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**Freshman  
Admission**

General Application Information  
Academic Year 2007-2008 – Freshman

Admissions Offices College/University	Telephone, Fax	Web Site Address	Parts of Application to Complete			Applica- tion Fee*	Credit Cards Accepted			
			I	II	Essays		Visa	Master Card	Discover	American Express
<b>Angelo State University</b> Box 11014, ASU Station, San Angelo, TX 76909	Phone: 800/946-8627 Fax: 325/942-2078	www.angelo.edu	✓			\$20	✓	✓		
<b>Baylor University</b> One Bear Place, #97056 Waco, TX 76798-7056	Phone: 800/BAYLOR-U 254/710-3435 Fax: 254/710-3436	www.baylor.edu	✓	✓		\$50				
<b>Blinn College</b> 902 College Avenue Brenham, TX 77833  (Note: The Brenham campus processes the applications for all of Blinn's campuses.)	Phone: 979/830-4152 Fax: 979/830-4110	www.blinn.edu	✓	✓		\$0				
<b>Dallas Baptist University</b> 3000 Mountain Creek Parkway Dallas, TX 75211-9929	Phone: 214/333-5360 Fax: 214/333-5447	www.dbu.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Lamar University-Beaumont</b> P. O. Box 10007, Beaumont, TX 77710	Phone: 409/880-8888 Fax: 409/880-8463	www.lamar.edu	✓	✓		\$0				
<b>McMurry University</b> South 14th & Sayles Boulevard Abilene, TX 79697	Phone: 800/460-2392 Fax: 325/793-4701	www.mcm.edu	✓	✓	*	\$20	✓	✓	✓	✓
* For essay topic see McMurry's web site.										
<b>Midwestern State University</b> 3410 Taft Blvd., Wichita Falls, TX 76308-2099	Phone: 940/397-4334 800/842-1922 Fax: 940/397-4672	www.mwsu.edu	✓			\$25	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Prairie View A&amp;M University</b> P. O. Box 3089, Prairie View, TX 77446-3089	Phone: 936/857-2626 Fax: 936/857-2699	www.pvamu.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Sam Houston State University</b> Box 2418, Huntsville, TX 77341-2418	Phone: 866/232-7528 Fax: 936/294-3758	www.shsu.edu	✓			\$35	✓	✓		
<b>Schreiner University</b> 2100 Memorial Blvd, Kerrville, TX 78028-5697	Phone: 800/343-4919 Fax: 830/792-7226	www.schreiner.edu	✓	✓	C (recom- mended)	\$25	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Stephen F. Austin State University</b> Box 13051, Nacogdoches, TX 75962-3051	Phone: 936/468-2504 Fax: 936/468-3849	www.sfasu.edu	✓	✓		\$35	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Sul Ross State University</b> Box C-2, Alpine, TX 79832	Phone: 432/837-8050 Fax: 432/837-8431	www.sulross.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓		
<b>Sul Ross State University- Rio Grande College</b> Route 3, Box 1200, Eagle Pass, TX 78852	Phone: 830/773-8794 Fax: 830/773-8996	www.sulross.edu				Sul Ross State University-Rio Grande College is an upper-level center and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				
<b>Tarleton State University</b> P. O. Box T0030, Stephenville, TX 76402	Phone: 254/968-9125 800/687-8236 Fax: 254/968-9951	www.tarleton.edu	✓			\$25	✓	✓	✓	
Note: Tarleton State University does not accept application fee waivers.										
<b>Temple College</b> 2600 South First Street Temple, TX 76504-7435	Phone: 800/460-4636 Fax: 254/298-8288	www.templejc.edu	✓			\$0				
<b>Texas A&amp;M International University</b> 5201 University Blvd., Laredo, TX 78041-1900	Phone: 956/326-2270 Fax: 956/326-2269	www.tamui.edu	✓			\$0				

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<b>Texas A&amp;M University</b> P. O. Box 30014 College Station, TX 77842-3014	Phone: 979/845-3741 Fax: 979/458-1808	www.tamu.edu	✓	✓	A&B	\$60	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Commerce</b> P. O. Box 3011, Commerce, TX 75429-3011	Phone: 903/886-5081 Fax: 903/886-5888	www.tamuc.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Corpus Christi</b> 6300 Ocean Dr., Unit 5774 Corpus Christi, TX 78412-5774	Phone: 361/825-2624 Fax: 361/825-5887	www.tamucc.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Texas A&amp;M University at Galveston</b> P. O. Box 1675, Galveston, TX 77553	Phone: 409/740-4428 877/322-4443 Fax: 409/740-4731	www.tamug.edu	✓	✓	A & B	\$45	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Kingsville</b> MSC 128, Kingsville, TX 78363	Phone: 361/593-2315 Fax: 361/593-2195	www.tamuk.edu	✓	✓	C	\$15	✓	✓		
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Texarkana</b> P. O. Box 5518, Texarkana, TX 75505	Phone: 903/223-3069 Fax: 903/223-3140	www.tamut.edu	Texas A&M-Texarkana currently accepts applications for transfer/transient/former students only.							
<b>Texas Southern University</b> 3100 Cleburne St.-TSU Box 1855 Houston, TX 77004	Phone: 713/313-7071 Fax: 713/313-7471	www.tsu.edu	✓	✓		\$42	✓	✓	✓	
<b>Texas State University-San Marcos</b> 429 N. Guadalupe, San Marcos, TX 78666-5709	Phone: 512/245-2364 Fax: 512/245-9020	www.txstate.edu	✓	✓	A, B, or C	\$40	✓	✓		✓
<b>Texas Tech University</b> Box 45005, Lubbock, TX 79409-5005	Phone: 806/742-1480 Fax: 806/742-0062	www.ttu.edu	✓	✓	B or C (recom- mended)	\$50	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>Texas Woman's University</b> P. O. Box 425649, Denton, TX 76204	Phone: 866/809-6130 Fax: 940/898-3081	www.twu.edu	✓	✓		\$30	✓	✓		
<b>The University of Texas at Arlington</b> P. O. Box 19111, Arlington, TX 76019-0111	Phone: 817/272-6287 Fax: 817/272-3435	www.uta.edu	✓	✓		\$35	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>The University of Texas at Austin</b> P. O. Box 8058, Austin, TX 78713-8058	Phone: 512/475-7399 Fax: 512/475-7478	www.utexas.edu	✓	✓	A & B	\$60	✓	✓		
Architecture, Art, Art History, Design, Studio Art, Visual Art Studies/Art Education					B & D					
<b>The University of Texas at Brownsville</b> Tandy Hall, #105, Brownsville, TX 78520	Phone: 956/544-8254 Fax: 956/544-8832	www.utb.edu	✓			\$0				
<b>The University of Texas at Dallas</b> P. O. Box 830688, MC 18 Richardson, TX 75083-0688	Phone: 972/883-2346 Fax: 972/883-6803	www.utdallas.edu	✓	✓		\$50	✓	✓		

