Educational Opportunities Amid Picturesque Beauty

Your Hope For The Future Can Become Reality

Academic Program Well Rounded

Jacksonville State is a multi-purpose institution offering the AB, BS, and MS degrees in elementary and secondary education. Included in the AB degree is medical technology which is offered in conjunction with an approved hospital. Pre-professional courses are also offered for medicine and related fields, law, veterinary medicine, pharmacy and agriculture.

Since 1956 a graduate program has been a part of the academic program and the degree of Master of Science in Education is now offered.

Major areas in the degrees include the following:
- Minor areas include the following: German, Spanish, Economics, Sociology, Physics, Art, and Geography.

Honorary Fraternities Active on Campus

Several honorary academic fraternities are active on the campus for students who can qualify.

Pi Gamma Mu is a national honorary fraternity for English majors, and Kappa Delta Pi is a national honorary for English majors.

Scholarships And Loans Available

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One of the big questions facing many is “Where shall I go to college?” Some of the reasons why we think Jacksonville State College offers distinctive advantages are submitted for your consideration as follows:

Jacksonville State is a well-rounded institution, offering a variety of majors leading to BA and BS degrees. For those who wish to pursue their education beyond the bachelor’s degree, there is the Master of Science in Education.

The college is well located, particularly for those who come from northeast Alabama, western Georgia and southern Tennessee. It is only 75 miles from Birmingham, 130 miles from Montgomery, 112 miles from Atlanta, and about 115 miles from Chattanooga, making it convenient to drive home for the weekend or for trips to the city.

Many students help finance their education by working at home on weekends, and they find it an advantage to be close to home.

Enrollment Soars With More Than 4,000 Registered For Fall

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Jax State Offers Many Advantages

Education has taken its rightful place in the lives of Americans and as a result more and more high school graduates are planning to go to college each year. Institutions of higher learning are being taxed beyond capacity to provide physical and academic facilities for them, and it is necessary for every young person contemplating a college education to make his or her plans well in advance of graduation.

TOTAL FEES

ESTIMATED COST PER SEMESTER

| Total Fees | $130.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 40.00 |
| Room (non-air-conditioned) | 79.75 |
| Room (air-conditioned) | 101.25 |
| Meals | 163.80 |

Campus Scene

Fall 1965

Special Edition
Jacksonville State College
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According to figures appearing in Look Magazine last fall, the national enrollment increase, percentage-wise, was 6.7 per cent over all and 26 per cent for freshmen. Jacksonville had a 28 per cent gain over-all and a 66 per cent gain over all in freshmen. The freshman class had more than 1200 students last fall and over 1800 this fall.

School officials had estimated that by 1970 the enrollment would reach 6000, but because of the rapid increase they are revising that figure and believe it will occur within the next two or three years.

Meanwhile plans are being made to accommodate at least 6000 students as early as possible. A new men's air conditioned dormitory was completed for this fall, bringing to 10 the number of residence halls on the campus. Two more dormitories are under construction, and two more will be started this fall.

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All dormitories have three to five rooms to the floor and students are commuting from as far as 75 miles away. Local apartments and rooms are also filled to capacity.

Scholarships And Loans Available

A number of scholarships are available through the college and others can be obtained from private organizations and individuals. It is important that applicants for scholarships note the deadline for making applications.

The national Defense Loan Scholarships may be secured by writing to the COMMITTEE ON SCHOLARSHIPS AND LOANS, Jacksonville State College, Jacksonville, Ala., or by calling at the STUDENT PERSONNEL OFFICE, Hammond Hall, on the college campus. Applications must be postmarked no later than June 16 for the fall semester; Nov. 1 for the spring semester; and April 1 for the summer session; for additional information, write to the Committee on Scholarships and loans.

The Logan-Walker Trust Fund scholarships can be secured in the same manner. Applications must be postmarked no later than August 1 for the fall semester; December 1 for the spring semester, and May 1 for the summer session.

Students who are in need of financial assistance may often secure work scholarships, if they have good scholastic records. Earnings vary depending upon the type of job but generally they amount to about one-fourth or one-fifth of a student's actual expense. There are a few jobs open to students which pay more than this amount.

