

Application for Undergraduate Admission

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Undergraduate Admission to BGSU

Applying for admission to BGSU

Applicants: To complete the Bowling Green State University admissions process you must submit:

» Application for Undergraduate Admission

» Official high school transcript

» Official ACT or SAT test results

» \$45 application fee

Carefully read the following instructions and retain this portion for future reference.

Freshmen

Freshmen are defined as those who have graduated from a secondary school. Candidates who earned college credit before high school graduation are considered freshmen with advanced standing and should have their college transcripts sent to the Office of Admissions.

High school students are encouraged to apply for admission beginning April 15 between their junior and senior years. Prospective students who wish to enroll fall semester are encouraged to apply and have all admissions credentials completed by Feb. 1 to assure consideration. The application deadline for main campus for spring semester is Dec. 1 and for summer term May 15, although earlier closings may occur. All admission credentials must be received 14 days before the spring semester or the summer session to allow sufficient time for processing.

1. Students are encouraged to apply online at www.bgsu.edu.
2. Or complete the Application for Undergraduate Admission.
3. Please have your counselor forward an official high school transcript including sixth semester GPA on a 4.0 scale, your courses in progress and class rank to the BGSU Office of Admissions.
4. Submit official ACT or SAT test results. The ACT writing test is recommended but NOT required. The results of one of these tests are required for all freshmen except those who have been out of high school for three or more years. International students are not required to submit ACT or SAT results. All academic credentials must be sent by the school or testing agency to be accepted as official. All admission credentials submitted to the Office of Admissions become the property

of Bowling Green State University and cannot be returned.

5. A final high school transcript is required prior to enrolling at BGSU. A letter will be mailed to your high school requesting confirmation of your graduation as well as your final grade point average and class rank.
6. Entrance into the College of Business Administration is selective. Students who have been admitted to the University will be notified in writing of admission status into the College of Business Administration. For more information, visit the College of Business Administration Web site at www.business.bgsu.edu or call the college office at 419-372-2747.
7. Students who intend to pursue a major or minor in music must contact the College of Musical Arts for enrollment and audition information, 419-372-2181.
8. Students who intend to pursue a BFA in art must visit the School of Art web site for portfolio review information and to schedule a portfolio review, www.bgsu.edu/art.
9. Students who intend to pursue a major in theatre and a specialization in musical theatre must contact the Department of Theatre and Film for enrollment and audition information, 419-372-2222.
10. Students whose native language is not English must take the TOEFL, IELTS or the Michigan Test. This is required of international students issued immigrant visas, international students transferring from another American college or university, those (with English as a foreign language) from U.S. territories such as Puerto Rico, and any other U.S. citizen or non-citizen whose native language is not English. International applicants must apply online.
11. Students who earned Advanced Placement before enrolling at BGSU should have their scores sent to BGSU's Office of Registration and Records, 110 Administration Bldg., Bowling Green, OH 43403-0130.
12. Students who earn college credit through enrollment in College Credit Plus courses should have an official college transcript sent from the institution attended to the Office of Admissions when courses are completed. A credit evaluation will be completed by the Office of Registration and Records.

Freshman admission standards

For admission to Bowling Green State University a freshman applicant must:

1. Be a graduate of a senior high school approved or accredited by the department of education of the state in which it is located; **or**
2. Have earned high school equivalency through the General Educational Development (GED) testing program (issued by the state department of education); **or**
3. Present GED test results and ACT or SAT test results, if the student completed secondary education through an alternative program such as home schooling; **or**
4. Present an international baccalaureate diploma or certificate.

Admission is selective. In general, we require a high school record that includes four units of english and math, three of science and social studies, two of foreign language and one of visual or performing arts. Freshman applicants who do not meet the academic standards for admission may be offered admission to the Pathway Program. Admission to the Pathway Program is also selective, but not as competitive as regular admission. Space is limited.

An applicant is considered for admission on the basis of four criteria:

- » High school coursework/curriculum
- » Cumulative grade point average
- » Official ACT or SAT results
- » Class rank

The University also considers the diversity of the student body and applicants' special abilities, talents and achievements in making admission decisions. Diversity may include socioeconomic factors, underrepresented minorities, artistic and/or athletic ability and other special characteristics of the population.