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<b>The University of Texas at El Paso</b> 500 West University Avenue, 101 Academic Services, El Paso, TX 79968-0578	Phone: 915/747-5890 Fax: 915/747-8893	www.utep.edu	✓	✓		\$0				
<b>The University of Texas-Pan American</b> 1201 West University Drive Edinburg, TX 78541-2999	Phone: 956/381-8872 Fax: 956/381-2687	www.utpa.edu	✓			\$0				
<b>The University of Texas of the Permian Basin</b> 4901 East University, Odessa, TX 79762-0001	Phone: 866/552-UTPB Fax: 432/552-3605	www.utpb.edu	✓	✓		\$0				
<b>The University of Texas at San Antonio</b> One UTSA Circle San Antonio, TX 78249-1644	Phone: 800/669-0919 Fax: 210/458-7564	www.utsa.edu	✓	✓		\$40	✓	✓	✓	
<b>The University of Texas at Tyler</b> 3900 University Blvd., Tyler, TX 75799	Phone: 903/566-7202 Fax: 903/566-7068	www.uttyler.edu	✓	✓		\$25				
<b>The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio</b> 7703 Floyd Curl Drive San Antonio, TX 78229	Phone: 210/567-2661 210/567-2674 210/567-2673	www.uthscsa.edu				UTHSCSA currently accepts applications for transfer/transient/former students only.				
<b>Tyler Junior College</b> P.O. Box 9020 Tyler, TX 75711	Phone: 903/510-2523 Fax:	www.tjc.edu								
<b>University of Dallas (private, Catholic univ.)</b> 1845 East Northgate Dr. Irving, TX 75062-4799	Phone: 800/628-6999 927/721-5266 Fax: 972/721-5017	www.udallas.edu	✓	✓	A&B	\$40	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>University of Houston-Main Campus</b> Room 122 E. Cullen Building Houston, TX 77204-2023	Phone: 713/743-9595 Fax: 713/743-7542	www.uh.edu	✓	✓		\$50	✓	✓	✓	
<b>University of Houston-Clear Lake</b> 2700 Bay Area Blvd., Houston, TX 77058-1098	Phone: 281/218-UHCL Fax: 281/283-2530	www.uhcl.edu				University of Houston-Clear Lake is an upper-level center and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				
<b>University of Houston-Downtown</b> One Main Street, 350 South Houston, TX 77002-1001	Phone: 713/221-8522 Fax: 713/221-8157	www.uhd.edu	✓			\$35	✓	✓	✓	
<b>University of Houston-Victoria</b> 3007 N. Ben Wilson, Victoria, TX 77901-5731	Phone: 361/570-4110 Fax: 361/570-4114	www.uhv.edu				University of Houston-Victoria is an upper-level center and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				
<b>University of North Texas</b> P. O. Box 311277, Denton, TX 76203-1277	Phone: 940/565-2681 Fax: 940/565-2408	www.unt.edu	✓	✓		\$40	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>West Texas A&amp;M University</b> WT Box 60907, Canyon, TX 79016	Phone: 800/999-8268 Fax: 806/651-5285	www.wtamu.edu	✓	✓		\$25	✓	✓	✓	

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## Instructions: Freshman

- **Submit either a paper or an electronic application ([www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)), NOT BOTH. We encourage you to apply online.**
- **Read page ix and page 9 before you start this application.**
- **Majors and codes are available on the Internet at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org) and in the *Code Book*, available at [www.collegefortexans.com](http://www.collegefortexans.com), in the admission office of public colleges and universities, and in high school counseling offices.**

### Part I.

1. Enter your Social Security number. The Social Security number is important to match the application with your grade transcript and test scores. The Social Security number is required to give (disburse) financial aid.  
NOTE: While no specific legal authority requires you to list your Social Security number for the purpose of applying for admission to the university, not providing the information will hold up further processes, such as financial aid.
2. Enter your date of birth (month, day, year). Do not leave blank; this information is required.
3. Enter your full, legal name: last, first, and middle. Do not use nicknames or abbreviations because this information will be used for your official record if you enroll. Use your full, legal name on all documents sent to the institution to which you are applying.
4. Enter other names, if any, under which your transcripts or other credentials may be listed.
5. Designate whether you are male or female.
6. Enter the city, state, and country where you were born.
7. Provide the information regarding your ethnic background. The information will be used for federal and/or state law reporting purposes and may be used by some institutions in admission or scholarship decisions.
8. Answer the questions regarding your citizenship status. If you have one, be sure to include with your application a copy of your permanent resident card and/or notice of action from the USCIS.
9. Enter your permanent mailing address and phone numbers. Use the Texas county codes and the two-letter state abbreviations listed in the *Code Book* (refer to "Instructions," above). Use the county code if your permanent address is in Texas; if it is not, you do not need to provide a code. If you do not have access to the county code information, you may leave this item blank.
10. Enter your current mailing address and phone number only if it is different from your permanent mailing address. Enter the date this address expires.
11. Enter the name and phone number of an emergency contact person.
12. Enter your E-mail address. The inclusion of your E-mail address may allow institutional representatives to contact you with admission information.
13. Indicate what languages (other than English) you speak fluently and for what length of time you have spoken them.
14. Indicate the highest level of your parents' or court-appointed legal guardian's educational background.
15. Indicate your family's gross income, including both taxed and untaxed income, for the most recent tax year.
16. Indicate how many people, including yourself, live in your household on a long-term basis. Include brothers and sisters who are in college.
17. Indicate whether or not you have family obligations that have prevented you from participating in extracurricular activities. Note if the obligation is: (a) working to supplement the family income, (b) providing primary care for a family member, or (c) other obligations. Describe the nature of your particular family obligation(s); i.e., the type of activity, time required, etc.
18. Check Fall, Spring, Summer I, or Summer II, and enter the year you plan to begin attending. "Mini or short semester" may not apply to all universities.
19. Check if you are applying as a freshman with no college credit hours or as a freshman with college credit hours and indicate the number of college credit hours you will earn by your high school graduation date. Consider dual/concurrent enrollment but not Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate courses as college credit hours.
20. If you plan to apply to more than three institutions, fill out the application, leaving item #20 blank, and make copies. Then enter the name of each college or university to which you are applying. List your first and second choice of major and the appropriate major code(s)/abbreviations for each. Majors and major codes may be found in the *Code Book* (refer to "Instructions," above). **Send a copy of your completed application to the admission office of each college or university. Keep the original application for your files.** Refer to page 9 for helpful instruction tips.
21. Enter the name, city, state, and College Board or ACT high school code of your high school (see your high school counselor). Indicate if you are home-schooled. Check the grades you attended at that high school, and enter the month and year you graduated or expect to graduate. Have an official transcript sent to each college or university to which you apply. Indicate if you will graduate from a Texas public high school with the Recommended or Advanced High School Program. This will be helpful in

determining if you are eligible for a TEXAS Grant. Indicate if you will graduate with an International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma.

