

Undergraduate Admission Application

We prefer that you apply online at www.admissions.gmu.edu. Paper applications will not be accepted after December 1. If using the paper application, please type or print the information requested below and return this form with the required essay (on a separate sheet) and a nonrefundable \$60 application fee (by check or money order payable to "George Mason University" or by MasterCard or Visa using the form on page 13) in the envelope provided. **Please print the applicant's name and Social Security number on the check. Note that the online application is only \$40.**

When do you plan to enter George Mason University? Year _____ Fall Spring

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Social Security No. - -
(Requested)

Date of Birth
Mo. Day Yr.

Name _____
Last First Middle Maiden/Other

Permanent Address _____
Street Apt. No.

City/Town _____ State _____ ZIP Code + 4 _____ Country _____

Phone _____
(Area Code) Home Phone (Area Code) Business Phone

Current Address (if different) _____
Street Apt. No.

City/Town _____ State _____ ZIP Code + 4 _____ Country _____

Phone _____
(Area Code) Home Phone (Area Code) Business Phone

E-mail Address (if available) _____
Please only list an e-mail address that will remain active for the next 12 months.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

The following questions are for our information only. Your answers will not affect your admission to the university. Your cooperation is requested and appreciated but not required. For more information on this section, please visit admissions.gmu.edu/apps/appinfo.htm.

Gender

Male Female

Ethnic Group/Race

- Native American, Indian
- African American, Black
- Asian
- Hispanic
- Caucasian
- Other

Citizenship

- U.S. citizen
- Permanent resident
- Non-U.S. citizen/Nonpermanent resident
 - Student (F-1 or J-1) visa
 - Other (please specify) _____

If you are not a U.S. citizen, country of citizenship _____

Students seeking F-1 and J-1 visas **must** complete the online information form at www.admissions.gmu.edu/apps/pdfs/InternAlls.pdf.

ENROLLMENT PLAN

Please list a major. If you are completely unsure of your choice of major, please write "undeclared."

Academic Major _____ Minor _____
(optional)

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Certificate

If you have listed "undeclared" as your major but DO know that your interests are in majors offered exclusively in one of our colleges, please check the appropriate box below. (For example, if you are undecided between Computer Engineering and Computer Science, both of which are offered within the School of Information Technology and Engineering, you would check "Undeclared in the School of Information Technology and Engineering" below.)

- Undeclared in the College of Arts and Sciences
- Undeclared in the College of Nursing and Health Science
- Undeclared in the College of Visual and Performing Arts
- Undeclared in the College of Education and Human Development (Health, Fitness, and Recreation Resources; Physical Education; and Undergraduate Teacher Education)
- Undeclared in New Century College (Integrative Studies or Individualized Study)
- Undeclared in the School of Information Technology and Engineering
- Undeclared in the School of Management

Enrollment Plan

- Full time (12 or more credit hours)
- Part time (fewer than 12 credit hours)

Do you plan to live in on-campus housing? Yes No

Attach check or credit card authorization here.

ENROLLMENT HISTORY

Freshmen, list the high school from which you graduated or expect to graduate. Enter the College Board Code in the box to the right. **Transfers**, please list **all** colleges and universities, in order of attendance, including George Mason University. Failure to list all institutions previously attended may result in cancellation of admission and registration. **Course work from schools not listed below will not be considered for transfer credit.** You are responsible for having official transcripts of all previous work attempted sent to the Admissions Office directly from each institution.

Name of High School (or GED)	State (or Country)	Dates Attended		Graduation Date	High School College Board Code
		From (Mo./Yr.)	To (Mo./Yr.)		

Current cumulative grade point average _____

Have you previously been enrolled at George Mason University? Yes No If yes, which term? _____

Name of Postsecondary Institution (Specify branch or campus)	State (or Country)	Dates Attended		Credit Hours		Degree Earned	OFFICE USE ONLY Previous Institution Code
		From (Mo./Yr.)	To (Mo./Yr.)	Attempted	Earned		

Check one

- Freshman with no college credit Freshman with some college credit Transfer Transfer student with baccalaureate degree

Freshmen and Transfers with Fewer Than 30 Transferable Credits

Freshmen: Please list your senior year courses below.