Transfer students

Students who have attempted 12 or more hours, excluding remedial or developmental courses, since high school at a college or university other than Bowling Green are considered transfer applicants. If you have questions regarding transfer admission, please contact the Office of Admissions at 419-372-BGSU. **Students who have participated in College Credit Plus Programs are not considered transfer students.**

BGSU Firelands, Huron, Ohio 419-433-5560 or 1-800-322-4787

BGSU Firelands is the regional campus of BGSU and is located in Huron, Ohio. BGSU Firelands requires the same application materials included in this packet, although admissions requirements vary from main campus. Please call BGSU Firelands with any questions. Applications for admission are accepted up to two weeks before the beginning of classes. Students intending to pursue a two-year associate degree are not expected to have completed the same high school coursework as those applying to a four-year bachelor's degree program. The application for admission and all credentials should be submitted directly to BGSU Firelands, One University Dr., Huron, OH 44839-9719.

High school graduates

If you have already graduated from high school, send the required documents directly to the BGSU Office of Admissions. An official high school transcript is also required. If you graduated from high school more than three years ago, you do not need to submit ACT or SAT test scores.

High school equivalency

If you earned high school equivalency through the General Educational Development (GED) testing program, please have an official copy of your GED results and high school transcript sent to the Office of Admissions.

Five-year admission policy

If you have not taken coursework anywhere (high school or college) during the past five years, you are eligible for admission to the University. Students admitted under this five-year admission policy are required to take courses under the close supervision of a college academic advisor.

Special admissions categories

International students should contact the International Programs Office at BGSU, 419-372-2247, for information on requirements and application procedures.

Students who wish to take classes at Bowling Green but do not plan to seek a BGSU degree can attend as "guest" students. Registration for "guest" students does not require application to BGSU and is arranged by the Office of Registration and Records.

Housing | 419-372-2011

Undergraduate students **are required to reside in University-owned residences** as a condition of enrollment unless they are commuting daily from the homes of their parents, guardians or spouse (within 50 miles of Bowling Green), will turn 20 years of age or have obtained 60 semester hours and/or four semesters of campus residency on or before the first day of classes.

Ohio residency | 419-372-8408

It is the student's responsibility to indicate the proper state of residence at the time of registration. Students with questions should contact the Office of Registration and Records, 110 Administration Building, 419-372-8408. In some cases, questions may be presented to the Residence Status Review Committee for official action.

Bowling Green State University is committed to equal opportunity for all and does not discriminate in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities on the basis of race, sex, sexual orientation, color, national origin, religion, creed, age, marital status, mental or physical disability, or veteran status. The Division of Diversity and Belonging, 207 Hayes Hall, BGSU, is responsible for University compliance with Title IX, Section 504. Accessibility Services, 38 College Park Office Building, is responsible for compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Below is a listing of areas of study available at BGSU. Please find your intended major, then write the name and the code on the application (item 23). This information will be used for academic advising and class selection. If you are undecided, you may choose a college but remain undecided about a major. Each of BGSU's seven undergraduate colleges allows students to enter as undecided majors; those codes are also listed below.

If you are undecided about your college and your area of study, select Pre-Major Advising (U100). Pre-Major Advising staff in the Office of Academic Enhancement will assist you in defining your goals and in planning your first semester or first-year academic program. Please note: you may change your major at any time. If you need to make a change prior to registration, contact the Office of Admissions. If you plan to enroll in a pre-BFA art program, music or musical theatre, an art portfolio review or entrance audition is required.