22. If you did not or will not graduate from high school, indicate whether or not you have a GED and whether it is the English or Spanish version.
23. Indicate whether you plan to pursue a pre-professional program (e.g., pre-law, pre-medicine, nursing, pre-dental, pre-veterinary, physical therapy, etc.).
24. Check “Yes” if you plan to seek a teaching certificate in addition to your degree and “No” if you do not. If “Yes,” indicate if you will be seeking elementary level (Early Childhood-Grade 4); middle/junior high level (Grades 4-8); high school level (Grades 8-12); or all-level certification.
25. Enter your senior year schedule. Beside each course, indicate if it is an Advanced Placement (“AP”) or International Baccalaureate (“IB”) course, the credits received, and the semesters or trimesters the course was taken. Include any college coursework taken, including dual credit. For example:

Senior Courses	AP/IB	Credits	Semester		or	Trimester		
			1	2	1	2	3	
Physics	AP	1.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History	AP	.05	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

26. Prior to enrolling at this institution, if you have enrolled or will enroll in any college coursework, including college-level correspondence study and dual credit, indicate all previous colleges or universities you have attended or are attending, dates attended, and hours earned. Have an official transcript sent to each college or university to which you apply from each college or university you have attended.
27. Indicate the date you took or plan to take the ACT, SAT, or TOEFL (for international students) test.

**Residency Information**

28. – 33. Answer all questions that apply to you. Instructions are noted throughout the questions.
34. Write down any additional information that would help your college or university classify you as a Texas resident.

**Certification of Information**

35. Read this statement carefully. Sign your name and include the date to indicate you understand and agree with the statement.

**Part II. Activities**

Provide information in any or all of the four categories listed. Some examples are:

- Extracurricular Activities - offices held in clubs, whether elected or appointed
- Community Service - volunteer work
- Talents/Awards/Honors - sports, cheerleading, musical ability, academic honors, or any type of awards or certificates received
- Employment/Internships/Summer Activities - jobs or internships that indicate special interests, abilities, challenges, or achievements

You may submit a résumé in addition to this list. Attach it to your application and make a note that you have done so. Spell out names of organizations, clubs, honors, awards, etc.; do not use acronyms.

**Essays**

Most colleges and universities in Texas do not require essays as part of the admission process. Check the list on pages ii-iv or the web site at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org). Be sure to include your name and Social Security number on each of your essay pages and enclose your essays with your application. If you apply electronically, also include on your essays the web identification number you are given.

**Application Fee**

Application fees are listed on pages ii-iv. Include the student’s name and Social Security number on your check or money order. Some institutions also accept credit cards. Check with your high school counselor or the institution(s) to which you are applying for information concerning a possible waiver of the application fee (i.e., college application fee waiver).



## Instrucciones: Estudiantes de Nuevo Ingreso

- Entregue una solicitud ya sea en papel o electrónica ([www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)), **NO AMBAS**. Le recomendamos que haga su solicitud por Internet.
- Lea la página ix y la página 9 antes de iniciar esta solicitud.
- Las especialidades y los códigos están disponibles en el Internet en <http://www.applytexas.org>; y en el Libro de Códigos, disponible en <http://www.collegefortexans.com>, en la oficina de admisiones de las universidades públicas y en las oficinas de consejería de las preparatorias.

### Parte I.

1. Escriba su número de Seguro Social. El número de Seguro Social es importante para comparar la solicitud con su expediente académico y con los resultados de los exámenes. El número de Seguro Social se requiere para otorgar ayuda financiera. **AVISO:** Aunque ninguna autoridad legal específica requiere que proporcione su número de Seguro Social con el propósito de solicitar admisión a la universidad, el no proporcionarlo detendrá cualquier otro proceso como la ayuda financiera.
2. Escriba su fecha de nacimiento (mes, día, año). No deje espacios en blanco; esta información es requerida.
3. Escriba su apellido legal, nombre y segundo nombre completo. No use sobrenombres o abreviaciones porque si se inscribe, esta información será utilizada para su archivo oficial. Use su nombre legal completo en todos los documentos enviados a la institución a la que está solicitando.
4. Escriba algún otro nombre(s) que pudo haber sido usado e su boleta de calificaciones u otros documentos.
5. Indique su género: masculino o femenino.
6. Escriba la ciudad, estado y país donde nació.
7. Proporcione la información con respecto a su origen étnico. La información será utilizada para cuestiones de reportes de leyes federales y/o estatales y para algunas instituciones en decisiones de admisión o becas.
8. Conteste las preguntas con respecto a su estado de ciudadanía. Asegúrese de incluir, en caso de tenerla, una copia de su tarjeta de residente permanente y/o el aviso de acción del USCIS con su solicitud.
9. Escriba su dirección permanente y número de teléfono. Use los códigos de los condados de Texas y las dos letras de las abreviaciones del estado anotados en el “Libro de Códigos” (refiérase a las “Instrucciones,” en la parte de arriba). Utilice el código del condado si su dirección permanente está en Texas; si no está, no necesita proporcionar un código. Si no tiene acceso a la información de los códigos de los condados, puede dejar este espacio en blanco.
10. Escriba alguna otra dirección a donde se le envíe correspondencia y número de teléfono, sólo si es diferente a la de su dirección permanente. Escriba la fecha cuando esta dirección vaya a expirar.
11. Escriba el nombre y el número de teléfono de una persona a quien se pueda llamar, en caso de emergencia.
12. Escriba su dirección de correo electrónico. El agregar su dirección de correo electrónico permitirá a representantes de instituciones comunicarse con usted con información acerca de su admisión.
13. Indique los idiomas (otros que no sea el inglés) que usted habla con fluidez y por cuanto tiempo los ha hablado.
14. Indique el nivel más alto de educación de sus padres o tutor legal asignado por los tribunales.
15. Indique los ingresos de su familia antes de la deducción de impuestos del año fiscal más reciente, incluyendo ambos, los ingresos sujetos a deducciones de impuestos y los que no están sujetos a deducciones de impuestos.
16. Indique el número de personas, incluyéndose usted, que viven en su casa por un periodo largo de tiempo. Incluya hermanos y hermanas que asisten a la universidad.
17. Indique si tiene obligaciones familiares que no le han permitido participar en actividades extracurriculares. Note si la obligación es: (a) trabajar para complementar los ingresos de la familia (b) proporcionar cuidados básicos a un miembro de la familia, u (c) otras obligaciones. Describa el tipo de la(s) obligación(es) familiar(es) particular(es); ejemplo: la clase de actividad, el tiempo que le requiere, etc.
18. Marque otoño, primavera, Verano I o Verano II, y escriba el año que piensa empezar a asistir. “Los Mini o semestres cortos” puede que no apliquen a todas las universidades.
19. Marque si está solicitando como estudiante de primer ingreso sin horas crédito de universidad o como estudiante de primer año con horas crédito de universidad e indique el número de horas crédito de universidad que tendrá para la fecha de graduación de la preparatoria. Considere la inscripción “concurrent/dual” pero no cursos de “Advanced Placement/ International Baccalaureate” como horas crédito de universidad.
20. Si piensa solicitar en más de tres instituciones, llene la solicitud, dejando en blanco la pregunta #20, y haga copias. Luego escriba el nombre de cada universidad a las que está solicitando. Indique su primera y segunda opción de especialidad y código(s)/abreviaciones apropiadas de la especialidad para cada una. Las especialidades y los códigos de las especialidades se pueden encontrar en el Libro de Códigos (refiérase a “las Instrucciones,” en la parte de arriba). **Mande una copia de su solicitud completa a la oficina de admisiones de cada universidad a la que desea solicitar. Mantenga la solicitud original para su archivo personal.** Favor de usar pagina 9 como referencia de ayuda.

