



HARVARD COLLEGE

Admissions & Financial Aid

FIRST YEAR APPLICATION SUPPLEMENT: Valid for entrance in Fall 2021. Please submit this form as well as the Universal College Application to:

Harvard College
Office of Admissions and Financial Aid
86 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138

Please indicate under which timetable you are applying:

- Restrictive Early Action (Deadline: November 1)**
- Regular Action (Deadline: January 1)**

A completed application includes all portions of the Universal College Application, as well as the Harvard Application Supplement, required testing results, a Secondary School Report, two teacher evaluations, and a \$75 application fee or fee waiver request.

Full Legal Name _____
Last/Family First Middle Jr., etc.

Prefer to be Called _____ Date of Birth _____
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Address _____
No. and Street Apt./Unit

City State/Province Country Zip/Postal Code

Telephone Number (home) _____ (cell) _____

Skype ID _____

Secondary School _____ School CEEB/ACT code _____

Have you previously applied for admission to Harvard?

- Yes
- No

If you have previously applied for admission to Harvard, please indicate when and for which program you applied. (Please arrange to have an official transcript (s) sent to us for any program in which you were enrolled.)

- College (first year) Year(s) _____
- Summer School Year(s) _____
- Extension School Year(s) _____

Preferred residence during your first year:

- On Campus
- Off Campus

Are you applying for the dual degree program with the New England Conservatory?*

- Yes
- No

Are you applying for the dual degree program with Berklee College of Music?*

- Yes
- No

*Please note that the departments offering these dual degree programs prefer that an applicant apply only to one and not to both.

Harvard College will allow students to apply for admission to the Class of 2025 without requiring SAT or ACT test scores, or SAT subject tests, which are normally recommended. Students who do not submit standardized testing this coming year will not be disadvantaged in the application process. Your application will be considered on the basis of what you have presented. Please choose one option below:

- I have submitted or will submit SAT or ACT scores, and would like them to be considered as part of my application
- I would like my application considered without SAT or ACT scores

For the following questions, please place the letter or number indicating your choice in the space(s) provided.

Of the following fields of study, which are you currently most likely to pursue?

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| A Social Sciences | E Engineering | First Choice: _____ |
| B Humanities | F Mathematics | |
| C Biological Sciences | G Computer Science | |
| D Physical Sciences | | |

Harvard offers 50 fields of study across these disciplines. You can learn more about Harvard’s curriculum and fields of study, which we call concentrations, here (<https://college.harvard.edu/academics/liberal-arts-sciences>). While we do not admit applicants to particular programs, we invite you to indicate which fields of study you would be interested in exploring further at Harvard. You may list up to 3.

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| 01 African and African American Studies | 14 East Asian Studies | 27 History of Art and Architecture | 40 Psychology |
| 02 Anthropology | 15 Economics | 28 Human Development and Regenerative Biology | 41 Religion, Comparative Study of |
| 03 Applied Mathematics | 16 Electrical Engineering | 29 Human Evolutionary Biology | 42 Romance Languages and Literatures |
| 04 Art, Film, and Visual Studies | 17 Engineering Sciences | 30 Integrative Biology | 43 Slavic Languages and Literatures |
| 05 Astrophysics | 18 English | 31 Linguistics | 44 Social Studies |
| 06 Biomedical Engineering | 19 Environmental Science and Engineering | 32 Mathematics | 45 Sociology |
| 07 Chemical and Physical Biology | 20 Environmental Science and Public Policy | 33 Mechanical Engineering | 46 South Asian Studies |
| 08 Chemistry | 21 Folklore and Mythology | 34 Molecular and Cellular Biology | 47 Special Concentration |
| 09 Chemistry and Physics | 22 Germanic Languages and Literatures | 35 Music | 48 Statistics |
| 10 Classics | 23 Government | 36 Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations | 49 Theater, Dance, and Media |
| 11 Comparative Literature | 24 History | 37 Neuroscience | 50 Women, Gender, and Sexuality, Studies of |
| 12 Computer Science | 25 History and Literature | 38 Philosophy | |
| 13 Earth and Planetary Sciences | 26 History and Science | 39 Physics | |

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____ Third Choice _____

At this time, which two college activities or sports interest you most? For a sport, indicate intended level of participation.