College of Arts and Sciences

Africana Studies – A201
 Asian Studies – A211
 Biology - BA – A288
 Biology - BS – A213
 Biology
 Ecology and Conservation Biology – A220
 Forensic Specialization – A285
 Marine and Aquatic Biology - BA – A299
 Marine and Aquatic Biology - BS – A245
 Pre-Health Biology - BS – A305
 Chemistry – A215
 Biochemistry – A212
 Forensic Specialization – A284
 Classical Civilization – A216
 Computational Data
 Specialization*** – A308
 Computer Science – A217
 Software Engineering – A292
 Business Systems – A293
 Digital Forensics - A306
 Creative Writing – A218
 Economics – A221
 (See also College of Business Administration)
 English – A222
 Film Production – A227
 Film Studies – A228

Foreign Language

French – A229
 German – A235
 Latin – A242
 Russian – A265
 Spanish – A268
 Latin American Culture Studies – A269
 Forensic Science
 Forensic Biology*** – A295
 Forensic Chemistry*** – A296
 Forensic Examination*** – A297
 History – A237
 Individualized Planned Program – A238

International Studies – A239
 Liberal Studies* – A243
 Mathematics – A246
 Actuarial Science – A200
 Applied Mathematics – A203
 Data Science – A287
 Microbiology – A247
 Music1 – A248
 (See also College of Musical Arts)
 Neuroscience – A249
 Philosophy – A250
 Philosophy, Politics, Economics, and Law** – A298
 Physics – A251
 Political Science – A252
 Pre-Professional Programs
 Pre-Dentistry** – A254
 Pre-Engineering*** – A255
 Pre-Law** – A256
 Pre-Medicine** – A257
 Pre-Mortuary Science** – A258
 Pre-Occupational Therapy** – A259
 Pre-Optometry** – A260
 Pre-Pharmacy** – A262
 Pre-Physician Assistant** – A294
 Pre-Veterinary Medicine** – A263
 Psychology – A264
 Sociology – A267
 Statistics – A270
 Theatre – A272
 Acting/Directing – A273
 Design/Technical Theatre – A274
 Musical Theatre1 – A275
 Performance Studies – A276
 Youth Theater/Puppetry – A277

School of Art

Art – BFA

Art Education*** – A290
 (Ceramics, Glass, Jewelry and Metalsmithing, Painting and Drawing, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture)
 Digital Arts*** – A219
 (Computer Animation, Imaging, Interactive Media)
 Graphic Design*** – A236
 Studio*** – A291
 (Ceramics, Glass, Jewelry and Metalsmithing, Painting and Drawing, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture)
 Art - BA
 Digital Arts – A280
 (Computer Animation, Imaging, Interactive Media)
 Studio – A304
 (Ceramics, Glass, Jewelry and Metalsmithing, Painting and Drawing, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture)
 Art History - BA – A210

School of Cultural and Critical Studies

American Culture Studies – A202
 Ethnic Studies – A226
 Popular Culture – A253
 Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies – A278

School of Earth, Environment and Society

Environmental Policy and Analysis – A223
 Environmental Science – A224
 Geography – A230
 Geology – A231
 Hydrogeology – A300
 Paleobiology – A234

School of Media and Communication

Advertising - A307
 Communication* – A240
 Journalism
 Public Relations – A303
 Media Production – A289
 Media Studies – A271

College of Business Administration

Specializations

Accounting*** – B200
 Applied Economics*** – B201
 Business Analytics and Intelligence*** – B214
 Economics*** – B204
 Finance*** – B206
 General Business/Individualized Business*** – B212
 Information Systems*** – B209
 Information Systems Auditing and Control*** – B207
 Insurance and Risk Management*** – B216
 International Business*** – B208
 Management*** – B213
 Marketing*** – B210
 Sales and Services Marketing*** – B215
 Supply Chain Management*** – B211
 Economics - BS – B205

College of Education and Human Development

School of Teaching and Learning

Teacher preparation
 Adolescent/Young Adult/Secondary Education
 Integrated Language Arts* – E217
 Integrated Mathematics* – E218
 Integrated Science* – E243
 Integrated Social Studies* – E219
 Sciences - Single Fields
 Earth Sciences* – E210
 Life Sciences* – E222
 Physical Sciences
 Chemistry* – E203
 Physics* – E232
 Sciences - Dual Fields
 Chemistry and Physics* – E204
 Earth Sciences and Chemistry* – E211
 Earth Sciences and Physics* – E212
 Life Sciences and Chemistry* – E223
 Life Sciences and Earth Sciences* – E224
 Life Sciences and Physics* – E225
 Early Childhood Education - Inclusive – E209

