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The University of Florida

The **University of Florida** (**ufl.edu**) is one of America's leading research universities and the flagship university of the state of Florida. UF is also a Land Grant, Sea Grant, and Space Grant affiliated institution, encompassing nearly all academic and professional disciplines, with more than 56,000 students. UF is among the nation's most academically diverse universities, with students studying and conducting research across 16 colleges, more than 190 research centers and institutes, and offers more than 100 undergraduate programs, 200 graduate programs, and various professional degrees. UF is a member of the Association of American Universities.

City of Gainesville

Gainesville (**cityofgainesville.org**) is home to Florida's largest and oldest university, as well as a vibrant hub of education, healthcare, culture, and sports in the state. The University of Florida and UF Health Shands Hospital are major employers, providing jobs for many residents of surrounding counties. The **Greater Gainesville** (**guidetogreatergainesville.com**) area serves as the cultural, educational, and commercial heart of north central Florida region. Gainesville offers a full range of municipal services, including cultural and administrative support. Renowned for its preservation of historic landmarks and natural beauty, the city boasts numerous parks, museums, and lakes that attract thousands of visitors. With its lush urban forest and Tree City USA® designation, Gainesville stands out as one of Florida's most picturesque cities. Its central location provides convenient access to both the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Ocean, offering easy exploration of Florida's famed beaches, springs, and nature reserves.
Explore Gainesville in 60 Seconds (youtube.com/watch?v=e_7nUKAFanM).