Transfers: Please list the courses in which you are currently enrolled or those you intend to complete before enrolling.

Term/Year	Course Title	Credits

Check types of tests taken and indicate date, or dates if you took a test more than once. Test results should be sent to George Mason University's Office of Admissions directly from the testing agency.

	Month/Year	Month/Year	Plan to Take Month/Year
ACT			
SAT I			
SAT II (Subject Tests)			
TOEFL			

LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

To help us evaluate your potential as a George Mason student, please list positions of leadership and other activities in which you have actively participated. Please provide additional information on a separate sheet of paper if you would like to elaborate.

Please check all of the following that apply to you:

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student Government | Position(s) held: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service | <input type="checkbox"/> Peer Mediator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> National Honor Society Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Subject Honor Society Member (subject): _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Forensics/Debate Team Member | <input type="checkbox"/> JROTC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental Music | Instrument(s): _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vocal Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance or Dance Team |

Other Activities (please list positions held and highlight your personal contributions):

Awards Received: _____

FAMILY INFORMATION

Parents'/Guardians' Names and Addresses

Name	Name
Address	Address (if different)
Occupation/ Employer	Occupation/ Employer

GENERAL INFORMATION

Have you ever been placed on academic or social suspension or dismissed from any college, university, or other formal postsecondary educational program? (If yes, attach a statement of explanation.) Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No (If yes, please provide the date(s) of each conviction(s) _____ and an explanation for each occurrence on a separate sheet of paper.)

Do you plan to work while attending George Mason University? Yes No If yes, how many hours: _____

Employer: _____

Please indicate the names of family members (and their relationship to you) who have previously attended or are currently attending George Mason University: _____

Please indicate any other colleges or universities to which you have applied or intend to apply: _____

Is English your first language? Yes No

If "no," what is your first language? _____ How many years have you lived in United States? _____

How long have you studied English? _____

HONOR CODE

George Mason University shares the tradition of an honor system that has existed in Virginia since 1842. The Honor Code is an integral part of university life, and it is the student's responsibility to understand the provisions of the code. Attempted cheating, plagiarism, lying, and stealing constitute Honor Code violations. In the spirit of the code, students and faculty must report all violations to the Honor Committee. The complete Honor Code is found in the *University Catalog* and will be fully explained during orientation.

I will read and accept the responsibility of the Honor Code if I am approved for admission to George Mason University.

Signature _____ Date _____

ELIGIBILITY FOR IN-STATE TUITION

- I believe I qualify for in-state tuition rates (**you must complete the Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rates**).
- I do not believe I qualify for in-state tuition rates.

Note: A student under age 24, claiming independent status for domicile purposes, must submit a copy of W-2 forms and the Virginia tax return for the previous year, unless married or in the military.

ESSAY

The Admissions Committee is interested in learning more about you. On a separate sheet of paper, please write at least 150 words about yourself. Please use this essay to relate information about yourself that cannot be found elsewhere on your application. You may choose to write about your ambitions and goals, a special talent or unusual interest that sets you apart from your peers, or a significant event or relationship that has influenced you during your life. **Adult learners, please include a copy of your résumé with your application. Please include your name and Social Security number on your essay.**

I certify that all information given on this application is complete, true, and correct.

Signature _____ Date _____

George Mason University is an equal opportunity and affirmative action institution committed to the principle that access to study or employment opportunities afforded by the university, including all benefits and privileges, be accorded to each person—student, faculty member, staff member, or applicant for employment or admission—on the basis of individual merit and without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, veteran status, disability, sexual orientation, sex, or age (except where sex or age is a bona fide occupational qualification).

As required by the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (as amended), the university is committed to the broad application of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Age Discrimination Act of 1975.