Middle Childhood Education* – E227
(4th through 9th)
Workforce Education and Development
Business Marketing – E247
Family and Consumer Sciences – E248
World Language Education
Chinese – E244
French – E214
German – E215
Italian – E245
Japanese – E246
Latin – E221
Russian – E234
Spanish – E235

School of Intervention Services

Teacher preparation
Intervention Specialist, Mild to
Moderate and Moderate to Intensive* –
E229

School of Family and Consumer Sciences

Non-teacher preparation
Apparel Merchandising and Product
Development – E200
Human Development and Family
Studies – E216
Interior Design – E220

School of Human Movement, Sport and Leisure Studies

Teacher preparation
Physical Education and Health
Education* – E231
Non-teacher preparation
Exercise Science* – E213
(Athletic Training, Exercise
Programming, Human Movement)
Pre-Physical Therapy, Exercise Science*
(Athletic Training, Exercise
Programming, Human Movement) –
E251
Exercise Programming* – E250
Sports Medicine* – E249
Sport Management – E241
Tourism, Hospitality and Event
Management (THEM) – E242

College of Health and Human Services

Dietetics – H217
Nutrition Sciences – H218
Applied Health Sciences
Health Care Administration – H208
Health Science – H209
Pre-Physical Therapy** – H209
Public Health - BS – H215
Communication Sciences and Disorders*
– H202
Pre-Speech-Language Pathology* – H219
Criminal Justice – H204
Forensic Specialization – H214
Gerontology – H206
Long-term Care Administration – H207
Medical Laboratory Science – H210
Pre-Nursing - BS*** – H211
(In consortium with The University of
Toledo Health Science Campus)
Social Work* – H213

College of Musical Arts

Bachelor of Music
Jazz Studies₁ – M200
Music Composition*₁ – M201
Music Education*₁ – M202
Music History and Literature*₁ – M203
Music Performance₁ – M204
World Music*₁ – M206
Bachelor of Musical Arts₁ – M205

College of Technology, Architecture and Applied Engineering

Architecture and Environmental Design*
– T201
Aviation Studies
Aviation Management and Operations*
– T203
Flight Technology and Operations* –
T205
Construction Management* – T206
Electronics and Computer Engineering
Technology* – T208
Engineering Technology* – T209
(Mechanical Design, Quality Systems)
Mechatronics Engineering Technology*
– T207
Visual Communication Technology*
– T211

Undecided

Deciding Student Program – U100
(Undecided about your major and college:
The Deciding Student Pathway)
Undecided in Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts – A102
Bachelor of Science – A103
Undecided in Business*** – B100
Undecided in Education and Human
Development – E100
Undecided in Health and Human Services
– H100
Undecided in Technology – T100

Cedar Fair Resort and Attraction Management Program* — U102

* Programs marked with one asterisk require students to pass a set of coursework, usually within the first two years of study, before they are officially admitted to the major.

** Programs marked with two asterisks are not academic majors. They are pre-professional programs which help to prepare students for professional schools, such as law or medicine. These pre-professional programs require a disciplinary or interdisciplinary major.

*** These programs are selective admission. After students are admitted to pre-programs based on admissions requirements, they go through an additional review and/or application process before they are officially admitted to the major.

1. Entrance audition required.
2. Portfolio review required.

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Main Campus - Bowling Green, OH

Please TYPE or PRINT all information.

Include a check or money order for \$45 payable to BGSU.

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PROF	AF		DATE	INITIAL	ACTION
			_____	_____	HST, TEST
ACT	AS		_____	_____	_____
			_____	_____	_____
SAT	ASP	OFFER	_____	_____	_____
			_____	_____	_____

1. Legal name _____ 2. Soc. Sec. No. _____ - _____ - _____
last first middle preferred first name former name (if any)

3. Permanent address _____
street city state zip

4. Birthdate _____ 5. Sex assigned at birth: Female Male 6. Home telephone (____) _____
mo day yr

7. Cell phone (____) _____

8. Email address _____

9. Racial/ethnic background (optional). Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino? Yes No
 Please select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself.
 American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White

