High School Guidance Counselor Survey, and is also the No. 16 Best Bargain school according to the Princeton Review. Founded in 1876, it is located 60 miles north of Pittsburgh, Pa. With an enrollment of 2,300 students, it is a private Christian college teaching the liberal arts, sciences and engineering. It is an advocate of the free market economic system and accepts no federal funding. Tuition is about half of the national average for private colleges.*