The National Defense Act Loan Program, which was established by the National Defense Act in 1958, also offers financial assistance to students who need it. Any resident of the U.S. who has a good high school or college record and who is in need of financial assistance is eligible for the loan. Preference is given to those who plan to become public school teachers or who major in mathematics, engineering, natural sciences or foreign languages. Part of the loan is cancelled after graduation if the graduate becomes a teacher.

The work Study Program, created by the Federal Economic Opportu-
College is Serious Business

Entrance Routines Explained

Requirements For Entrance Outlined By Dean of Admissions, Lawrence R. Miles

Every prospective student must make application prior to his anticipated registration. Each application for admission must be accompanied by a $10.00 application fee. This fee is NOT refundable.

Every prospective student must take the American College Test (ACT) during his senior year in high school.

Each application must furnish evidence of good health on a form sent to him by the college.

High school graduates must present evidence of graduation and a minimum of fifteen high school units, including at least eleven academic. Those having high school transcripts sent covering work done through the first semester of the senior year should request the principal to send to the Office of Admissions a supplemental transcript showing the work of the final semester and the date of graduation.

American College Testing Program Test (ACT)

The ACT examination is administered four times, on Saturdays, during the school year—November, February, April, and June—at designated centers throughout Alabama and the nation. All colleges in Alabama and University of Alabama Centers have been approved as testing centers.

Students should register well in advance of each test date so as to meet the deadline established for applying (usually four weeks before a testing date). Whenever possible, high school seniors are urged to take the test in November because test scores will then become available in time to process early applications for admission and applications for scholarships and loans.

Jacksonville does not accept any test as a substitute for ACT. Information about the test and the forms on which to register for it may be obtained from any high school principal. Applicants living in states where information about the ACT is not readily available can write for such information to:

The American College Testing Program
Box 168
Iowa City, Iowa

Fine Arts

A broad program of fine arts is available for students who wish to pursue a career in music or art. Courses are offered in voice, piano, organ, band, chorus, with history, musical appreciation, theory, etc., in the music department. There are also courses in several phases of art: painting, drawing, ceramics, etc. Students have the privilege of participating in the band, A Cappella Choir, Madrigal Singers, and other music groups.

Art exhibits are displayed throughout the year featuring work of both students and faculty.

Home Economics

Jacksonville's home economics department is regarded as exceptionally good by state leaders. Not only are the required courses offered, but students are given frequent opportunity to assist with entertaining on the campus and become adept at serving receptions, teas, coffees, etc.

A nursery school connected with the department also affords experience for observing child development for those who plan to teach.

Courses in home economics education prepare the student for teaching after graduation, and many who do not teach become home economists or home demonstration agents.

Scholarships

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The Act of 1964, is open to students from low-income families. Under this program, students are able to earn more than half their college expenses and may supplement the money earned with a National Defense Loan, if qualified for such a loan. With a Work-Study job and a loan, a student may be entirely independent of any assistance from home.

Ballerinas Popular

With Majorettes

For students who have been majorettes in high school, or for others who are interested, the Ballerinas are a colorful group who accompany the college band on the field during the football season. They are coached by a professional choreographer and learn valuable skills in grace and precision.
Courses In ROTC

The Senior ROTC Program is offered at this institution. The instruction in military science consists of two courses of instruction: the Basic Course and the Advanced Course.

Instruction in military science by enrollment in Basic ROTC is required of all able-bodied male students (freshmen and sophomores not yet 25 years of age). Transfer students are required to enroll in the Basic Course as many semesters as they are in residence at the college until they reach junior academic status.

Students entering the college at the junior or senior academic level are exempted from enrollment in the ROTC.

Those who successfully complete the Basic Course are eligible for enrollment in the Advanced Course if they meet academic and military requirements. Upon graduation from the Advanced Course, the student must agree to accept an appointment, if tendered, as a second lieutenant in the Officers’ Reserve Corps.

Many of Jacksonville’s students have taken the Advanced Course and have gone on to successful careers in the Army. Others have served the required tour of duty and resigned their commissions to go back into civilian life.

ROTC training is recognized as valuable for any student regardless of whether or not he intends to pursue a military career. The discipline, good personal habits, courtesy and other phases of the training make it well worth the time and effort, according to students who have been enrolled and those who have observed results of the training.

