

— Tennessee Tech Self-Guided Tour —



1. Jere Whitson Building

Jere Whitson is home to many of the departments new students will need when beginning their admissions process including undergraduate admissions, scholarships, financial aid, new student and family programs, and many more! It is every student's one-stop-shop for starting their bold future at Tech!

2. The Main Quad

Besides being the land donated to the original college in 1909, the Main Quad is home to many of the very first buildings built on campus. Special events like Movie on the Quad, Lighting the Quad and Heating Up the Quad are hosted here each year!

3. Derryberry Hall

This was the first building built on campus and is often used as a point of reference when giving directions due to its clock tower and the golden eagle that overlooks the Main Quad. Derryberry Hall houses our carillon which plays every quarter hour and on special occasions. You'll hear the carillon periodically during your time on campus! You may even catch a familiar tune or two.

4. Centennial Plaza

This is one of our most popular outdoor spots on campus. Centennial Plaza, named as part of Tech's Centennial celebration, is often the place for giveaways, student-led fundraisers, and various outdoor events during the year. Plus, it is a great place to relax between classes and catch up with friends.

5. Roaden University Center (RUC)

The RUC is our student hub and home to many student services and dining options. As a golden eagle, you can eat, mingle, receive assistance and get connected to a variety of opportunities to make your college experience at Tech one that lasts a lifetime!

6. Angelo and Jennette Volpe Library

This is not your stereotypical library. Our library provides students access to free tutoring, the MyTech HelpDesk, the ability to participate in a virtual reality experience in the iCube, and, of course, access to books and reference materials to help with research and other class projects.

Key Facts About Tennessee Tech



Tech's school colors, purple and gold, were chosen because of two wildflowers that bloomed in abundance on campus during the university's earlier years.



Tech has an iMakerSpace that serves as a focal point on campus to provide training, research and evaluation, and partnership in innovation.



Our Center for Career Development offers career planning, workshops, and one-on-one interview practice to ensure you graduate Career Ready!



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7. Laboratory Science Building

Our soon-to-be largest building on campus, occupying 150,000 square feet is the future home to our chemistry and part of our biology departments. This building will offer new opportunities for undergraduate research between students and faculty and an enhanced, hands-on classroom experience.

8. Student Recreation Center

This building will serve as our new and improved front door to Tech! This new center is expected to contain state-of-the-art equipment, a climbing wall, and many different spaces for various sports. This new center is completely free for our students to use! It is expected to be completed in 2020.

9. Hooper Eblen Center

Or, "The Hoop", as we call it, houses our athletics department and hosts our men's and women's basketball teams, women's volleyball, convocation and commencement ceremonies, Student Government Association's SOLO concerts, and so much more!

10. Tucker Stadium

Tucker Stadium is where you will catch students and fans during the fall in their purple and gold cheering on our golden eagles' Division One football team. Wings up!

11. University Store

Located on the ground floor of the RUC, the University Store is where golden eagles get their textbooks, apparel, supplies for class or a quick snack when they are on the go. It is the official store to keep your closet stocked with purple and gold!

More Key Facts About Tennessee Tech



Tech's mascot, Awesome Eagle, is a two-time consecutive UCA National Championship title winner.



Tech has many famous alumni, including Barry Wilmore, who congratulated the class of 2014 graduates from the International Space Station, where he was the commander.



Many departments on campus offer a Fast-Track option that allows students to begin working on their graduate degree while finishing their undergraduate degree.

