



GEORGE FOX
UNIVERSITY

APPLICATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION

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Application Instructions for Undergraduate Admission

Electronic alternatives available at georgefox.edu

1. Complete the application for admission and return it to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. Include a nonrefundable application fee of \$40.
2. Be sure each item from the checklist below is submitted to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions.
Soon after the admission file is completed, the applicant is notified of the Admissions Committee's decision.
3. If applying for financial aid, it is recommended that a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) be submitted to the appropriate financial aid service as soon after Jan. 1 as possible. The FAFSA form may be obtained from your high school counseling office or by writing to Student Financial Services at George Fox University. After students have been accepted for admission, they are considered for financial assistance. To permit maximum consideration for financial aid, it is recommended that the application process be completed by March 1.
4. Once admitted, each new student must submit an enrollment deposit of \$300. This deposit reserves housing and a place in the registration sequence. Until May 1, the full amount is refundable by written request. The spring semester enrollment deposit deadline is Dec. 15 and is not refundable after that date.
5. A health history form is available online to each student who has paid an enrollment deposit. This must be submitted before registration will be considered complete. Immunizations must be documented as indicated on the Certificate of Immunization Status form.

A student must be free from academic or behavioral probation or suspension at all colleges previously attended to be eligible for admission to George Fox University.

APPLICATION DATES

For fall

December 1

Early action deadline for freshmen and Transfers

February 1

Priority admission and scholarship date* for freshmen

March 1

Transfer admission
International student admission

For spring

November 15

All students

** Applications will be accepted after the above dates as space is available.*

CHECKLIST FOR FRESHMEN

- Application form
- \$40 application fee
- Personal statement
- Official high school transcript
- SAT or ACT scores
- Two recommendation forms (one academic and one personal)

CHECKLIST FOR TRANSFERS

- Application form
- \$40 application fee
- Personal statement
- Official college transcript(s)
- Two recommendation forms (one academic and one personal)
- Official high school transcript*
- SAT or ACT scores*

** Please send if out of high school one year or less*

CHECKLIST FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

- Application form
- \$40 application fee
- Personal statement
- Official high school transcript / Official college transcript(s)
- SAT or ACT scores (if graduating from a U.S. high school)
- Two recommendation forms (one academic and one personal)
- TOEFL or IELTS
- Declaration of Finance

In compliance with the Clery Act, George Fox University now offers the crime statistics and security policies on our Web site. Look for Security Services at georgefox.edu/offices/security/index.html. If you do not have Internet access, please contact Security Services at 503-554-2090 for a copy.

VIII. University Plan

What prompted your interest in George Fox University? _____

The most important factor in my decision to apply to George Fox University was: _____

I plan to earn an undergraduate degree at George Fox University Yes No

My intended major(s) is (are) _____

If undecided, subject areas or careers which interest me are _____

If known, my vocational goal is _____

Other colleges and universities to which I am applying

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

IX. Competitive Scholarship Competition

George Fox University hosts a competitive scholarship competition each year for qualified incoming students.

To qualify for consideration you must:

- Complete an application for admission (including all necessary pieces) to George Fox by Dec. 1
Applications received after Dec. 1 will not qualify for consideration.
- Have a 3.0 high school GPA
- Check the box below indicating your interest in being considered

Competitive Scholarship Competition Interest:

- I wish to be a candidate for the George Fox University Competitive Scholarship Program and understand that my application must be completed by Dec. 1.
- I do not wish to be considered for the George Fox University Competitive Scholarship Program.

Leadership Scholarships - Available to incoming first-year college students and college transfers.

You may choose multiple leadership scholarships.

- Friends (Quaker) Church Leadership Award
- Miller Leadership Award
- Multicultural Leadership Award

Academic Scholarships - Available to incoming first-year college students. You may only choose one academic scholarship and it should reflect your probable major.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting | <input type="checkbox"/> Cinema/Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer | <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art - Studio | <input type="checkbox"/> Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art - Graphic | <input type="checkbox"/> Communication Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Consumer Sciences | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletic Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science and Information Systems | <input type="checkbox"/> Health/Human Performances | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biblical Studies/Christian Ministries | <input type="checkbox"/> Economics | <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Education - Music | <input type="checkbox"/> International Studies Math | <input type="checkbox"/> Sociology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering - Civil/Mechanical | <input type="checkbox"/> Music - Instrumental | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering - Electrical/ | <input type="checkbox"/> Music - Vocal | <input type="checkbox"/> World Languages |

Some scholarships have additional requirements for consideration. To find out more about scholarship competition and to see details on each scholarship go to scholarship.georgefox.edu.

Invitations to qualified students will be sent by Jan. 7, with an R.S.V.P. due by Feb 1.

X. Personal Written Statement

A personal statement is required of all applicants to George Fox University. As a Christian university, we are particularly interested in your spiritual journey and your philosophy of life. Because we want to know you as well as possible through this application, you may also discuss your interests, achievements, goals, experiences, or anything else you may want us to know. Please use a separate paper and attach. (Statement should be typed and at least 500 words.)

