

INSTRUCTIONS

PLEASE KEEP THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS.

FRESHMAN ADMISSION AND SCHOLARSHIP

Please follow these steps in completing your application for admission:

1. Complete all sections of this application.
2. Enclose the \$25 application fee (nonrefundable).
3. Complete the student information section of the Counselor/Teacher Recommendation form.
4. Submit your completed application to Loyola University Chicago. Give your recommendation form and your request for an official copy of your high school (secondary school) transcript to your college advisor.
5. Upon admission, candidates must submit a deposit by May 1 to reserve a place in the class (see reverse for details). Please be advised that our class may fill prior to May 1. Enrollment deposits are refundable until May 1.

First-time freshmen may transfer a maximum of five courses carrying up to four credit hours each toward their undergraduate degree requirements. Students must complete an application form (LUC.edu/academics/catalog/undergrad/pdf/firsttimefreshmen_transfercrpol.pdf) to be validated by a high school officer attesting to the fact that the course did not satisfy a high school requirement. Students awarded such transfer credit are limited to a maximum of 24 credit hours for the combined total of AP credit, IB credit, and transfer credit.

Students who have taken AP or IB examinations must have official AP grade reports or IB examination results sent electronically from the testing agencies to Loyola University Chicago. For AP grade reports, contact the College Board's AP Services (www.collegeboard.com, code: 1412). For IB examination results, contact International Baccalaureate (www.ibo.org). If you took any of these exams in previous years, be sure to request that the previous years' results be sent electronically to Loyola.

INTERNATIONAL FRESHMAN ADMISSION

1. Review all instructions above.
2. Send your secondary school academic records to ECE (Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.) or WES (World Education Services) for an official credit evaluation. Go to www.ece.org or www.wes.org for more information and to download the application form. **Be sure to request the course-by-course evaluation report.** Request a copy to be sent to Loyola University Chicago, Undergraduate Admission, 6525 N. Sheridan Rd., Chicago, IL 60626. Allow 4-6 weeks for your evaluation to be completed. Once we receive your evaluation, your file will be reviewed for admission.
3. You must take two standardized tests. **The TOEFL is required for proof of English proficiency.** The minimum score required is 79. (For tests taken prior to 2006, the minimum score required is 550 on the written test or 213 on the computer-based test.) The SAT 1 or ACT is required to provide an evaluation of academic potential. TOEFL waivers are considered on a case-by-case basis.
4. You must complete the Declaration and Certification of Finances form and submit it with proof of financial resources showing your ability to cover expenses for your first academic year at Loyola University Chicago.
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6. Go to LUC.edu/undergrad/international.shtml for complete details.

If you have further questions, call toll-free **800.262.2373** or **312.915.6500**. You can also visit our web site at LUC.edu/undergrad or e-mail us at admission@luc.edu.

Fill out the application form and mail it in the enclosed envelope to:

Loyola University Chicago, Undergraduate Admission Office, 6525 N. Sheridan Rd., Chicago, IL 60626, U.S.A.

Freshman applicants with completed files will be notified of acceptance decisions on a rolling basis approximately four weeks after all credentials have been received.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLYING FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Priority Processing Deadline for financial assistance for freshman students is March 1.

Loyola's FAFSA code is 001710.

(U.S. government regulations prohibit students on F-1 visas from receiving federal assistance.)

Please follow these steps in applying for financial assistance consideration:

1. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) after January 1, which can be found online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. You are encouraged to submit the application in advance of Loyola's Priority Processing Deadline of March 1 to ensure that you will receive award information in advance of the **May 1 Intent to Enroll Deadline** date.
2. If requested, submit nonreturnable copies of the parents' and the student's most current tax returns and other documents. After admission, you will receive a free copy of "Your Guide to Financing Your Loyola Education." If you have any questions after reading this information, our staff will be happy to assist you. Please contact the Undergraduate Admission Office at **312.915.6500/800.262.2373**. To find more information about scholarships, go to LUC.edu/finaid/scholarships.shtml.

DATES TO REMEMBER

JANUARY

Spring Semester classes begin

FEBRUARY 1

Admission Deadline for Freshman Scholarship Consideration (to find more information about scholarships, go to LUC.edu/finaid/scholarships.shtml)

Deadline for Application for Honors Program (admitted freshman students only)

Priority Processing Deadline for Freshman Admission Application

FEBRUARY 15

Date by which the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) should be submitted online to the federal processor

MAY 1 (tuition deposits will not be refunded after May 1)

Candidates' Intent to Enroll reply date for freshman applicants to reserve a place in the class. A nonrefundable enrollment and room deposit of \$450 is required for resident students. Deposit for nonresident students is \$250. Please be aware that our class may fill prior to this date.

SUMMER

Discover Loyola—Freshman Orientation Program

LATE AUGUST

Fall Semester classes begin

IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION

Toll-free **800.262.2373**
E-mail admission@luc.edu
Web site LUC.edu/undergrad

ATHLETICS **773.508.2560**

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE 773.508.7704
E-mail lufinaid@luc.edu
Web site LUC.edu/finaid

HONORS PROGRAM **773.508.2780**

RESIDENCE LIFE

Campus Housing, Meal Plan **773.508.3300**
E-mail res-life@luc.edu
Web site LUC.edu/reslife

FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCE

Web site LUC.edu/firstyearexperience

SECURITY

Parking **773.508.2394**

OFFICE OF THE BURSAR

Account Status, Tuition Rates, Budget Payment Plan **773.508.3180**
Payments **312.915.6160**

FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)
Web site www.fafsa.ed.gov
Phone **800.433.3243**
Loyola Code 001710

ACT
Web site www.act.org
Loyola Code 1064

SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test)
Web site www.collegeboard.org
Loyola Code 1412

ECE (Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.)
Web site www.ece.org
E-mail eval@ece.org

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
Web site www.toefl.org
Phone **609.771.7100** or **(800) GO TOEFL**
E-mail toefl@ets.org
Loyola Code 1412

WES (World Education Services)
Web site www.wes.org

Applicants who are outside the United States may contact any of the following to obtain information on these tests: American/International School Counseling Offices, U.S. Embassies/Consulates, Binational Centers, Fulbright Offices or Sylvan Learning Centers. You may contact them directly.