Consistent with these principles and in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security and Campus Crime Statistics Act, the university publishes an annual security report on October 1 of each year. To obtain a copy of the security report, call the University Police at 703-993-2810 or view it online at www.gmu.edu/police/safetystats03.pdf.

In compliance with the Graduation Rates Disclosure Act and the Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act, the university publishes annual reports on March 1 and October 1, respectively. To obtain copies of the reports, call Intercollegiate Athletics at 703-993-3220.

Application for In-State Tuition Rates

This form must be completed if you are claiming entitlement to Virginia in-state tuition rates pursuant to Section 23-7.4, *Code of Virginia*. **All questions must be answered.** Section A must be completed by the applicant. Section B of this form must be completed by the parent, spouse, or legal guardian. **Supporting documents and additional information may be required.**

Section A—Applicant

1. Name of Applicant _____

2. Social Security No. _____ 3. Date of Birth _____

4. Citizenship U.S. Non-U.S. (If Non-U.S., indicate your status below.)
 Permanent Resident Visa (Type: _____) Other Status _____
Date Visa/Status Awarded: _____ Expiration Date: _____

**Have you applied for a visa or status that is pending? _____

5. How long have you lived in Virginia? _____

6. Do you maintain a Virginia domicile, though you currently reside outside of Virginia? Yes No

7. Where have you lived for the past two years? **List current address first:**

From (mo./yr.)	To (mo./yr.)	Street Address	City	State	ZIP Code

8. Do any of the following apply to you? (Place a check mark beside all that apply):
- a. Age 24 or older (as of the first day of the term in which you intend to enroll)..... Yes No
 - b. Veteran or active duty member of the U.S. Armed Forces Yes No
 - c. Ward of the court or was a ward of the court until age 18..... Yes No
 - d. If both parents are deceased, no adoptive or legal parents Yes No
 - e. Graduate/professional student Yes No
 - f. Legal dependent other than a spouse Yes No
 - g. Married..... Yes No

9. If you are currently enrolled in a public college or university, please list the school: _____
Are you paying in-state tuition rates? Yes No

10. Do your parents, spouse, or legal guardian(s) provide more than half of your financial support or claim you as a dependent?
If yes, Section B must also be completed by parent/spouse/legal guardian Yes No

11. Have you filed a tax return or paid income taxes to any state **other than Virginia** during the past year? Yes No

12. For the 12 months prior to the term in which you will enroll, will you have:
- a. filed a tax return or paid income taxes to Virginia on all earned income? Yes No
 - b. been a registered voter in Virginia? Yes No
 - c. held a valid Virginia driver's license? Yes No

13. Do you own or operate a motor vehicle? Yes No
If yes, has it been registered in any state **other than Virginia** during the past year? Yes No

14. Are you or any member of your immediate family active duty members of the U.S. armed forces? Yes No
IF NO, GO TO QUESTION 15. IF YES, who is active duty? self spouse parent/legal guardian
- a. Are Virginia income taxes currently paid on all military income?..... Yes No
 - b. If your spouse or parent is in the military, will you or your nonmilitary parent have resided in Virginia and been employed and earned at least \$10,300 and paid income taxes to Virginia for the past 12 months?..... Yes No
 - c. Do you have a military spouse or parent who moved to Virginia under orders within the 12 months prior to the date that you will begin classes? Yes No

**** If yes to 14b or 14c, provide Domicile Administration with copies of the following documentation: state and federal income tax returns, current pay stub, lease/deed, military orders, and a copy of this form.**

Please note: Form continues on reverse side

15. Are you currently living in a state **other** than MD, DC, PA, WV, KY, or VA? If yes, will you have worked in Virginia **and** earned at least \$10,300 **and** paid Virginia income taxes for the past twelve months? Yes No
If yes, provide Domicile Administration with copies of the following documentation: state and federal income taxes, current pay stub, and a copy of this form.

