Colleges in Michigan: GPA & ACT Tiers

(GPA & ACT Averages of college freshman class based on information found on institutions' websites & [http://www.michigancollegesguide.com/](http://www.michigancollegesguide.com/))

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*While there is no minimum GPA & ACT requirements for enrollment into Baker & community colleges, students must take placement tests. Low scores on these tests may place students in remedial courses, for which NO COLLEGE CREDIT IS AWARDED. Students are advised to follow a college prep curriculum to avoid remedial placement, as well as, for scholarship considerations.*

Core Academic Areas:
- 4 years Language Arts
- 4 years Mathematics
- 4 years Science
- 3 years Social sciences
- 2-3 years World language
Most colleges strongly recommend, in some cases require, minimum completion of the above college prep curriculum.

Additional Criteria: Factored in admission decisions:
- Leadership qualities
- Exceptional talent
- Citizenship & Conduct
- Extracurricular involvement
- Recommendation letters
- Essays

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