21. Escriba el nombre, ciudad, estado y el código de “College Board” o el código de la preparatoria del ACT (hable con el consejero de su preparatoria). Indique si recibió su educación en casa. Marque los años que curso en esa preparatoria y escriba el mes y el año cuando graduó o espera graduar. Mande una boleta de calificaciones oficial a cada universidad a la que usted desea solicitar. Indique si usted va a graduarse de una preparatoria pública de Texas con el programa de preparatoria “Recommended” o “Advanced”. Esto facilitará para determinar si es elegible para una Beca de Texas.
22. Si no graduó o no graduará de la preparatoria, indique si tiene o no el GED ya sea la versión en inglés o en español.
23. Indique si piensa obtener un programa pre-profesional; por ejemplo, pre-derecho, pre-medicina, enfermería, pre-dental, pre-veterinaria, terapia física, etc.
24. Marque “Sí” si piensa obtener un certificado de enseñanza además de su título y “No” si no lo piensa obtener. Si “Sí”, indique si piensa obtenerlo en educación primaria (Pre-escolar-4º año escolar), nivel secundario (4º - 8º año escolar); nivel preparatoria (8º - 12º año escolar); o el certificado en todos los niveles.
25. Escriba su horario de *senior*. Para cada curso, indique si es un curso “Advanced Placement” (AP) o “International Baccalaureate” (IB), los créditos recibidos, y los semestres o trimestres en los que el curso fue tomado. Incluya cualquier trabajo de curso de universidad que haya tomado, incluyendo “dual credit”.

Cursos de cuarto año	AP/IB	Créditos	Semestre o Trimestre					
			1	2	1	2	3	
<u>Física</u>	<u>AP</u>	<u>1.0</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<u>Historia</u>	<u>IB</u>	<u>.05</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

26. Antes de inscribirse a esta institución, si se ha inscrito o se va a inscribir en cualquier trabajo de curso de universidad, incluyendo estudios por correspondencia a nivel de universidad y “dual credit”, indique todas las universidades que haya asistido anteriormente o está asistiendo, las fechas en las que ha asistido, y las horas que ha obtenido. Mande una boleta de calificaciones oficial a cada universidad a la que esta solicitando.
27. Indique la fecha en que tomó o piensa tomar el examen ACT, SAT o TOEFL (para estudiantes internacionales).
28. – 33. Conteste todas las preguntas a las que aplique. Instrucciones específicas serán dadas en cada pregunta.

34. Escriba cualquier información adicional que le ayudara a la institución que esta solicitando, a clasificarlo como residente de Texas.
35. Lea esta declaración con cuidado. Fírmela e incluya la fecha para indicar que usted entiende y está de acuerdo con la declaración.

## Parte II. Actividades

Proporcione la información de cualquiera o todas las cuatro categorías anotadas.

Algunos ejemplos son:

- Actividades extracurriculares – puestos desempeñados en clubes, ya sea a través de elecciones o asignado.
- Servicio a la comunidad – trabajo voluntario
- Talentos/Premios/Honores – deportes, animación, habilidades musicales, honores académicos, o cualquier tipo de premios o certificados recibidos.
- Empleo/Internado/Actividades de verano – trabajos o internados que indiquen intereses, habilidades, retos o logros especiales.

Usted también puede entregar un currículum vitae aparte de esta lista. Adjúntelo a su solicitud y anote que lo hizo.

Escriba los nombres de organizaciones, clubes, honores, premios, etc.; no use acrónimos.

## Ensayos

La mayoría de las universidades en Texas no requieren ensayos como parte del proceso de admisión. Revise la lista en las páginas ii-iv o el sitio de Internet en <http://www.applytexas.org>. Asegúrese de incluir su nombre y el número de Seguro Social en cada una de las hojas de su ensayo y ponga sus ensayos adjuntos con su solicitud. Si solicita electrónicamente, también incluya en sus ensayos el número de identificación del Internet que se le asigne.

## Cuota de la Solicitud

Las cuotas de las solicitudes se encuentran en las páginas ii-iv. Incluya el nombre del estudiante y el número de Seguro Social en el cheque o giro postal. Algunas instituciones también aceptan tarjetas de crédito. Infórmese con el consejero de su preparatoria o la institución o instituciones a las que está solicitando para ver si le pueden condonar la cuota de la solicitud, ejemplo: condonación de la cuota de la solicitud universitaria



## Procedure for Applying to More Than One College or University

The Texas Common Application was created to help make applying to a Texas institution of higher education easier. You are strongly encouraged to apply online at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org).

The following procedure is recommended for students who wish to apply to more than one college or university and who complete a paper application:

1. Each institution has its own unique admission instructions and required credentials. Before mailing your application, refer to the web site or contact the admissions office of each college or university to which you apply for additional institutional information.
2. Complete Parts I and II of the Texas Common Application. Leave item #20 blank as you are completing the application.
3. Photocopy the original completed application and make one copy for each college or university to which you are applying. Keep the original application for your files in the event you wish to to other institutions at a later time.
4. On each copy of the application, complete item #20 by entering the name of the college or to which you are applying and your first and second choice of major. Follow the instructions for completing the Texas Common Application to ensure proper listing of major(s).
5. Submit one completed application to each college or university to which you are applying, including Part II, essays and application fee if these items are required by the institution. Not all institutions require applicants to send in the same parts of the common application. See the general application information section on pages ii through iv of this booklet to determine what items are required by the institutions to which you apply.



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# Texas Common Application

## Freshman Admission

THIS APPLICATION SHOULD NOT BE USED BY INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS.

You are encouraged to complete this application online at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org).

This application is intended for use in applying for Academic Year 2007-2008.

