

Central College

Application for Admission

Applying to Central College is the next step in your journey.

I am pleased you are considering Central and encourage you to discover how far a Central College education can take you.

Central's faculty regard the liberal arts as a framework for learning and will encourage you to explore, take risks and grow.

Central will engage you in roles of service and leadership that enable you to contribute your skills and talents to the world around you.

Find out how a Central education will send you on a journey for life.



Carol Williamson
Dean of Admission

Nondiscriminatory Policy

Central College is committed to being an inclusive community whose members act with consideration for the physical, intellectual and spiritual well-being of all persons. All members of the college community are responsible for creating an atmosphere that fosters openness, mutual respect and diversity. (Board of trustees, 4/26/03) The above nondiscrimination policy includes, but is not limited to, persons of every ethnicity, race, national origin, ancestry, color, socio-economic class, creed, religion, philosophical belief, marital status, disability, physical appearance, sex, age, sexual orientation, gender expression and identity, and organizational affiliation. Read more at www.central.edu/admission/welcome.

checklist

- Application for admission**
Return completed paper application or apply online at www.central.edu.
- Official transcripts**
Send official transcript to Central including rank in class, cumulative GPA and test scores.
- Test scores**
Take the ACT or SAT and have your results sent to Central College. **Central's codes: ACT 1284, SAT 6087**
- File for financial aid**
File a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by March 1 for full consideration. FAFSA forms are available in your guidance office or the admission office at Central College. **Central's FAFSA code is: 001850**. Early estimator forms are available online.
- Application fee**
The application fee will be waived for one of the following reasons:
 1. You are a child of an alumnus.
 2. You apply before Jan. 15, 2010.
 3. You apply after a personal campus visit.
 4. You apply on-line at www.central.edu.All other applicants should submit the non-refundable \$25 application fee with your application to the office of admission.

transfer students

Official transcripts for each college or university attended, and final high school transcript must be sent directly to the office of admission for evaluation before an admission decision is reached.

international students

International student application information and forms are available at www.central.edu.

application information

Name: _____
Last First Middle Maiden name if married

Nickname: _____ E-mail: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Home phone number: _____ Cell phone number: _____

Social security number: _____ County: _____

Are you: a U.S. citizen Resident Alien Other _____ Visa type _____

personal information*

Male Female Birthdate: _____ Marital status: _____ Religious affiliation: _____ None

Are you a member of or do you regularly attend a Reformed Church in America (RCA)? Yes No

If so, to which congregation do you belong/attend? _____ Address: _____

Pastor's name: _____

Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino? Yes No

In addition, select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself:
 American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American
 Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander White

Will you need any special services? Tutor Disability Disability type: _____

**Personal information section of application is optional.*

admission information

For what semester are you applying? Fall (August) Spring (January) Summer (June) Year: _____

Classification: Full time Part time Do you plan to earn a bachelor's degree from Central? Yes No

Student type: First-year student Transfer student Former Central student (list semester and year) _____

If transfer student, are you Phi Theta Kappa member? Yes No

I have applied to the following colleges: _____

What prompted you to apply to Central College? _____

Are you a participant in: Upward Bound participant? Yes No Talent Search participant? Yes No HOBY participant? Yes No

May we have your permission to send admission scholarship/involvement information to local media? Yes No

financial aid information

If applied and admitted by Dec. 1, would you like a financial aid early estimator? Yes No

Do you plan to apply for need-based financial aid? Yes No

*(Students applying for need-based financial aid should submit a FAFSA form by March 1.
Forms received after March 1 will be considered on a funds-available basis.)*

Please indicate if you are interested in receiving scholarship information in any or all of the following areas:

Art Theatre Music Creative writing Ministry and mission Community service
 Communication studies Spanish German French Sustainability

education history

High school: _____ School address: _____

Date of graduation: _____ Cumulative grade point average: _____ School counselor: _____
mm/yyyy

Have you taken the ACT or SAT I? Date _____ Score _____ Do you have a GED? Yes No

Please list in chronological order all other high schools attended (grades 9-12).

School name: _____ Dates attended: _____

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If you have earned college credit or are currently enrolled in college classes (even through your high school), please list the institutions and dates of attendance. **Official transcripts for all work are required.** Name of college/university(s) and dates attended: _____

family information

Father's name: _____ Mother's name: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

City, state, zip: _____ City, state, zip: _____

E-mail: _____ E-mail: _____

Occupation/title: _____ Occupation/title: _____

Employer: _____ Employer: _____

Daytime phone: _____ Daytime phone: _____

College/university and degree(s): _____ College/university and degree(s): _____

Check: Parents married Parents divorced Parents separated Father deceased Mother deceased

Complete the following:

List the parent or guardian with whom you legally reside and to whom official college correspondence should be sent.

Name: _____ Address: _____

Relationship: _____ Daytime phone: _____

List the names of family members (parents, stepparents, siblings, stepsiblings) who will be attending, are attending or have attended Central College.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Date attended: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Date attended: _____

List names (and grade in school) of your younger siblings: _____

certification

Have you ever been placed on academic or disciplinary probation or had any other disciplinary action taken? Yes No

If "yes", please explain the circumstances: _____

I hereby certify that the information provided here is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge, and that the work is my own.

I agree to provide any necessary verification upon request and to report any changes in my status.

Signature _____ Date _____