

ADMISSION

Undergraduate admission is handled by the Office of Admissions, located in Sweeney Hall, home of Sweeney Welcome Center. Sweeney Hall is located at the corner of Tressel Way and Bryson Street. You may contact the Office of Admissions in any of the following ways:

Phone: Toll free (877) GO-TO-YSU | (877) 468-6978 | (330) 941-2000

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The Office of Admissions is open weekdays. Please call the numbers above or visit the website for times. Campus tours are available Monday through Friday and on selected Saturdays. Tours can be scheduled by calling the Office of Admission or by scheduling online (<https://ysu.edu/admissions/plan-a-visit/>).

Tours are best scheduled a week or more in advance, but you are welcome to visit the YSU campus and stop in the office any time during office hours without an appointment. If you schedule ahead, we can arrange free parking on weekdays; otherwise, visitors can park in the F-1 lot on Tressel Way across from Sweeney Hall for a nominal fee that covers parking for a full day.

Admission to the University does not guarantee admission to every program. Some programs within the University have separate admission standards that must be met before a student may enroll in that particular program. Courses are available to assist in satisfying scholastic deficiencies. Students who lack high school subjects required by the various colleges within the University may be admitted with the understanding that these courses will be completed as quickly as possible and no later than the end of the college sophomore year.

Academically qualified 7-12th grade students may apply and enroll in courses prior to high school graduation through the College Credit Plus (CCP) program. For more information, visit the CCP website (<https://ysu.edu/ocat/college-credit-plus/>) or scroll down to Early Enrollment Opportunities.

State Residency Status

For tuition purposes, the Office of Admissions will determine residency status at the time of admission or readmission based on the residency rules stated in the Ohio Revised Code (<http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/3333-1-10/>) and from the information supplied on the "Application for Admission" or the "Application for Readmission" form.

If you have questions about your appropriate classification, immediately contact the Office of Admissions for review. Students requesting Ohio residency are required to complete a State of Residency Verification form (available by request from the Office of Admissions) and provide additional supporting documentation. A change to resident status cannot be made retroactively if supporting documentation is received after the first day of the requested semester.

Residency Status Appeal

After the Office of Admissions makes its determination, a decision will be sent in writing to the student. If a student wishes to appeal the decision, the student can submit an appeal form to the Residence Classification Board. Such reviews occur within two weeks of the request, if possible. The Residence Classification Board's appellate decision is final.

Please see the Ohio Residency (<https://catalog.ysu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/academic-policies-procedures/ohio-residency/>) section of the undergraduate catalog for the complete text of the Ohio Department of Higher Education residency criteria.

Application Fee

A non-refundable application fee of \$45 is required unless the applicant is a former YSU student, participated in the YSU College Credit Plus (CCP) program or has served or are currently serving in the Armed Forces of the United States. Current high school students, who are eligible for an application fee waiver, should request to have their school counselor submit the appropriate form to the Office of Admissions.

High School Preparation

Students desiring to pursue a baccalaureate degree should have completed the following college preparatory units:

Baccalaureate Degree College Preparatory Units

English	4
Mathematics	4
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Foreign Language ¹	2
Arts	1
Total Units	17

¹ Two units in one language

It is recommended that coursework include:

- English composition
- Algebra 1, Geometry and Algebra II or equivalent
- Laboratory science
- United States history and government

In addition, the **Bachelor of Engineering (BE)** degree program suggests a unit of mechanical drawing, a half-unit of trigonometry, and specifically in the sciences, one unit of chemistry and one unit of physics. Students interested in programs such as computer science, information technology, physical sciences, and mathematics should also take a fourth year of mathematics. For the **Bachelor of Music (BM)** degree program, the applicants are expected to have proficiency in one or more branches of applied music. See the Dana School of Music (<https://catalog.ysu.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/college-creative-arts-communication/school-music/>) section.

Students wishing to pursue an associate degree should have completed the following college preparatory units:

Associate Degree College Preparatory Units

English	4
Mathematics	2
Science	2
Social Studies	2
Other Subjects	6
Total Units	16

Students admitted to the University may have their high school records evaluated by the college in which they are enrolled. Specific coursework, in addition to what is listed above, may be required in order to be accepted into a specific program or major. Since such coursework may vary depending on the college and degree requirements, students should check with advisors as to the academic expectations that need to be met.

Fraudulent Applications

If any information is given fraudulently on any admission application, or if transcripts or other documents submitted are altered or fraudulent, the university reserves the right to deny, or revoke admission, including dismissal

from the university. When fraud or misconduct is suspected, the university will require additional documentation to verify the application. If a student provides false, incomplete, or improper information, the University reserves the right to report the student to the Office of Student Conduct, cancel admission or revoke registration. Credits earned after such cancellation will not be recorded, and fees will not be refunded. If the Financial Aid Office suspects that a student, or other individual, has intentionally misreported information or altered documentation to fraudulently obtain federal financial aid funds, the office will report its suspicions, and may provide the evidence to the Office of Inspector General, U.S. Department of Education for review.