

Abilene, Texas

Table 6: Higher Education Resources (Four Year Institutions)

Name of Institution	City	County	Enrollment	Graduates	Phone	Website
Abilene Christian University	Abilene	Taylor	4,544	1,086	325-674-2000	Link
Program	Associate	Bachelor	Master	Doctor	Under-graduate	Post-graduate
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences						
Agribusiness/Agricultural Business Operations	-	2	-	-	-	-
Animal Sciences, General	-	7	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	9	-	-	-	-
Architecture and Related Services						
Architecture and Related Services, Other	1	-	-	-	-	-
Category total	1	-	-	-	-	-
Biological And Biomedical Sciences						
Biochemistry	-	11	-	-	-	-
Biology/Biological Sciences, General	-	40	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	51	-	-	-	-
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Services						
Accounting	-	43	28	-	-	-
Business Administration and Management, General	-	41	-	-	-	-
Finance, General	-	12	-	-	-	-
Information Resources Management	-	7	-	-	-	-
Management Information Systems, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	-	42	-	-	-	-
Non-Profit/Public/Organizational Management	-	-	-	-	-	0
Category total	-	145	28	-	-	0
Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs						
Digital Communication and Media/Multimedia	-	11	-	-	-	-
Journalism	-	1	-	-	-	-
Public Relations, Advertising, and Applied Communication, Other	-	11	-	-	-	-
Public Relations/Image Management	-	23	-	-	-	-
Speech Communication and Rhetoric	-	23	6	-	-	-
Category total	-	69	6	-	-	-
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services						
Computer Science	-	7	-	-	-	-

Information Technology	-	7	0	-	-	-
Category total	-	14	0	-	-	-
Education						
Art Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Biology Teacher Education	-	2	-	-	-	-
Education, General	-	-	7	-	-	-
Educational Administration and Supervision, Other	-	-	0	-	-	0
Educational Leadership and Administration, General	-	-	16d	-	-	-
Elementary Education and Teaching	-	21	-	-	-	-
English/Language Arts Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Higher Education/Higher Education Administration	-	-	21d	-	-	0
History Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education and Teaching	-	0	-	-	-	-
Mathematics Teacher Education	-	7	-	-	-	-
Music Teacher Education	-	8	-	-	-	-
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching	-	0	-	-	-	-
Physics Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Science Teacher Education/General Science Teacher Education	-	1	-	-	-	-
Secondary Education and Teaching	-	3	-	-	-	-
Social Studies Teacher Education	-	2	-	-	-	-
Spanish Language Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Special Education and Teaching, General	-	0	0	-	-	-
Superintendency and Educational System Administration	-	-	-	-	-	4d
Category total	-	44	44d	-	-	4d
Engineering						
Engineering Physics/Applied Physics	-	0	-	-	-	-
Engineering Science	-	0	-	-	-	-
Engineering, General	-	7	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	7	-	-	-	-
English Language and Literature/Letters						
English Language and Literature, General	-	18	6	-	-	-
Category total	-	18	6	-	-	-
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences						
Human Development and Family Studies, General	-	25	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	25	-	-	-	-
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics						

Spanish Language and Literature	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	1	-	-	-	-
Health Professions and Related Programs						
Dietetics and Clinical Nutrition Services, Other	-	-	-	-	-	12
Dietetics/Dietitian	-	11	-	-	-	-
Family Practice Nurse/Nursing	-	-	0	-	-	0
Health/Medical Preparatory Programs, Other	-	1	-	-	-	-
Marriage and Family Therapy/Counseling	-	-	22d	-	-	-
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	-	45	-	-	-	-
Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist	-	38	23	-	-	-
Category total	-	95	45d	-	-	12
History						
History, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	2	-	-	-	-
Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting and Related Protective Services						
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Administration	-	12	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	12	-	-	-	-
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities						
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	-	-	1	-	-	-
Category total	-	-	1	-	-	-
Mathematics and Statistics						
Mathematics, General	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	1	-	-	-	-
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies						
Gerontology	-	-	-	-	1	1
International/Global Studies	-	8	-	-	-	-
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other	-	30	52d	-	-	-
Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution	-	-	29d	-	-	46d
Category total	-	38	81d	-	1	47d
Natural Resources and Conservation						
Environmental Science	-	7	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	7	-	-	-	-
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies						
Health and Physical Education/Fitness, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Sport and Fitness Administration/Management	-	37	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	37	-	-	-	-