I certify under penalty of disciplinary action that the information I have provided is true.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Section B—Parent, Legal Guardian or Spouse

1. Name of parent legal guardian or spouse _____

2. Citizenship U.S. Non-U.S. (If Non-U.S., indicate your status below.)
 Permanent Resident Visa (Type: _____) Other Status _____
 Date Visa/Status Awarded: _____ Expiration Date: _____
 **Have you applied for a visa or status that is pending? _____

3. How long have you lived in Virginia? _____

4. Do you maintain a Virginia domicile, though you currently reside outside of Virginia? Yes No

5. Where have you lived for the past two years? **List current address first:**

From (mo./yr.)	To (mo./yr.)	Street Address	City	State	ZIP Code

6. Have you filed a tax return or paid income taxes to any state **other than Virginia** during the past year? Yes No

7. Will you have claimed the applicant as a dependent on your federal and Virginia income tax returns for the tax year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes No

8. Will you have provided more than half of the applicant's financial support for at least 12 months prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes No

9. For the 12 months prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll, will you have
- a. filed a tax return or paid income taxes to Virginia on all earned income? Yes No
 - b. been a registered voter in Virginia? Yes No
 - c. held a valid Virginia driver's license? Yes No

10. Do you own or operate a motor vehicle? Yes No
 If yes, has it been registered in any state **other than Virginia** during the past year? Yes No

11. Are you or your spouse active duty members of the U.S. armed forces? Yes No
 IF NO, GO TO QUESTION 12. IF YES, who is active duty? self spouse

- a. Will Virginia income taxes have been paid on all military income prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes No
- b. If the answer to (a) is NO, will the applicant's nonmilitary parent have resided in Virginia, been employed, earned at least \$10,300, paid Virginia income taxes, and claimed the applicant as a dependent for federal and Virginia income tax purposes for at least 12 months prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes No
- c. Are you a military member who has moved to Virginia under orders within the 12 months prior to the date that your child or spouse will begin classes? Yes No

****If yes, provide Domicile Administration with copies of the following documentation: state and federal income tax returns, current pay stubs, lease/deed, spouse's military orders, and a copy of this form.**

12. Are you currently living in a state **other** than MD, DC, PA, WV, KY, or VA? If yes, will you have worked in Virginia **and** earned at least \$10,300 **and** paid Virginia income taxes for the past twelve months? Yes No
If yes, provide Domicile Administration with copies of the following documentation: state and federal income taxes, current pay stub, and a copy of this form.

I certify under penalty of disciplinary action that the information I have provided is true.

Signature _____ Date _____

Secondary School Report

If you are a freshman applicant, please complete the first section and have your high school guidance counselor or principal complete the second section. **Please request that your high school send your seventh semester and final transcripts as soon as they are available.**

GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY
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Fairfax, Virginia 22030

703-993-2400
1-888-MASON12

STUDENT IDENTIFICATION

Please print or type

Social Security No. (requested) - -

Full Legal Name _____

Parent(s) or Legal Guardian(s) _____

I authorize release of this information to George Mason University. do do not (check one) waive my right to see the completed form.

Signature _____ Date _____

COUNSELOR OR PRINCIPAL

Please complete this form, attach it to an official copy of the student's high school transcript, and return it to the Admissions Office at the address above. Please provide all the following information to ensure that the student's application will receive a fair and accurate evaluation. We welcome any additional comments.

School Identification

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

Phone _____ CEEB School Code

Student's Academic Standing

	GPA	Class Rank	Class Size
Sixth Semester			
Senior Year			

List Student's Senior Courses:

If your school uses something other than a 4.00 grading scale, please complete this grid with information on converting your grades to a 4.00 = A scale.

Your grade (or range)	A=4.00 scale
	A (4.00)
	B (3.00)
	C (2.00)
	D (1.00)
	F (0)

SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

This candidate for admission to George Mason University is

- Not Recommended
 Recommended with Reservation
 Recommended
 Recommended with Confidence
 Recommended Enthusiastically

Signature _____ Length of Time Acquainted with Candidate _____

Print Name/Position _____ Phone _____ Date _____

Please use the back of this page for additional comments that would assist in reviewing the student's application or attach a separate letter of recommendation.

