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GENTILLY GARDENS



#### Gentilly Gardens

Fully furnished, townhouse style apartments reserved for upperclassmen, both male and female. Features include hardwood floors, living room, kitchen, bathroom and two or three bedrooms.



Dedicated in 1955, the Lawless Memorial Chapel houses the office of the University Chaplain and Lawless Chapel Ministries. As the center for religious life, the university offers students spiritual support and connection, during their matriculation at Dillard University.

WILL W. ALEXANDER LIBRARY



The Will W. Alexander Library was opened in 1961, and named in honor of the university's first acting president. Our library is a learning-friendly, user-oriented library that serves a vital on-campus and online role as a center for the enhancement of skills and knowledge to ensure students' college success and encourages post-graduate life-long learning. The library contains collections of materials in all the fields of knowledge represented in the curricula of the University. The library has over 106,000 volumes of electronic collections, which include: 10,000 Full-text electronic journals; 88,000 eBook titles; 350 eReference materials

HARTZELL HALL



Hartzell Hall was named in honor of Joseph C. Hartzell in 1935, Missionary Bishop of the Methodist church of Africa. He was known as the editor, educator and evangelist.

## ABOUT DILLARD

Dillard's history begins in 1869. On June 12, 1869, the American Missionary Association of the Congregational Church founded Straight University; on July 8, 1869 the Freedman's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church established Union Normal School. Straight University and Union Normal School were subsequently renamed Straight College and New Orleans University, expanded to include the secondary, collegiate, and professional levels.

Straight operated a law department from 1874 to 1886. Gilbert Academy, a secondary school, was a unit of New Orleans University. New Orleans University in 1889 opened a medical college, including a school of pharmacy and a school of nursing. The medical college was named Flint medical College and the affiliated hospital the Sarah Goodridge Hospital and Nurse training School. The medical college was discontinued in 1911, but the hospital and the nursing school were continued under the name of Flint-Goodridge Hospital.

On June 6, 1930, New Orleans University and Straight College merged to form Dillard University, which elected to follow the practices of the two parent institutions in making no distinction as to race, religion or sex in the admission of students or in the selection of faculty.

The trustees of Dillard elected to continue as a part of the university the work of the hospital but not that of Gilbert Academy. The latter continued operation as a separate institution under the sponsorship of the Board of Education of the Methodist Church until 1949. The university operated Flint-Goodridge Hospital of Dillard University from 1932 until 1983.

In September 1935, on a new site with a new physical plant, Dillard University began instruction. The University was named in honor of James Hardy Dillard, whose distinguished service in the education of African Americans in the South forms an important chapter in the history of American education.

Since 1869, Dillard University has been committed to providing students with a quality four-year liberal arts education. Dillard is a fully accredited private, historically black university. In 2010, U.S. News & World Report ranked Dillard among the nation's Top 10 HBCUs, based on comprehensive undergraduate studies. Dillard also was awarded a Top 10 Ranking in 2010 for liberal arts schools in the social mobility category by Washington Monthly.

The cornerstone of New Orleans's Gentilly Community, the University sits on a beautiful and serene 55-acre campus, replete with signature live oak trees and a mixture of historic buildings and modern facilities.

#### Dillard Highlights:

- In the wake of Hurricane Katrina, Dillard completely restored and refurbished 32 campus buildings and three off-campus residential complexes, and built two new LEED®\* registered (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) buildings: the Professional Schools and Sciences Building, and the Student Union and Health & Wellness Center.
- In 2010, Dillard entered a partnership with the New Orleans Recovery School District for a new teacher education program that may revolutionize teacher education in New Orleans and, perhaps, serve as a model for programs across the country.
- Dillard's physics program has acquired a \$1.8 million pulse laser system that allows students to perform graduate level research.
- Dillard's highly acclaimed nursing program was the first of its kind in Louisiana.
- Dillard offers 21 academic majors across seven departments and schools.
- Dillard's student-faculty ratio is 14 to 1.
- Dillard University boasts one of the few Student Success divisions in the nation, a model that focuses on recruitment, retention and support of undergraduates.

Graduates of Dillard represent a wide range of highly successful global leaders in fields ranging from medicine and law, to higher education and international business, to arts and entertainment.