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| 01 Arts, Visual Arts | 13 Environmental Groups | 25 Martial Arts | 37 Soccer |
| 02 Badminton | 14 Equestrian Sports/Polo | 26 MUN | 38 Softball |
| 03 Band | 15 Ethnic Groups | 27 Orchestra | 39 Squash |
| 04 Baseball | 16 Fencing | 28 Outdoor Activities | 40 Student Government |
| 05 Basketball | 17 Field Hockey | 29 Political Groups | 41 Swimming/Diving |
| 06 Cheerleading | 18 Football | 30 Pre-Professional Groups | 42 Tennis |
| 07 Community Service | 19 Frisbee | 31 Religious Groups | 43 Track/Cross Country |
| 08 Crew-Heavyweight | 20 Golf | 32 ROTC | 44 Vocal Music |
| 09 Crew-Lightweight | 21 Hockey | 33 Rugby | 45 Volleyball |
| 10 Dance | 22 Journalism | 34 Sailing | 46 Water Polo |
| 11 Debate | 23 Lacrosse | 35 Ski-Alpine | 47 Wrestling |
| 12 Dramatics | 24 LGBT Groups | 36 Ski-Nordic Racing | 48 Writing/Literary Magazine |
| | | | 49 Other _____ |

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

Intercollegiate Intercollegiate

Club/Intramural/Recreational Club/Intramural/Recreational

Supplementary Materials: Do you intend to submit supplementary materials to be considered as part of the admission process to Harvard? Portfolio materials can illustrate special talents in academics or in one or more of the arts. These materials should be included only if you think they would significantly add to your application. (For more information, please visit <https://college.harvard.edu/admissions/application-process/application-requirements/supplemental-application-materials>.)

- Yes
- No

Online Coursework: If you have earned certificates of completion for online coursework, please list the provider, institution, and/or organization, as appropriate, from which you received the certificate and provide the URL to the digital certificate below.

Provider/Institution/Organization

Digital Certificate URL

Additional Intellectual Experiences: Your intellectual life may extend beyond the academic requirements of your particular school. Please use the space below to list additional intellectual activities that you have not mentioned or detailed elsewhere in your application. These could include, but are not limited to, supervised or self-directed projects not done as school work, training experiences, online courses not run by your school, or summer academic or research programs not described elsewhere.

Additional Essay: You may wish to include an additional essay if you feel the college application forms do not provide sufficient opportunity to convey important information about yourself or your accomplishments. You may write on a topic of your choice, or you may choose from one of the following topics:

- Unusual circumstances in your life
- Travel, living, or working experiences in your own or other communities
- What you would want your future college roommate to know about you
- An intellectual experience (course, project, book, discussion, paper, poetry, or research topic in engineering, mathematics, science, or other modes of inquiry) that has meant the most to you
- How you hope to use your college education
- A list of books you have read during the past twelve months
- The Harvard College Honor Code declares that we “hold honesty as the foundation of our community.” As you consider entering this community that is committed to honesty, please reflect on a time when you or someone you observed had to make a choice about whether to act with integrity and honesty.
- The mission of Harvard College is to educate our students to be citizens and citizen-leaders for society. What would you do to contribute to the lives of your classmates in advancing this mission?
- Each year a substantial number of students admitted to Harvard defer their admission for one year or take time off during college. If you decided in the future to choose either option, what would you like to do?
- Harvard has long recognized the importance of student body diversity of all kinds. We welcome you to write about distinctive aspects of your background, personal development or the intellectual interests you might bring to your Harvard classmates.

Statement on Consent regarding sensitive personal data: I am aware of the information about how Harvard College uses sensitive personal data in the admissions process. By submitting my application, I consent to Harvard's processing sensitive personal data about me in order to evaluate my application for admission and my eligibility for financial aid, if applicable. (For more information, please visit: <https://college.harvard.edu/admissions/apply/international-applicants/consent-regarding-sensitive-personal-data>.)

Important Information about Early Admission

- Students applying to Harvard under the Early Action program are not permitted to apply to other private universities' Early Action and Early Decision programs in the fall. Harvard will rescind any offer of admission to a student who does so.
- Students are allowed to apply in the fall to public institutions under rolling or other non-binding programs, and they may apply to colleges under Interim Decision programs that inform applicants of admission after January 1. They may also apply to any institution under its Regular Action program and to foreign colleges and universities on any application schedule.
- After students receive notification from Harvard's Early Action program (around mid-December), they are free to apply to any institution under any plan, including binding programs such as Early Decision II.
- Students admitted under an Early Decision program at another college must withdraw any pending application to Harvard and are not eligible for admission.

Third Party Access to Application Materials: Please be aware that Harvard, like most schools, provides application materials and information to outside companies who help Harvard collect, review and process data for applications. Those companies also provide materials and information to us. Examples of those companies include testing organizations, transcript request services, portfolio submission services, and services that review materials for plagiarism, in addition to application processors. We also provide application information to alumni who interview applicants.