### Part I.

#### Biographical Information

1. Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Date of Birth (Required): \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.) (Month/Day/Year)
3. Full, Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Last/Family) (First) (Middle) (Suffix: Jr., etc.)
4. If You Attended School Using a Different Name, Please List Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_
5. Gender: Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ 6. Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (City) (State) (Country)
7. Ethnic Background: Please indicate which of the following groups **best** describes your ethnic background. The information will be used for federal and/or state law reporting purposes and may be used by some institutions in admission or scholarship decisions.
- White, Non-Hispanic \_\_\_ Hispanic or Latino \_\_\_ American Indian or Alaskan Native \_\_\_  
 Black, Non-Hispanic \_\_\_ Asian or Pacific Islander \_\_\_
8. (a) Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If "No," of what country are you a citizen? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) If you are not a citizen, do you hold Permanent Residence status (valid I-551) for the U.S.? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If "Yes," date permanent resident card\* issued: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Alien Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Enclose a copy of both sides of the card. (Month) (Day) (Year)  
 (c) If you are not a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, do you have an application for permanent residence (form I-485) pending with the U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)?  
 Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (If "Yes," enclose a copy of your notice of action from the USCIS.)
9. Permanent Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt # \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mailing address, not physical address: Number and Street or P. O. Box)  
 County: \_\_\_\_\_ County Code: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (See Instructions.)  
 Permanent Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
10. Current Mailing Address (if different from permanent mailing address):  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mailing address, not physical address: Number and Street or P. O. Box)  
 Apt #: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Current Phone (if different from permanent phone): ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Current Address Good Until: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
12. E-Mail Address for Student: \_\_\_\_\_
13. In addition to English, what languages do you speak fluently?
- Language \_\_\_\_\_ Years Spoken \_\_\_\_\_  
 Language \_\_\_\_\_ Years Spoken \_\_\_\_\_
14. Please indicate the highest level of your parents' or court-appointed legal guardian's educational background.
- Father/Legal Guardian: No high school \_\_\_ Some high school \_\_\_ High school diploma or GED \_\_\_  
 Some College \_\_\_ Bachelor's Degree \_\_\_ Graduate/Professional Degree \_\_\_
- Mother/Legal Guardian: No high school \_\_\_ Some high school \_\_\_ High school diploma or GED \_\_\_  
 Some College \_\_\_ Bachelor's Degree \_\_\_ Graduate/Professional Degree \_\_\_

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Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

15. Please indicate, for the most recent tax year, your family's gross income. Include both untaxed and taxed income.  
Less than \$20,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$40,000-\$59,999 \_\_\_\_\_ more than \$80,000 \_\_\_\_\_  
\$20,000-\$39,999 \_\_\_\_\_ \$60,000-\$79,999 \_\_\_\_\_
16. How many people, including yourself, live in your household? (Include brothers and sisters attending college) \_\_\_\_\_
17. Do you have family obligations that keep you from participating in extracurricular activities? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, do you:  
(a) have to work to supplement family income? Please describe. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(b) provide primary care for family member(s)? Please describe. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(c) other? Please describe. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Educational Data**

18. Check One Semester and Indicate Year You Expect to Enter: Fall \_\_\_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_\_\_ Summer I \_\_\_\_\_ Summer II \_\_\_\_\_  
Mini or short semester: (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_
19. Are you a: Freshman (no college credit hours) \_\_\_\_\_ Freshman (with college credit hours) \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of college credit hours by high school graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_
20. Write in the name of the college(s) or university(s) to which you are applying. On the line below the institution's name, write in your first and second choice of major. You can find the majors and codes/abbreviations in the Code Book or at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org). (Click on "Enter ApplyTexas," then select "View Degrees Offered" under "Search for Information.")  
Before beginning this section, read page ix of this booklet and #20 of the instructions (page v of this booklet).
- Institution: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
(Major Name--First Choice) (Code) (Major Name--Second Choice) (Code)
  - Institution: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
(Major Name--First Choice) (Code) (Major Name--Second Choice) (Code)
  - Institution: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
(Major Name--First Choice) (Code) (Major Name--Second Choice) (Code)
21. High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Complete Name of High School) (City) (State)  
High School Code: \_\_\_\_\_ (See your high school counselor.) Home-schooled: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Grades Attended at this High School: 9 \_\_ 10 \_\_ 11 \_\_ 12 \_\_ Date Graduated or Expect to Graduate: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Have an official transcript sent to each university to which you apply.)  
Do you plan to graduate with an IB diploma? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
To determine TEXAS Grant eligibility, will you graduate from a Texas public high school with the Recommended or Advanced High School Program? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
22. If you did not graduate from high school, do you have a GED? Yes\_\_ No\_\_ If yes, which version: English \_\_ Spanish \_\_
23. If you plan to pursue a pre-professional program, please specify which one (e.g., pre-law, medicine, nursing, veterinary, physical therapy). \_\_\_\_\_
24. Will you seek teacher certification? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes, indicate which level:  
Elementary Level (Early Childhood-Grade 4) \_\_\_\_\_ ; Middle School/Junior High Level (Grades 4-8) \_\_\_\_\_ ;  
High School Level (Grades 8-12) \_\_\_\_\_ ; or All-Level (Early Childhood-Grade 12) \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

25. List the exact titles of the courses you will complete your senior year, indicate any AP or IB courses, the number of credits you will earn for each, and the semester or trimester the course was taken. Include college course work, if any, you will complete during your senior year.

Senior Courses	AP/IB	Credit	Semester		or Trimester		
			1	2	1	2	3
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

26. Please list **ALL** colleges or universities you have attended or are attending, including college-level correspondence study and dual credit. Failure to list all institutions will be considered an intentional omission and may lead to forced withdrawal. Have an official transcript sent to each university to which you apply.

Name of Institution	City and State	Dates of Attendance		Hours Earned
		From	Thru	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**Admissions Tests**

27. Please have official test scores sent directly from the testing agency to the colleges and/or universities to which you apply.

ACT - Date taken or plan to take: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month/Year)

SAT - Date taken or plan to take: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month/Year)

TOEFL - Date taken or plan to take (if your native language is not English): \_\_\_\_\_ (Month/Year)

**Residency Information** (Please answer all questions. Use n/a if the question does not apply to you.)

28. Previous Enrollment:

(a) During the 12 months prior to the term for which you are applying, did you attend a public college or university in Texas in a fall or spring term? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_. If you answered "no," continue to question 29. If you answered "yes," complete questions (b) through (e).

(b) What Texas public institution did you last attend? (Give full name, not just initials.)

(c) In which term were you last enrolled? \_\_\_ fall, 200\_\_\_ \_\_\_ spring, 200\_\_\_

(d) During your last semester at a Texas public institution, did you pay resident (in-state) or nonresident (out-of-state) tuition? \_\_\_ resident (in-state) \_\_\_ nonresident (out-of-state) \_\_\_ unknown

(e) If you paid in-state tuition at your last institution, was it because you were classified as a Texas resident or because you were a nonresident who received a waiver?  
 resident \_\_\_ nonresident with a waiver \_\_\_ unknown \_\_\_

**IMPORTANT:** If you were enrolled at a Texas public institution during a fall or spring semester within the previous 12 months and were classified as a Texas resident, skip to question 35, sign and date this form and submit it to your institution. If you were not enrolled, or if you were enrolled but classified as a nonresident, proceed to question 34.

(Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

29. Residency Claim:

Are you a resident of Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If you answered "yes," continue to question 30.

If you are uncertain or you are in the U. S. military or you are a U. S. military dependent, continue to question 30.