*Thank you for visiting our campus. We hope that you have enjoyed your experience and will consider Dillard University as your choice when making your final college decision.*

#### CAMPUS CONTACTS

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Office of Disability Services	504.816.4370
Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships	504.816.4677
Office of Public Safety	1-800.216.8094
Office of Records and Registration	504.816.5310
Office of Recruitment, Admissions and Programming	504.816.4705
Office of Residential Life	504.816.4670
Office of Student Engagement and Leadership	1-800.216.6637
Office of Student Health and Wellness	504.816.4734
University College	504.816.4685
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## Welcome to DILLARD UNIVERSITY



### Self Guided Walking Tour



START



Named for Julius Rosenwald, the oldest building on campus, Rosenwald was the main academic building and library when it was built in the 1934. It is now the main administration building housing the Division of Academic Affairs; Recruitment, Admissions and Programming; Business and Finance; Financial Aid and Scholarships; Records and Registration; Institutional Advancement; and the Office of the President.

ROSA FREEMAN KELLER AVENUE OF THE OAKS



Dillard's commencement exercises take place on the Rosa Freeman Keller Avenue of the Oaks, named in honor of Ms. Keller, who served on the board of trustees for 40 years. The ceremonial walk down the Avenue of the Oaks is a longstanding tradition at Dillard University.

STERN HALL



Built in 1952 and named for Edgar Stern, a prominent New Orleans philanthropist and former chairman of Dillard's board of trustees. Stern Hall houses the faculty of the Biology Department, along with several laboratories for biology and physics.

SAMUEL DUBOIS COOK FINE ARTS AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER



Built in 1993 and named for Dillard's sixth president, this building houses the School of Humanities. The 50,000-square foot complex contains facilities for Art, Music, Theatre Arts, Film, English, and Communications. The building also houses a 250-seat, multi-purpose theater with a stage, fly loft and orchestra pit, art studios and galleries, a TV studio, a radio station, classrooms, seminar rooms and a conference center.

STUDENT UNION, HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER



This \$15 million facility, opened in 2010, covers 55,000 square feet and houses a student health clinic. It also features a bowling alley, movie theater, indoor track, and workout facility. The Office of Health and Wellness is also located in the Student Union, it provides an outpatient clinic on campus to promote healthful living and accommodate the basic medical needs of students.

PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS AND SCIENCES BUILDING



Opened in 2010, this building houses a 400-seat auditorium, lecture halls, faculty space, chemistry, physics labs, and nursing labs with mannequins that simulate a wide range of health issues. This building houses the School of STEM, College of Nursing, College of Business, School of Health and Wellness, and University College.

ALUMNI HOUSE



Formerly the President's residence, this building now houses the Office of Alumni Relations, and serves as a welcome center to all visiting alumni.

STRAIGHT HALL



Dedicated in 1935, Straight Hall was named in honor of Seymour Straight, Baptist Layman of New Orleans in 1935. He was known as a friend of freedmen in days when the going was hard and friends were few. Several successful Dillard men currently and previously formed lasting friendships, created campus organizations and formed unique communities in Straight Hall.

WILLIAMS HALL



Williams Hall was named in honor of Fannie C. Williams, a noted New Orleans Educator and Philanthropist on June 2, 1964. Built in 1946, Williams Hall was renovated in 2001 to provide 224 beds for female and male residents with a "home-away-from-home environment." The rooms are in a suite style arrangement, where four students in two rooms share a shower, restroom and entryway.

KEARNY HALL



Traditionally being the hub for student life, Kearny Hall houses the dining hall, Grill 360, and the University Post Office.

HENSON HALL



Named for the first American explorer to reach the North Pole, Matthew Henson. Henson Hall houses the university bookstore and provides a convenient location for students to access course materials.

DENT HALL



Home to the Bleu Devil's Athletics Program, Dent Hall encompasses the gymnasium, known as the "Battlefield", it has an Olympic-sized swimming pool, dance studio and athletic workout facility. Dent Hall also houses the Office of Student Support Services, Disability Services, and tutoring labs.

Located directly behind Dent Hall are the tennis courts.

DUICEF



The Dillard University International Center for Economic Freedom was opened in 2004, and is home to the School of Social Sciences.

CAMPHOR HALL



Camphor Hall was named in honor of Alexander Priestly Camphor on May 18, 1947, College President and Missionary whose life of consecration helped youth in America and Africa. Many of our new student women reside here.