Language Program Attracts Students From Foreign Countries and U.S.A.

The language program at Jacksonville State is unique in many ways and has attracted students from all parts of the world. The famed International House is the center around which operates one of the most interesting and practical language programs in the country.

Instead of gaining a technical and reading knowledge of French, Spanish and German, students who take foreign language courses also become adept in conversing in their chosen language through association with natives from the 12 to 15 countries represented at the International House.

This year there are more than 200 students enrolled in foreign language classes. The lessons are taught in the language being studied and conversation is limited to that language in the classroom.

The International House Program, a special course, has 15 foreign students and 25 Americans who live in a handsome new building. Through discussion groups and informal conversation, the Americans are able to learn a foreign language like the natives, and the foreign students improve their English.

The experience of learning to converse with natives from their various countries is invaluable in acquiring the right accent and in developing the ability to speak with ease and confidence.

In the Elementary Laboratory School and Jacksonville Junior High, 15-minute oral lessons in French or Spanish are held daily in the classrooms taught by college language majors. In the senior high school, formal classes are conducted.

This year there are students at the International House from the following countries:

Chile, Argentina, Mexico, Sweden, Taiwan, Korea, Austria, Israel, Lebanon, Denmark, France, Israel, Hong Kong, India, Australia and Austria.
Handsome Buildings In Scenic Setting

... construction program continues
The campus at Jacksonville has been growing at a rapid pace since 1946 when a state bond issue and funds from government lending agencies became available. Last year through state and government funds, a $9 million building program was started and is now under way.

This fall the tenth dormitory was opened and two more are under construction. Four of the new dormitories are air-conditioned and those under construction will be air-conditioned.

The dormitories, including the newest ones, are Daugette with two additions, Pannell and an addition, Logan, Patterson, Glazner, Abercrombie, Lutrell, Weathersby, Rowan and Crow Halls.

Other buildings erected during recent years are Ayers Science Hall, Mason Hall (fine arts and business education), Round House (small auditorium), Leone Cole Center (dining hall, auditorium and McCluer Chapel), and book store. Additions have been made to Ayers Hall and Ramona Wood Library.

Graves Hall, oldest building on the campus, will be renovated and air-conditioned during the present building project. Hammond Hall, which is now the student union building, will be converted into classrooms when the new student commons is completed. The room used by the book store has already been turned into a classroom.

In the student union building (Hammond Hall), a coffee shop is open all day until 10 o'clock at night where purchases of cold drinks, sandwiches, toilet articles, etc., may be purchased from automatic machines. Joining the coffee shop is a large room for ping pong tables, game tables and refreshments. On the other side is a lounge where students may gather informally for conversation.

Mason Hall, the fine arts building, has modern facilities for music, art and home economics, and a section for business education. There are practice rooms for music students and a large performance center on the second floor for band and choir rehearsals, rentals and other performances. The building also has studios and classrooms.

The new book store is one of the finest improvements on the campus. It is located between Daugette and Hammond halls and is a split-level structure. The basement floor opens on the driveway affording loading and unloading space for trucks.

Cole Center is the largest and most handsome building on the campus. Erected four years ago at an approximate cost of $1 million, the two-level structure has a beautiful cafeteria, faculty dining rooms, banquet room and kitchen on the first floor. A large auditorium capable of seating about 2,000 is on the basement floor equipped with dressing rooms, public address system and lighting facilities. McCluer Chapel adjoins the auditorium and is available for small religious groups, meditation, student weddings, etc.

Stephenson Gymnasium is the main building for physical education classes and Graves Hall is the administration building.

$9 Million Building Program

A new $9 million building program got under way this summer when two more dormitories were started, bringing the total number to 12. The college acquired the Martin property of 62 acres across the highway from the campus and will build a $1 million classroom and a $1 million library directly opposite the president's home.

Building Program

An additional cafeteria, to cost approximately $150,000, will be the next building to get under way. It will be equipped to serve 2,000 daily with four serving lines.

A handsome new student commons, also to cost $1 million, will be erected to take care of the ever-increasing enrollment. It will have a coffee shop, recreational facilities, student and faculty offices, etc.