If you answered "no," complete the following question and skip to question 35.

Of what state or country are you a resident? \_\_\_\_\_

30. Acquisition of High School Diploma or GED:

(a) Did you graduate from high school or complete a GED in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If you graduated from high school, what was the name and city of the school?

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of High School) (City)

(b) Did you live in Texas the 36 months leading up to high school graduation or completion of the GED?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(c) When you begin the semester for which you are applying, will you have lived in Texas for the previous 12 months?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(d) Are you a U. S. Citizen or Permanent Resident of the United States of America? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

*Instructions for Question 30:*

- ◆ If you answered "no" to question (a) or (b) or (c), continue to question 31.
- ◆ If you answered "yes" to all four questions, skip to question 35.
- ◆ If you answered "yes" to questions (a), (b) and (c), but "no" to question (d), complete a copy of the Affidavit, skip to question 35 of this form, and submit both this form and the affidavit to your institution.

31. Basis of Claim to Residency.

(To Be Completed By Everyone Who Did Not Answer "Yes" to Questions (a), (b) and (c) of Question 30.)

(a) Do you file your own federal income tax as an independent tax payer? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(b) Are you claimed as a dependent or are you eligible to be claimed as a dependent by a parent or court-appointed legal guardian? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (To be eligible to be claimed as a dependent, your parent or legal guardian must provide at least one half of your support. A step-parent does not qualify as a parent if he or she has not adopted the student.)

(c) If you answered "No" to both questions above, who provides the majority of your support?

self \_\_\_ parent or legal guardian \_\_\_ other: (list) \_\_\_\_\_

*Instructions for Question 31:*

- ◆ If you answered "yes" to question (a), continue to question 32.
- ◆ If you answered "yes" to question (b), skip to question 33.
- ◆ If you answered "no" to (a) and (b) and "self" to question (c), continue to question 32.
- ◆ If you answered "no" to (a) and (b) and "parent or legal guardian" to question (c), skip to question 33.
- ◆ If you answered "no" to (a) and (b) and "other" to question (c), skip to question 34 and provide an explanation, and complete question 35.

32. If you answered "Yes" to question (a) or "Self" to question (c) of question 31, answer the following:

(a) Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(b) Are you a Permanent Resident of the United States of America? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(c) Are you a foreign national whose application for Permanent Resident Status has been preliminarily reviewed? (You should have received a fee/filing receipt or Notice of Action (I-797) from U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) showing your I-485 has been reviewed and has not been rejected). Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

(d) Are you a foreign national here with a visa or are you a Refugee, Asylee, Parolee or here under Temporary Protective Status? If so, indicate which: \_\_\_\_\_

(Visa/Status)

(e) Do you currently live in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If you are out of state due to a temporary assignment by your employer or other temporary purpose, please explain in question 34.

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 (Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

- (f) (1) If you currently live in Texas, how long have you been living here? Months \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2) What is your main purpose for being in the state?  
 Go to College \_\_\_\_\_ Establish/Maintain a Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work Assignment \_\_\_\_\_  
 If for reasons other than those listed above, give an explanation in question 34.
- (g) (1) If you are a member of the U.S. military, is Texas your Home of Record? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 (2) What state is listed as your military legal residence for tax purposes on your Leave and Earnings Statement?  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- (h) (1) Do you hold the title to real property (home, land) in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2) Do you own a business in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3) Do you hold a state or local license to conduct a business or practice a profession in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_
- (i) (1) For the past 12 months, have you been gainfully employed in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 (2) For the past 12 months, have you received services from a social service agency that provides services to homeless persons? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- (j) Are you married to a person who could answer "yes" to any part of question (h) or (i)? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If "yes," indicate which question could be answered "yes" by your spouse: \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long have you been married to the Texas resident? Months \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_  
 Skip Question 33 and continue to Question 34.
33. If you answered "Parent" or "Legal Guardian" to question (c) of question 31, answer the following:
- (a) Is the parent or legal guardian upon whom you base your claim of residency a U.S. Citizen? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- (b) Is the parent or legal guardian upon whom you base your claim of residency a Permanent Resident of the United States of America? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- (c) Is this parent or legal guardian a foreign national whose application for Permanent Resident Status has been preliminarily reviewed? (Your parent or legal guardian should have received a fee/filing receipt or Notice of Action (I-797) from U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) showing the I-485 has been reviewed and has not been rejected.) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- (d) Is this parent or legal guardian a foreign national here with a visa or a Refugee, Asylee, Parolee or here under Temporary Protective Status? If so, indicate which: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Visa/Status)
- (e) Does this parent or legal guardian currently live in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If he or she is out of state due to a temporary assignment by his or her employer or other temporary purpose, please explain in question 34.
- (f) (1) If your parent or legal guardian is currently living in Texas, how long has he or she been living here?  
 Months \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2) What is your parent's or legal guardian's main purpose for being in the state?  
 Go to College \_\_\_\_\_ Establish/Maintain a Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work Assignment \_\_\_\_\_  
 If for reasons other than those listed above, give an explanation in question 34.
- (g) (1) If your parent or legal guardian is a member of the U.S. military, is Texas his or her Home of Record?  
 Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 (2) What state is listed as your parent's or legal guardian's residence for tax purposes on his or her Leave and Earnings Statement? \_\_\_\_\_
- (h) Does your parent or legal guardian:  
 (1) hold the title to real property (home, land) in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2) own a business in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3) hold a state or local license to conduct a business or practice a profession in Texas? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If yes, date acquired: \_\_\_\_\_

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Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

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- (i) For the past 12 months, has your parent or legal guardian:
  - (1) been gainfully employed in Texas? Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_
  - (2) received services from a social service agency that provides services to homeless persons? Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_
  
- (j) Is your parent or legal guardian married to a person who could answer "yes" to any part of question (h) or (i)?  
Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If "yes," indicate which question could be answered "yes" by his or her spouse: \_\_\_\_\_  
How long has your parent or legal guardian been married to the Texas resident? Months \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_

34. General Comments. Is there any additional information that you believe your college should know in evaluating your eligibility to be classified as a resident? If so, please provide it below:

35. Certification of Information. All students must complete this section.

I certify that the information on this application is complete and correct and I understand that the submission of false information is grounds for rejection of my application, withdrawal of any offer of acceptance, cancellation of enrollment and/or appropriate disciplinary action. I also understand that officials of my college/university will use the information submitted on this form to determine my status for residency eligibility. I authorize the college/university to verify the information I have provided. I agree to notify the proper officials of the institution of any changes in the information provided. I authorize the institution to electronically access my records regarding the Texas Success Initiative.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

**Part II. Activities.**

See “General Application Information” on pages ii through iv to determine if this part is required for your application to the institution(s) of your choice. Please list, in priority order, the organizations, activities, jobs, and internships that indicate your special contributions, talents, honors and abilities in the areas of extracurricular activities, service and work. Include service and work done in the summer. Please spell out the names and describe the organizations in which you have participated. If you need to attach additional pages, please follow the same format as below and on page 8. In addition, you may also attach a résumé. Résumé attached: Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**Extracurricular Activities**

Organization <i>Examples</i> Speech/Debate Club Basketball Team	Your Position/Year <i>Examples</i> Committee Chair/senior Captain/junior	Were you elected to this position? (circle Yes or No)	Level <i>Examples</i> Regional Local	Description of Activities <i>Examples:</i> Hosted Speech Tournament Played Forward	Hours Per Week/Hours Per Year (3/32 = three hours per week/32 weeks per year)			
					Fresh.	Soph.	Jr.	Sr.
_____	_____	yes/no	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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**Community Service**

Service/Volunteer Work <i>Examples:</i> Habitat for Humanity Hospital Volunteer	Description of Service <i>Examples:</i> Helped build houses Helped nurses and visited patients	From-Thru 5/05-5/06 6/05-8/06	Total Hours 120 112
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 Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Optional: This will ensure your documents are matched and processed promptly.)