10. **Non-U.S. Citizens Only:** Include a photocopy of your Resident Alien Identification Card with this application.
 Please check: I have an immigrant visa.
 Country of citizenship _____

11. Have you been an Ohio or Indiana resident for at least one year? Please check ONE of the following: Ohio Indiana Neither

12. County of residence _____

13. Name of high school _____ 14. ACT/CEEB high school code number _____
(obtain from your guidance office)
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____

15. High school graduation date _____ or GED Completion Date (if applicable) _____
mo yr mo yr

16. Are you currently or have you previously served in the military (active duty, reserves, National Guard)? Yes No

17. Have you ever applied to or attended BGSU? Yes No

18. Have you attended any post-secondary institutions? Yes No
 If you have attended any college, university, technical institute or other post-secondary degree-granting institution, you must give the name, address and dates of attendance in chronological order. Include coursework completed at BGSU and any coursework completed through College Credit Plus or dual enrollment. An official transcript must be sent from each institution except BGSU.

Name of Institution	Location	Dates Attended From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)	Credit Hours Attempted

19. Applicants must account for all time since high school. Unless you are a high school senior, list all work experiences, school or military service since graduation if it is not included in the section above.

20. ACT was taken _____ will be taken _____ SAT was taken _____ will be taken _____
mo yr mo yr mo yr mo yr

21. Term you wish to begin (check one): ³Fall, August (yr)____ ¹Spring, January (yr)____ ²Summer, June (yr)____

22. Major _____ Major Code _____
(Select major and only one major code from list on pages 4 and 5 of this form. LIST ONLY ONE.)

Following admission to BGSU, acceptance into a pre-BFA art program in the School of Art requires a portfolio review; acceptance into the College of Musical Arts requires an audition; acceptance into the Musical Theatre specialization requires an audition; entrance into the College of Business Administration is selective.

23. Housing request (check one):
 I am applying for campus residence hall accommodations (available at main campus only).
 I request authorization to attend the University by commuting from my home to campus.
(commuters must live within 50 miles of Bowling Green and reside with parent, guardian or spouse or be over the age of 23)

24. High school foreign language courses
Indicate the language and the years completed as well as currently enrolled.
Also include foreign language courses taken in 8th grade.

Language	Total completed upon graduation
Spanish	
French	
German	
Latin	
American Sign Language	
Other	

25. Please check if you have not taken any foreign language

26. High school activities (optional)
Check years of involvement

Organization	9th	10th	11th	12th
Band or orchestra				
Choir or vocal ensemble				
Leadership/class officer				
Athletics				
Other:				

27. Parent/guardian information

Mother Father Other

Has this parent/guardian graduated from BGSU? Yes No

Name _____

Address _____

_____ street
_____ city _____ state _____ zip

Home telephone _____

Parent email address _____

Mother Father Other

Has this parent/guardian graduated from BGSU? Yes No

Name _____

Address _____

_____ street
_____ city _____ state _____ zip

Home telephone _____

Parent email address _____

28. Do one or more of your parents/guardians have a degree from a two-year or four-year institution? Yes No

29. Are any of your parents/guardians BGSU employees? Yes No

30. Do you intend to fill out the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)? Yes No

31. Have you been convicted of a felony? Yes No (if yes, please attach an explanation)

32. Have you ever been found responsible for a non-academic conduct violation, or do you currently have a non-academic conduct violation pending against you at any college or university? Yes No

33. If you would like the Admissions Committee to consider any additional information, please provide that information on a separate piece of paper.

NOTE FOR STUDENT WITH DISABILITIES: For information on access, adaptations or accommodations, you may contact Accessibility Services at 419-372-8495, or visit the office Website at www.bgsu.edu/accessibility-services.html

I certify that the information hereon is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that my misrepresentation of facts hereon will be cause for refusal of admission, cancellation of admission or expulsion from the University if discovered subsequently. I agree that as a student I am subject to the Code of Student Conduct of Bowling Green State University.

Signature _____ Date _____

**Mail completed application and nonrefundable processing fee of \$45 to:
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Make check or money order payable to **BGSU**. Your canceled check will be your receipt. Please do not send cash. BGSU is an AA/EEO institution.