XI. Honor Statement

The university seeks to admit students who will best succeed and benefit from a distinctly Christ-centered education and environment. Members of the George Fox community demonstrate Christian values and are committed to the integration of faith and learning. Chapel attendance and Bible/religion courses are required of all students.

Affirming the following honor statement is a condition of admission. Since signing it is a promise made to the university to maintain this standard for as long as a student is enrolled, it should be signed only by applicants who wholeheartedly support the lifestyle described therein.

In accordance with Christ-centered convictions honoring the body as the temple of the Holy Spirit, the George Fox University community expects its student to follow a lifestyle that excludes gambling, the use or possession of nonmedicinal drugs, alcohol, tobacco, obscene or pornographic articles or literature, and forbids immoral sexual behavior.

The full lifestyle statement can be viewed at georgefox.edu/about/belief/lifestyle.html.

My signature affirms that I have read and understood the lifestyle standards and community expectations at George Fox University.

Also, I authorize investigation of all information provided during the application process and the references provided to give the university any and all information requested, as well as pertinent information they may have, personal or otherwise, and release from all liability or responsibility this university, its agents, and all persons, companies, or corporations providing information to the university about me.

Signature _____
Date _____

George Fox University reserves the right to select students on the basis of academic performance and personal qualifications. George Fox University does not discriminate in its education programs or activities on the basis of race, color, sex, handicap/disability, national or ethnic origin, age, or other statuses protected by applicable nondiscrimination laws.

PLEASE ENCLOSE YOUR \$40 APPLICATION FEE
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Personal Reference Form

This form is to be filled out by a pastor or youth pastor. If you do not have a pastor, have the form completed by a person who can vouch for your character. It should not be filled out by someone who is a member of your family.

Applicant name _____

Applicant address _____

Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (Buckley Amendment), which gives students the right to inspect and review their educational records, students may waive their right to see specific confidential letters or recommendations. In the belief that applicants and the people from whom they request evaluations may wish to preserve the confidentiality of those evaluations, we are giving you an opportunity to sign the following statement:

I waive my right to examine this form.

Applicant Signature

Date

The above-named student is applying for admission to George Fox University. In compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (Buckley Amendment), if the student has not signed above, he/she will have access to this form upon enrollment in the university.

Please: Carefully estimate this applicant's qualifications and complete this form candidly and carefully. Where applicable, place the applicant within one of the five major groups. Check the appropriate description for each characteristic. Consider each trait individually, and evaluate only on the basis of each trait. When feasible, give examples that support your ranking of each trait.

Please keep in mind that the applicant's file will not be reviewed until this form is returned.

Thank you for your valued assistance.

How long have you known the applicant? _____

How well do you know the applicant?

Just by name and sight

Casually (a few personal contacts)

Fairly well (a number of personal contacts)

Have had a close relationship

To your knowledge, has the applicant made a personal commitment to Jesus Christ? Yes No Don't Know

Influence and Leadership

Lends influence to acceptable behavior;
is able to organize and inspire confidence
in others; given place of leadership by others.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Integrity

Peers depend on him or her;
consistently trustworthy;
generally honest and reliable.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Emotional Stability Accepts responsibility for own decisions and actions; objective in opinions and attitudes; maintains even disposition.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
Peer Relationships Generally well-liked by others; well-mannered; accepted by peers; poised in social situations; friendly; participates in group activities.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
Purpose Has definite purpose in plans; effectively trustworthy; generally honest and reliable.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>

Comments

Are there any circumstances relating to this applicant that the university should know before deciding upon his/her admission, or that would assist in the admission process? _____

Recommendations

Please state recommendations in respect to this applicant's admission to George Fox University. _____

Please print or type:

Name _____
 Position _____
 Church name _____
 Mailing address _____
 City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
 Telephone number _____
 Date _____
 Signature _____

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Academic Reference Form

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Scholastic Capabilities

Ability to perceive and relate ideas; originality; acceptance of academic responsibilities.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Communication Facility

Adequate vocabulary; ability in oral expression; effective written communication; satisfactory reading level.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Initiative and Industry

Plans well and executes plans to completion; consistent in level of accomplishment; resourceful; develops interest; performs beyond expectation.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Social Conduct

Cooperative with peers and adults; accepts school or other regulations; relates well with classmates and teachers; respects rights and property of others; a dependable citizen.

Exceptional

Above Average

Average

Below Average

Poor

Emotional Stability Accepts responsibility for own decisions and actions; objective in opinions and attitudes; maintains even disposition.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
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Influence and Leadership Lends influence to acceptable behavior; is able to organize and inspire confidence in others; given place of leadership by others.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
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Integrity Peers depend on him or her; consistently trustworthy; generally honest and reliable.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
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Purpose Has definite purpose in plans; effectively motivated in carrying out purposes; generally is goal-directed.	Exceptional <input type="checkbox"/>	Above Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Below Average <input type="checkbox"/>	Poor <input type="checkbox"/>
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School _____

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Telephone number _____

Date _____

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