Philosophy and Religious Studies						
Religion/Religious Studies	-	-	2	-	-	-
Category total	-	-	2	-	-	-
Physical Sciences						
Chemistry, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Physics, General	-	4	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	6	-	-	-	-
Psychology						
Clinical Psychology	-	-	6	-	-	-
Counseling Psychology	-	-	7	-	-	-
Psychology, General	-	42	2	-	-	-
School Psychology	-	-	3	-	-	-
Category total	-	42	18	-	-	-
Public Administration and Social Service Professions						
Social Work	-	16	15	-	-	-
Category total	-	16	15	-	-	-
Social Sciences						
Political Science and Government, General	-	10	-	-	-	-
Social Sciences, Other	-	0	-	-	-	-
Sociology	-	5	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	15	-	-	-	-
Theology and Religious Vocations						
Bible/Biblical Studies	-	29	3	-	-	-
Divinity/Ministry	-	-	5	-	-	-
Lay Ministry	-	3	-	-	-	-
Missions/Missionary Studies and Missiology	-	0	1	-	-	-
Pastoral Counseling and Specialized Ministries, Other	-	0	5	2	-	-
Theology and Religious Vocations, Other	-	4	1	-	-	-
Theology/Theological Studies	-	-	1	-	-	-
Youth Ministry	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	38	16	2	-	-
Visual and Performing Arts						
Drama and Dramatics/Theatre Arts, General	-	15	-	-	-	-
Fine/Studio Arts, General	-	22	-	-	-	-
Game and Interactive Media Design	-	12	-	-	-	-
Graphic Design	-	7	-	-	-	-

Interior Design	-	2	-	-	-	-
Keyboard Instruments	-	1	-	-	-	-
Music, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Voice and Opera	-	4	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	65	-	-	-	-
Grand total	1	757	262	2	1	63

d - denotes a distance learning program

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Hardin-Simmons University	Abilene	Taylor	2,112	459	325-670-1000	Link
Program	Associate	Bachelor	Master	Doctor	Under-graduate	Post-graduate
Biological And Biomedical Sciences						
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	-	2	-	-	-	-
Biology/Biological Sciences, General	-	22	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	24	-	-	-	-
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Services						
Accounting	-	13	-	-	-	-
Business Administration and Management, General	-	2	12	-	-	-
Business/Commerce, General	-	-	-	-	-	0
Entrepreneurship/Entrepreneurial Studies	-	-	21	-	-	-
Finance, General	-	9	-	-	-	-
Management Information Systems, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Management Science	-	10	-	-	-	-
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Non-Profit/Public/Organizational Management	-	1	-	-	-	-
Organizational Leadership	-	-	-	3	-	-
Category total	-	37	33	3	-	0
Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs						
Communication, General	-	10	-	-	-	-
Mass Communication/Media Studies	-	0	-	-	-	-
Public Relations, Advertising, and Applied Communication, Other	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	10	-	-	-	-
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services						

Computer Programming/Programmer, General	-	9	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	9	-	-	-	-
Education						
Art Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Business Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Computer Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services	-	-	10	-	-	-
Drama and Dance Teacher Education	-	1	-	-	-	-
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	-	17	-	-	-	-
Education, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Education/Teaching of the Gifted and Talented	-	-	3	-	-	-
English/Language Arts Teacher Education	-	4	-	-	-	-
History Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Mathematics Teacher Education	-	4	-	-	-	-
Music Teacher Education	-	6	0	-	-	-
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching	-	0	0	-	-	-
Reading Teacher Education	-	-	0	-	-	-
Science Teacher Education/General Science Teacher Education	-	2	-	-	-	-
Social Studies Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Spanish Language Teacher Education	-	1	-	-	-	-
Speech Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	35	13	-	-	-
English Language and Literature/Letters						
English Language and Literature, General	-	6	1	-	-	-
Rhetoric and Composition	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	7	1	-	-	-
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics						
Spanish Language and Literature	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	1	-	-	-	-
Health Professions and Related Programs						
Athletic Training/Trainer	-	5	-	-	-	-
Audiology/Audiologist and Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist	-	10	-	-	-	-
Family Practice Nurse/Nursing	-	-	4	-	-	0
Nursing Education	-	-	0	-	-	-
Physical Therapy/Therapist	-	-	-	28	-	-
Pre-Nursing Studies	-	0	-	-	-	-

Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	-	26	0	-	-	-
Category total	-	41	4	28	-	0
History						
History, General	-	6	0	-	-	-
Category total	-	6	0	-	-	-
Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting and Related Protective Services						
Corrections	-	23	-	-	-	-
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	23	-	-	-	-
Mathematics and Statistics						
Mathematics, General	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	1	-	-	-	-
Natural Resources and Conservation						
Environmental Science	-	1	-	-	-	-
Natural Resources Management and Policy	-	-	4	-	-	-
Category total	-	4	4	-	-	-
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies						
Health and Physical Education/Fitness, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Kinesiology and Exercise Science	-	28	-	-	-	-
Sport and Fitness Administration/Management	-	16	16	-	-	-
Category total	-	44	16	-	-	-
Philosophy and Religious Studies						
Christian Studies	-	0	1	-	-	-
Philosophy	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	0	1	-	-	-
Physical Sciences						
Chemistry, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Geology/Earth Science, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Physics, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	3	-	-	-	-
Psychology						
Family Psychology	-	-	2	-	-	-
Psychology, General	-	20	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	20	2	-	-	-
Public Administration and Social Service Professions						
Human Services, General	-	1	-	-	-	-

