Freshmen Application Process

- APPLY – Students apply online at admissions.utah.edu/apply
- PAY THE APPLICATION FEE – The $45 application fee is nonrefundable. An additional $30 is required for late applications. See admissions.utah.edu/deadlines for dates and deadlines.
- SUBMIT TRANSCRIPTS – Official high school and/or college transcripts must be sent to the Office of Admissions directly from all schools a student attends. We also accept electronic transcripts from SENDedu, Docufide by Parchment, National Student Clearinghouse, AVOW, and Script-Safe.
- SUBMIT ACT (OR SAT) SCORES – ACT and SAT scores must be sent electronically by the testing agency. Request scores using school code 4274 for the ACT, and 4853 for the SAT.
- TRACK STATUS ONLINE – Students may track their application at admissions.utah.edu/status. Official admissions decisions will be mailed.

*All application items (applications, fees, transcripts, and test scores) must be postmarked by the stated dates and deadlines to be considered for admission.

Freshmen Admission Evaluation Process

Each application is reviewed individually and consideration is given based on, but not limited to, the following factors, with greater emphasis given to primary factors:

**PRIMARY FACTORS**
- Quality of courses and rigor
- Grade trends
- Cumulative unweighted GPA
- ACT and/or SAT standardized test scores
- Satisfactory completion of high school core course requirements (2.0 on a 4.0 scale, unweighted)

**SECONDARY FACTORS**
- Academic honors
- Extracurricular activities
- Commitment to community engagement, citizenship and leadership
- Application questions (extraordinary family obligation, military service, extenuating circumstances)

**HIGHSCHOOL CORE COURSES**
- ENGLISH – Four years (composition and literature emphasis)
- MATHEMATICS – Two years beyond elementary algebra, chosen from geometry, intermediate algebra, pre-calculus, college or advanced algebra, or calculus
- BIOLOGICAL OR PHYSICAL SCIENCE – Three years, two of which are required to be taken from biology, chemistry, physics, and either biology or human biology. One of the courses must include a laboratory experience.
- HISTORY – One year of American history and government.
- FOREIGN LANGUAGE – First and second year (level) of the same foreign language taken during grades 7 through 12.
- ADDITIONAL COURSES – Four years chosen from at least two of the following: history, English, mathematics (beyond intermediate algebra), laboratory science, foreign language, social science, fine arts, technology, and engineering education.

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS**
- Graduate from an accredited high school before entering the U.

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**Estimated 2016-17 Academic Year Cost of Attendance**

Based on 26 credit hours — 13 each Fall and Spring semesters.

**DIRECT COSTS**

(shoulder scholarships and financial aid)

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**INDIRECT COSTS**

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All costs are subject to change without notice and are expected to increase annually. The Cost of Attendance is based on estimated figures and may not accurately reflect an individual student’s costs. The combination of the direct and indirect costs will be used to determine financial aid. *Please note, this rate is based on reported average costs for all undergraduate students at the U. Freshman costs may be up to $2,300 less, due to lower freshman housing fees. Estimated costs may vary by room type and meal plan selection. **Miscellaneous costs include things like medical expenses, clothing, health care, telephone, and other utilities, etc. If fees associated with student loan borrowing have been accounted for in the total budget for both residents and non-residents. Loan fees will vary.

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**OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS**

801-581-8761
admissions@utah.edu

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**DATES & DEADLINES**

**ADMISSION** (Summer & Fall terms only)

- Nov. 1 – Honors College Priority Application Date - apply through the admissions application (Summer & Fall applicants only)
- Dec. 1 – Priority Admissions Application Date and to be considered for merit and diversity scholarships
- Jan. 15 – Priority Admissions Application Notification Date
- Jan. 22 – Merit and Diversity scholarship awards begin to be released

**DEFERMENT**

- Feb. – Honors College Selection Notification Begins
- Feb. 1 – Second Round Admissions Application Date
- Mar. 1 – Second Round Admissions Notification Date
- Apr. 1 – Fall Semester Final Admissions Application Deadline
- May 1* – Deadline to Confirm Intent to Enroll

*Paying the Enrollment Deposit will not accept any Financial Aid or Scholarships your student may have been awarded. Reference award letters for instructions on accepting award packages.

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**UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Dec. 1 – University of Utah scholarships are awarded to students based on merit, financial need, and the ability to contribute to the overall diversity of the campus. Students should apply by the Dec. 1 Priority Admissions Application Date to maximize their chances for scholarship money.
- Apr. 1 – Fall Housing Priority Application Deadline
- May 1 – Deadline to cancel housing without penalty

**FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID**


**HOUSING**

- Apr. 1 – Fall Housing Priority Application Date
- May 1 – Deadline to cancel housing without penalty

**DEFERMEN**

Applicants may apply to defer their start date to a later semester. The enrollment deposit must be paid to be considered for a deferment. For more information visit admissions.utah.edu/apply/deferment.
### Majors

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