Additions will be made to the library and science hall, and when the new library is completed, the old library will become a science classroom building.

Paul Snow Memorial Stadium has also been enlarged to accommodate 2,500 more spectators. A new lighting system has also been installed.

If you are interested in attending Jacksonville State College, complete the following coupon and mail to OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS, JACKSONVILLE STATE COLLEGE, JACKSONVILLE, ALABAMA 36265.

I will graduate from ______ (high school) in ______ (year) and desire to attend Jacksonville State College (month) (year). Please send me the necessary application papers to process my admission. I plan () do not plan to live in a dormitory. (PLEASE PRINT)

First Name ______ Initial ______ Last Name ______

City ______ State ______ Zip Code ______

Number and Street ______
Architecture Combines Beauty and Utility

... traditional influence seen
Variety of Activities

... something for everybody
Organizations Offer Enrichment . . . prepare for future

Students Receive Many Extras
At Jacksonville

Officials at Jacksonville believe that there is more to education than textbooks and laboratories, so every year a varied program of lectures, forums, concerts, etc., are scheduled for the purpose of broadening the knowledge of the students.

This year the special events will begin with “Governor’s Day”: Paul Harvey, noted radio commentator and columnist, will speak during the annual Student Conference on American Business and Commerce. The annual Student Conference on American Business and Commerce, the annual Student Conference on American Business and Commerce, the annual Student Conference on American Business and Commerce, and the annual Student Conference on American Business and Commerce.

Other events already scheduled will bring to the campus outstanding Alabamians, representatives of industry, politics and religion: Frank Newton, vice president of Southern Bell Telephone Co.; Mayor Albert Boutwell of Birmingham; Dr. Dale LeBourdais; and Dr. Edwin Kimbrough of “What’s Your Problem” TV panel. and others.

A series of four musical concerts will be presented by the college in cooperation with the Jacksonville Community Concert Association. The first one, the 13th Annual Concert, will take place on April 30. Last year’s performers included the Jacksonville Community Concert Association and the 13th Annual Concert, followed by the 13th Annual Concert. This year’s performers will include the Jacksonville Community Concert Association and the 13th Annual Concert.

Dear High School Senior:
The Jacksonville State College has long been known for its friendly spirit. Here a student is recognized by name and not by number. This kind of atmosphere means much to a young person who enters college for the first time.

This issue of THE COLLEGIAN, our college newspaper, conveys a brief account of our academic offerings, costs, scholarships available, student activities, and the pictures of some of our buildings. At this institution you will find the best academic standards, and the geographical setting beautiful. Our students find here a happy environment that they never forget.

Over 4,000 students enrolled with us this year. You would do well to consider Jacksonville as the college of your choice.

Sincerely,
Houston Cole, President

Opportunity For Musical Minded Students

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JSC President

Publications Edited
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A Cappella Choir

The choir has also received much favorable comment with Professor Bayne Dobbs as director. Students are auditioned for membership in the choir, which is composed of a carefully-selected group of about 60 young men and women.

The choir is called upon to perform frequently for outstanding events on the campus, and gives a concert each semester.

Madrigal Singers

This unusual singing group is directed by Professor Thomas Warren, voice professor. The small group specializes in old English ballads and madrigals.

Brass Choir

The Brass Choir is one of the outstanding musical groups on the campus. It was organized by Professor John Finley, its director, a number

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The business department publishes a school directory; the Student Government Association gets out a J Book every fall for freshmen; and the athletic department issues a football brochure every fall.

of years ago and was originally composed of only a few students. It has grown in popularity and size and is now an impressive aggregation. The choir is presented in concert during the year, also.

A percussion ensemble is one of the features of the music department and is in popular demand for performances before high school bands and audiences.

JSC Dean

Dr. Theron E. Montgomery

"The New Society" offers opportunity on the one hand and demands, preparation and responsibility on the other. The best way to prepare for the opportunities and the responsibilities is a college education.

A college education is more than formal learning. It embodies a variety of related experiences. Jacksonville State College in its pursuit of excellence offers the varied living experiences, cultural opportunities and educational pursuits for young people eager to prosper and to serve in the twentieth century.

Theron E. Montgomery, Jr.
September 21, 1965
Dean