Social Work	-	5	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	6	-	-	-	-
Social Sciences						
Economics, General	-	13	-	-	-	-
Political Science and Government, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Sociology	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	17	-	-	-	-
Theology and Religious Vocations						
Bible/Biblical Studies	-	2	-	-	-	-
Divinity/Ministry	-	-	17	-	-	-
Missions/Missionary Studies and Missiology	-	0	-	-	-	-
Pastoral Studies/Counseling	-	-	10	-	-	-
Religious/Sacred Music	-	0	0	-	-	-
Theological and Ministerial Studies, Other	-	13	-	-	-	-
Theology and Religious Vocations, Other	-	-	-	6	-	-
Theology/Theological Studies	-	0	-	-	-	-
Youth Ministry	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	15	27	6	-	-
Visual and Performing Arts						
Drama and Dramatics/Theatre Arts, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Fine/Studio Arts, General	-	5	-	-	-	-
Graphic Design	-	0	-	-	-	-
Keyboard Instruments	-	4	0	-	-	-
Music Management	-	4	-	-	-	-
Music Performance, General	-	0	2	-	-	-
Music Theory and Composition	-	2	0	-	-	-
Music, General	-	1	-	-	-	-
Stringed Instruments	-	0	0	-	-	-
Voice and Opera	-	0	0	-	-	-
Category total	-	19	2	-	-	-
Grand total	-	319	103	37	-	0

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McMurry University	Abilene	Taylor	1,071	194	325-793-3800	Link
Program	Associate	Bachelor	Master	Doctor	Under-graduate	Post-graduate
Biological And Biomedical Sciences						
Biochemistry	-	1	-	-	-	-
Biology/Biological Sciences, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Biomedical Sciences, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	7	-	-	-	-
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Services						
Accounting	-	7	-	-	-	-
Business Administration and Management, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Business/Commerce, General	-	15	-	-	-	-
Finance, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Management Information Systems, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	-	7	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	35	-	-	-	-
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services						
Computer and Information Sciences, General	-	4	-	-	-	-
Information Technology	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	6	-	-	-	-
Education						
Art Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Biology Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Chemistry Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Computer Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	-	18	-	-	-	-
Elementary Education and Teaching	-	0	-	-	-	-
English/Language Arts Teacher Education	-	1	-	-	-	-
History Teacher Education	-	2	-	-	-	-
Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education and Teaching	-	1	-	-	-	-
Mathematics Teacher Education	-	6	-	-	-	-
Music Teacher Education	-	0	-	-	-	-
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching	-	3	-	-	-	-
Secondary Education and Teaching	-	2	-	-	-	-
Spanish Language Teacher Education	-	1	-	-	-	-

Category total	-	34	-	-	-	-
English Language and Literature/Letters						
Creative Writing	-	2	-	-	-	-
English Language and Literature, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	4	-	-	-	-
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics						
Spanish Language and Literature	-	1	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	1	-	-	-	-
Health Professions and Related Programs						
Athletic Training/Trainer	-	0	-	-	-	-
Family Practice Nurse/Nursing	-	-	2	-	-	-
Nursing Education	-	-	0	-	-	-
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	-	15	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	15	2	-	-	-
History						
History, General	-	6	-	-	-	-
Public/Applied History	-	0	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	6	-	-	-	-
Mathematics and Statistics						
Mathematics, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	3	-	-	-	-
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies						
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other	-	8	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	8	-	-	-	-
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies						
Kinesiology and Exercise Science	-	19	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	19	-	-	-	-
Philosophy and Religious Studies						
Christian Studies	-	4	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	4	-	-	-	-
Physical Sciences						
Chemistry, General	-	0	-	-	-	-
Physics, General	-	4	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	4	-	-	-	-
Psychology						
Psychology, General	-	14	-	-	-	-

Category total	-	14	-	-	-	-
Social Sciences						
Political Science and Government, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Sociology	-	17	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	20	-	-	-	-
Visual and Performing Arts						
Conducting	-	3	-	-	-	-
Design and Applied Arts, Other	-	3	-	-	-	-
Drama and Dramatics/Theatre Arts, General	-	3	-	-	-	-
Fine/Studio Arts, General	-	1	-	-	-	-
Music, General	-	2	-	-	-	-
Category total	-	12	-	-	-	-
Grand total	-	192	2	-	-	-

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