**Part II. Activities, continued**

**Talents/Awards/Honors**

Talent/Award/Honor	Description	Level	Year Received			
			Fresh.	Soph.	Jr.	Sr.
<u>Examples</u> Voice Regional Qualifier (Speech) All-State Basketball Team	<u>Examples</u> Sang in school choir 1 of 3 chosen for regional team (UIL) 1 of 5 in state chosen for first team	<u>Examples</u> Regional State	X	X	X	X
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**Employment/Internships/Summer Activities**

Name of Employer/Sponsor	Your Specific Role/Job Title	From-Thru	Hours Per Week
<u>Examples:</u> Grocery Store Exchange Program	<u>Examples:</u> Sacker: Sacked groceries, helped customers Spent two months with host family in Spain	6/05-5/06 6/06-7/06	10 n/a
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## Essays

Institutions do not require all four essays. See “General Application Information” on pages ii through iv to determine if you are required to write an essay or essays as part of your application for admission. Unless otherwise specified, your essay(s) should be typed and be no longer than one page (8 1/2” x 11”). Put your name and Social Security number at the top of each page.

### Topic A.

Describe a significant setback, challenge or opportunity in your life and the impact that it has had on you.

### Topic B.

Many students expand their view of the world during their time in college. Such growth often results from encounters between students who have lived different cultural, economic, or academic experiences. With your future growth in mind, describe a potential classmate that you believe you could learn from either within or outside a formal classroom environment.

### Topic C.

What additional information do you wish to be considered in the decision to admit you?

For example:

1. exceptional hardship, setback or personal experience that has shaped your abilities or academic credentials
2. personal responsibilities
3. exceptional achievements or special talents such as poetry, art, bilingual proficiency, etc.
4. educational goals and choice of major
5. ways you contribute to the commitment that the university has made to create an institution with a diverse learning environment

Enclose documentation and references to contact for verification, if appropriate.

### Topic D.

The essay in this section is specific to certain college majors and is not required by all colleges/universities that accept the Texas Common Application. Please see the “General Application Information” in the front of this booklet. If you are not applying for a major in Architecture, Art, Art History, Design, Studio Art, Visual Art Studies/Art Education, you are not required to write this essay.

Personal interaction with objects, images and spaces can be so powerful as to change the way one thinks about particular issues or topics. For your intended area of study (architecture, art history, design, studio art, visual art studies/art education), describe an experience where instruction in that area or your personal interaction with an object, image or space effected type of change in your thinking. What did you do to act upon your new thinking and what have you done to prepare yourself for further study in this area?

### ✓ Checklist ✓

- \_\_\_\_\_ Have your ACT and/or SAT scores been sent directly from the testing agency to the institution/institutions to which you are applying?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Has your high school sent your official high school transcript, with class rank, to the institution/institutions?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you written your name and Social Security number on each page of this application?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you answered each question? Refer to the “General Application Information” on pages ii through iv of this booklet for the parts of the application to complete.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you removed the application from the rest of the information in this booklet?  
Mail only the actual application to the college or university, not the entire booklet.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you made a copy of your application for each college or university to which you wish to apply?  
Mail a copy of your application to each institution and keep the original application for your records.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you included the application fee and essay(s), if required by the institution/institutions?
- \_\_\_\_\_ If you wish to send one, have you included your résumé?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you taken one of the required state-approved assessment tests?  
The Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Program, formerly TASP, mandates that you must take one of the following state-approved assessment tests before enrolling in any college-level coursework: THEA, ASSET, ACCUPLACER, OR COMPASS. Test results are not used for admission purposes; you must, however, have test results prior to enrolling, unless you are exempt.  
PLEASE CONTACT THE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY YOU PLAN TO ATTEND FOR EXEMPTIONS OR TEST INFORMATION.



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<b>College or University</b>	<b>Fall 2007</b>	<b>Spring 2008</b>	<b>Summer I, 2007</b>	<b>Summer II, 2007</b>	<b>FAFSA* Code</b>
<b>Angelo State University</b> Admission:	August 6	December 10	May 6	June 17	3541
Financial Aid:	April 1	April 1	March 1	March 1	
Scholarship (Check deadline with Financial Aid Office.):	March 1	March 1	March 1	March 1	
<b>Baylor University</b> Admission: Early Action I:	October 15				003545
Early Action II:	December 1				
Regular Decision:	February 1	December 1	February 1	February 1	
Financial Aid:	March 1	October 1	April 1	April 1	
Scholarship:	No Deadline	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	
<b>Blinn College</b> Admission:	September 1	January 15	June 1	July 1	003549
Financial Aid:	June 1	October 14	April 28	April 28	
Scholarship:	June 1	October 14	April 28	April 28	
<b>Dallas Baptist University</b> Admission:	August 21	January 15	May 30	July 5	003560
Financial Aid Priority Deadlines:	March 15	October 1	March 17		
Scholarship:	No Deadline				
<b>Lamar University</b> Admission:	August 1	January 2	May 25	July 1	003581
Financial Aid:	April 1	No Deadline			
Scholarship:	February 1	No Deadline			
<b>McMurry University</b> Admission Priority Deadline:	March 15	January 5	No Deadline	No Deadline	003591
Financial Aid Priority Deadline:	March 15	No Deadline			
Scholarship Priority Deadline:	February 1	No Deadline			
<b>Midwestern State University</b> Admission: Priority deadline	July 1	November 1	May 1	June 1	003592
Regular deadline	August 7	December 15	May 15	June 15	
Financial Aid:	May 1	October 1	March 1	March 1	
Scholarship:	March 1	No Deadline			
<b>Prairie View A&amp;M University</b> Admission:	June 1	November 1	April 1	April 1	003630
Financial Aid:	March 1	November 1	March 1	No Deadline	
Scholarship:	March 1	No Deadline			
<b>Sam Houston State University</b> Admission:	August 1	December 1	May 15	June 15	003606
Financial Aid:	May 31	September 30	February 28	February 28	
Scholarship:	February 1	February 1	April 15	April 15	
<b>Schreiner University</b> Admission:	May 1	December 1	May 1	n/a	003610
Financial Aid:	April 1	November 1	April 1		
Scholarship:	May 1	December 1	May 1		

