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DBU gave me a great education. But what I have really learned at DBU is how to live my life for the Lord. DBU prepares you to serve the Lord for His glory.

— Cami Duke
Business Major

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” — Jeremiah 29:11
Few things excite us more at DBU than helping students cultivate an expansive, holistic Christian vision of life and culture that prepares them to think, live, and serve throughout the world.

– dr. philip mitchell
director of dbu honors program and professor of english

DBU students have a 70% acceptance rate to medical school – twice the state average.

Integrate faith and learning

How can I develop my whole person: mind, body and spirit?

A classical liberal arts education is the foundation of DBU’s programs of study. At DBU, we equip students with the basic tools of thinking and learning, presenting them with the knowledge and wisdom of Western, Christian, and other intellectual traditions. The DBU education goes beyond providing a Christian environment. Each class provides a unique opportunity to explore knowledge within a biblical framework. This approach gives students the freedom to explore a variety of philosophies and compare them to Christian beliefs, allowing academic inquiry to flourish. By integrating faith and learning, DBU challenges students to permeate all areas of their lives with their faith in Christ.

“Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.” – Mark 12:30
The DBU campus experience involves living and being engaged in our community.

– jay harley

dean of students and spiritual life

“Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.” – Colossians 3:17

The University’s co-curriculum of activities and events build and strengthen our campus community and expand each individual’s spiritual, intellectual, social, and physical development. We emphasize spiritual growth by our active commitment to Christ and His church. We underscore intellectual growth by offering service-learning experiences and academic symposiums and lectures. We stress social growth by encouraging our students to develop interpersonal skills and to engage in community. We encourage physical growth by promoting athletic and recreational activities that ensure good health and fitness.

How can DBU enrich my college experience?

Honor Christ in all you do
DBU coaches are committed to the spiritual growth of our student athletes as well as their competitive and academic excellence. Our desire is to honor God on the court, in the classroom, and in all of life.

– blake flickner
head basketball coach

How can I serve the Lord through athletics?

The DBU athletic staff is dedicated to developing student-athletes into Champions for Christ. Our coaches intentionally recruit students of strong Christian character and background. From across the nation and around the world, they come to the University, seeking academic excellence and quality athletic programs. At DBU, these students grow in their faith, while fully developing their athletic potential. From mentoring and discipleship opportunities to integration of faith in the classroom and service to the community, DBU athletes deepen their walk with Christ and become effective servant leaders.

“Be a Champion for Christ”

Varsity athletic programs include NCAA Division I men’s baseball, NCAA Division II men’s basketball, men’s and women’s cross country/track, golf, tennis, as well as women’s soccer and volleyball, which compete in the Heartland Conference. DBU is also a member of the National Christian College Athletic Association. The University sponsors club sports in hockey, cheerleading, swimming, bass fishing, and drill team.

Patriots

“For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come.” – 1 Timothy 4:8

Patriots are just, faithful, fair, genuine, selfless, and committed to their core beliefs. They blend these qualities to become servant leaders that integrate faith into each facet of their lives.
I don’t know what your destiny will be, but one thing I do know: the only ones among you who will be really happy are those who have sought and found how to serve.
– albert schweitzer
medical missionary to africa

DBU is a five-time recipient of the U.S. President’s Honor Roll for Community Service, recently as one of only two Texas institutions to be recognized “with Distinction.”

To be a transformational leader, Christ taught and modeled that you must first be willing to serve others. This concept of servant leadership is at the heart of everything you will do at DBU. You will read about it, see it modeled, and learn to live it out through service-learning projects, mission opportunities, and leadership experiences. Our goal in teaching servant leadership is to equip Christian leaders who have the ability to transform the lives of others for the glory of God.

“For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.” – Mark 10:45

Transform lives. Change the world.
How will the DBU environment help me learn and grow as an individual?

DBU is situated atop a hill overlooking Mountain Creek Lake. A safe and gated campus, our student-friendly layout reflects the spiritual quality of University life and personifies the vitality of our students, faculty, and staff. Among our many welcoming features are lakes, gardens, gazebos, fountains, waterfalls, and nature trails – all part of the campus arboretum, recognized for its excellence by the National Public Gardens Association. DBU provides you with a landscape that encourages personal and academic reflection and fosters community.

With our American colonial architecture, we strive to create a magnificent residential campus environment.

– dr. blair blackburn
executive vice president
DBU chose as our campus a picturesque hill country setting, 15 miles from downtown Dallas and 29 miles from downtown Fort Worth. The Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex offers students numerous opportunities for internships, employment, cultural enrichment, entertainment, and community service. It has one of the largest concentrations of corporate headquarters in the U.S.; more than a dozen Fortune 500 companies have headquarters in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Students seeking servant-leadership experiences can put their classroom knowledge to work at the many area churches and service organizations, as well as volunteer at charitable, nonprofit organizations in the Metroplex, serve in ministries, and apply their education in corporate settings.

“Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight.” – Proverbs 3:5-6

DBU feels like it’s outside Dallas, but it’s really inside Dallas. You’re not isolated here.

– ben king
biblical studies major
In 2010, DBU was named to America’s Best Christian Colleges list, and DBU remains one of the most affordable private institutions in Texas.

– jason williams
assistant vice president for enrollment services

Our pledge to you

How can DBU help me navigate the financial-aid maze?

We are committed to assist you and your family in securing adequate financial aid to help you meet the financial obligations you assume on your path toward a degree. We strive to use our expertise and knowledge of federal and state financial aid guidelines and private and institutional resources to support you in reaching your educational goals.

Contact our financial aid specialist for new students at 214.333.5363. We’ll help you make sense of it all.

www.dbu.edu/financialaid

Our best advice to you and your family: VISIT DBU. Experience the DBU campus first-hand. Meet the DBU Patriots. Encounter The Patriot Experience.

www.DBU.edu/TOURS

Dallas Baptist University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award associate, bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Dallas Baptist University.

“Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is Yours.” – 1 Chronicles 29:11
DBU offers a diversity of undergraduate degrees and accelerated bachelor’s/master’s degrees. DBU’s curriculum promotes critical thinking and communication skills that equip you to be a successful and effective Christ-centered servant leader.

**Accounting**
**Art**
**Biblical Studies**
**Biology**
**Broadcast Communication**
**Camp/Sport Ministry**
**Cell Biology**
**Christian Studies**
**Church Music**
**Communication Theory**
**Computer Information Science**
**Computer Science**
**Criminal Justice**
**Education**
**English**

**Environmental Science**
**Finance**
**Graphic Design**
**History**
**Hospitality Management**
**Interdisciplinary Studies**
**Kinesiology**
**Macrobiology**
**Management**
**Information Systems**
**Marketing**
**Mathematics**
**Music**
**Music Business**

**Music Theory/Composition**
**Natural Sciences**
**Philosophy**
**Piano Performance**
**Political Science**
**Pre-Professional Programs**
**Psychology**
**Sociology**
**Sport Management**
**Vocal Performance**

**Accelerated Bachelor’s/Master’s Degrees**
(4-5 year program)
**Accounting**
**Christian Studies (Applied Ministry)**

* Teacher certification in: Biology, Computer Science, Elementary Education (Interdisciplinary Academic), English, History, Kinesiology, Mathematics, Music (Choral), and Natural Sciences.

** DBU offers pre-professional programs such as pre-law, pre-med, pre-dental, pre-nursing.

“Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.” – Romans 12:2

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