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<b>Stephen F. Austin State University</b> Admission:	August 24	January 15	May 29	July 6	003624
Financial Aid Priority Deadlines:	April 1	November 1	March 1	March 1	
Scholarship:	February 1	No Deadline			
<b>Sul Ross State University</b> Admission:	August 16	January 19	May 30	July 3	003625
Financial Aid:	No Deadline				
Scholarship:	March 1	No Deadline			
<b>Sul Ross State University-Rio Grande College</b>	Sul Ross State University-Rio Grande College is an upper-level center and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				000020
<b>Tarleton State University</b> Admission:	August 1	January 1	April 1	May 1	003631
Financial Aid:	April 1	October 15	April 1	May 1	
Scholarship:	February 15	December 1	June 1	June 1	
<b>Texas A&amp;M International University</b> Admission:	July 1	November 1	April 1	May 1	009651
Financial Aid:	July 9	December 1	June 11	June 11	
Priority deadline for academic year: March 1					
Scholarship:	No Deadline				
<b>Texas A&amp;M University</b> Admission**	February 1	October 16	February 1	February 1	003632
Financial Aid:	April 3	September 15	February 1	No Deadline	
Scholarship:	Deadlines Vary				
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Commerce</b> Admission:	August 11	January 6	May 31	July 3	003565
Financial Aid:	April 1	December 1	No Deadline		
Scholarship:	June 1	October 1	No Deadline		
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Corpus Christi</b> Admission:	July 1	November 1	April 1	April 1	011161
Financial Aid:	April 1	November 1	February 15	February 15	
Scholarship:	February 1	February 1	February 1	February 1	
<b>Texas A&amp;M University at Galveston</b> Admission: Priority deadline is March 1	July 1	November 15	May 15	July 1	003632
Financial Aid:	May 1	November 1	May 1	May 1	
Scholarship:	Deadline Varies	n/a			
<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Kingsville</b> Admission:	August 15	December 15	May 15	June 15	003639
Financial Aid:	April 15	October 1	March 1	March 1	
Scholarship:	February 15	No Deadline			

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<b>Texas A&amp;M University-Texarkana</b>	Texas A&M-Texarkana currently accepts applications for transfer/transient/former students only.				031703
<b>Texas Southern University</b> Admission:	August 13	December 17	May 21	June 25	003642
Financial Aid:	April 15	April 15	April 15	April 15	
Scholarship:	No Deadline				
<b>Texas State University-San Marcos</b>					003615
Admission: Communication Design:	March 15	October 15	n/a	n/a	
McCoy College of Business Administration:	March 15	October 15	March 15	March 15	
All Other Majors:	May 1	December 1	May 1	June 15	
Financial Aid Priority Deadlines:	April 1	April 1	March 1	March 1	
Scholarship:	December 1	December 1	December 1	December 1	
<b>Texas Tech University</b> Admission**	May 1	November 15	May 1	May 1	003644
Financial Aid:	No Deadline				
Scholarship:	February 1				
<b>Texas Woman's University</b> Admission:	July 15	November 1	No Deadline	No Deadline	003646
Financial Aid:	April 1	April 1	March 1	No Deadline	
Spring only: September 1					
Scholarship:	March 1	March 1	March 1	No Deadline	
<b>The University of Texas at Arlington</b> Admission:	June 1	December 1	April 1	April 1	003656
Financial Aid:	May 15	November 15	April 1	n/a	
Scholarship:	March 1	November 1	n/a	n/a	
<b>The University of Texas at Austin</b> Admission**	February 1	October 1	February 1	February 1	003658
Financial Aid:	March 31	September 30	February 15	No Deadline	
Scholarship:	December 1	No Deadline	No Deadline	No Deadline	
<b>The University of Texas at Brownsville</b> Admission:	August 1	December 15	May 1	June 1	030646
Financial Aid:	April 1	December 1	May 1	June 1	
Scholarship:	April 1	December 1	May 1	June 1	
<b>The University of Texas at Dallas</b> Admission:	Priority July 1	Priority November 1	Priority April 1	Priority June 1	009741
Financial Aid:	April 30	October 15	March 12	March 12	
Scholarship:	No Deadline				
<b>The University of Texas at El Paso</b> Admission:	May 1	October 1	March 1	April 1	003661
Financial Aid:	March 15	No Deadline			
Scholarship: Presidential Scholars Program	November 1	No Deadline			
All other scholarships	March 1	No Deadline			

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<b>The University of Texas-Pan American</b> Admission:	February 1	September 1	February 1	February 1	003599
Financial Aid:	March 1	September 15	February 15	February 15	
Scholarship - visit <a href="http://www.utpa.edu/excellence">www.utpa.edu/excellence</a> :	December 1				
<b>The University of Texas of the Permian Basin</b> Admission:	July 15	November 15	May 1	May 1	009930
Financial Aid:	May 1	No Deadline			
Scholarship:	April 15	No Deadline			
<b>The University of Texas at San Antonio</b> Admission: Priority	April 1	November 1	March 1	March 1	010115
Final	July 1	December 1	May 1	May 1	
Financial Aid Priority Deadline:	March 31	March 31	March 31	March 31	
Scholarship:	February 15	February 15	February 15	February 15	
<b>The University of Texas at Tyler</b> Admission:	No Deadline				011163
Financial Aid:	April 4	November 1	April 1	April 1	
Scholarship:	April 1	April 1	No Deadline		
<b>The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio</b>	UTHSCSA accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				003659
<b>University of Dallas</b> (private, Catholic university) Admission:	August 1	December 1	n/a	n/a	003651
Financial Aid Priority deadlines:	March 1	October 1	n/a	n/a	
Scholarship:	No Deadline		Not Available		
<b>University of Houston-Main Campus</b> Admission:	April 1	December 1	April 1	April 1	003652
Financial Aid:	April 1	No Deadline			
Scholarship:	April 1	No Deadline			
<b>University of Houston-Clear Lake</b>	The University of Houston-Clear Lake is an upper-level university and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				011711
<b>University of Houston-Downtown</b> Admission Priority deadlines:	July 1	December 1	May 1	June 1	003612
Financial Aid Priority deadlines:	April 1	November 15	June 1	No Deadline	
Scholarship:	May 1	No Deadline			
<b>University of Houston-Victoria</b>	The University of Houston-Victoria is an upper-level university and accepts transfer/transient/former students only.				013231
<b>University of North Texas</b> Admission:	June 15	December 3	May 15	June 29	003594
Financial Aid Priority deadlines:	April 15	August 15	February 15	February 15	
Scholarship:	March 1	No Deadline			
<b>West Texas A&amp;M University</b> Admission:	July 20	December 6	May 2	June 6	003665
Financial Aid:	April 15	November 1	May 1	May 1	
Scholarship:	February 1		No Deadline		

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