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APPLICATION FOR
UNDERGRADUATE
ADMISSION

A large, faint watermark of the Mercy College seal is visible in the background. The seal features a shield with a cross, the word 'MERCY' above it, and the motto 'INSERVIENDO' on a banner below. The words 'MERCY COLLEGE' are arched above the shield, and 'MERCY COLLEGE' is arched below it.

MERCY
COLLEGE
FOR THOSE WITH A PASSION TO GET AHEAD

90+

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS WITHIN 5 PRESTIGIOUS SCHOOLS



ONE OF THE MOST AFFORDABLE NOT-FOR-PROFIT, FOUR-YEAR PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS IN THE COUNTRY

\$32K

NATIONAL AVERAGE

\$19K

MERCY COLLEGE

RECEIVED STANDARD & POOR'S "A" CREDIT RATING



THE WHITE HOUSE HAS NAMED MERCY COLLEGE ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S "BRIGHT SPOTS IN HISPANIC EDUCATION"



A TOP COLLEGE WITH A GREAT LIFETIME RETURN ON INVESTMENT*

*AFFORDABLECOLLEGESONLINE.ORG.



LISTED AS A COMPETITIVE COLLEGE IN BARRON'S GUIDE TO THE MOST COMPETITIVE COLLEGES

ONLINE COLLEGE DATABASE:

- TOP COLLEGES IN NEW YORK FOR HIGHEST STARTING SALARY
- TOP COLLEGES IN NEW YORK FOR PERSONALIZED ATTENTION
- TOP COLLEGES IN NEW YORK FOR SHAPING THE NEXT GENERATION



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APPLYING TO MERCY COLLEGE

ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES

Mercy College is the dynamic, diverse New York City area college whose students are on a personal mission: to get the most out of life by getting the most out of their education. To apply, please include the following:

- A completed Application for Admission.
- A non-refundable application fee of \$40.
- An official or unofficial high school transcript. Students may apply with an unofficial high school transcript. An official final high school transcript (mailed by the high school directly to the college), which includes all secondary school grades, class rank and date of graduation must be submitted prior to enrollment. Students whose transcripts are unavailable should consult with an admissions counselor. If the applicant cannot provide a final high school transcript, one may provide a high school equivalency diploma with a corresponding score sheet. **Transfer students must supply their high school transcripts and previous college or university transcripts.**
- Major Concentrations with Supplemental Admissions Requirements: Certain major concentrations at Mercy College require supplemental admissions items. Please refer to pages 10-11 of this application, or contact the Office of Admissions for further information. These majors include the following: Design and Animation, Music Production and Recording Arts, Nursing, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Social Work and Veterinary Technology.

APPLICATION TYPE AND SUBMISSION

You can apply to Mercy College in the following ways:

- **Common Application:** Mercy College is a member of the Common Application. Students can apply by visiting www.commonapp.org.
- **Online:** Students can apply online through the Mercy College's website at www.mercy.edu/apply.
- **Paper:** Students may submit a paper application using the enclosed postage-paid envelope or by mail to Mercy College, Student Services Support Center, 2651 Strang Boulevard, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598; by fax at **914.455.3509**; or by scanning and emailing your application to admissions@mercy.edu.

ADMISSIONS POLICY

Mercy College takes a holistic approach in reviewing each student's application. In the admission decision, we review a student's transcript and academic record, including the courses taken and the grades attained. Other factors considered include leadership potential, extracurricular and service-related activities and the ability to contribute positively to the campus community. **Mercy College is SAT/ACT optional.**

A campus visit is highly recommended but not required. Appointments may be scheduled if desired. The application process is confidential.

BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

General Accounting	ACGA
■ Computer and Information Systems	ACCS
■ Financial Accounting	ACFI
■ Taxation	ACTX
Management Accounting	ACMA
Public Accounting*	ACPA
Business Administration	
■ Data Analytics	BADA
■ Entrepreneurship	BAEN
■ Finance	BAFI
■ General Business Administration	BAGB
■ International Business	BAIB
■ Management	BAMG
■ Marketing	BAMK
■ Sport Management	BASM
Organizational Management (EDGE)	ORMG

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

BS/MS Education*^	
■ Biology	BIED
■ Behavioral Science	BSED
■ English	ENED
■ History	HIED
■ Mathematics	MAED
■ Psychology	PYED

SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND NATURAL SCIENCES

Biology	BINS
■ Biology Education Track	BIET
■ Biology Education Track 5 Year Program	BIEM
Clinical Laboratory Science	CLSC
Communication Disorders	CODS
Exercise Science: Clinical	EXCL
Exercise Science: Performance	EXPF
Health Science	
■ Health Promotion Concentration	HSNS
■ Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration	HSPT
■ Pre-Physician Assistant Concentration	HSPA
■ Pre-Occupational Therapy Concentration	HSOT
Accelerated Second Degree Nursing	NURA
Nursing (Traditional Program)	NUPR
Nursing RN to BS (Completion Program)	NUNS
Nursing RN to BS (Online completion)	NUDL
Veterinary Technology	VTPR

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS

Communication Studies	CONS
■ Public Relations	CSPR
Design and Animation	BFA_CTPR
Computer Information Systems	CSNS
Computer Science	CSCS
Cybersecurity*	CSEC
■ Combined BS/MS	CSBM

English	ENNS
History	BA_HINS
Mathematics	MANS
Media Studies	
■ Film/Culture	MDFL
■ Journalism	MDJN
■ Radio and Television Production	MDRT
Music Production and Recording Arts	MUIT
Spanish	BA_SHNS

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Behavioral Science	BSNS
■ Community Health	BSCH
■ Gerontology	BSGE
■ Health Services Management	BSHS
Criminal Justice	CJNS
■ Forensics	CJFS
International Relations and Diplomacy	IRDP
Legal Studies	LGST
■ Paralegal Studies	LGPL
■ Political Science	LGPS
Psychology	PYNS
Social Work	BSW_SWPR
Sociology	SONS
Undeclared	BA_UND
Undeclared	BS_UND

ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

Liberal Arts and Science	AA_LSNS	Occupational Therapy Assistant	AAS_OTPR
Liberal Arts and Science	AS_LSNS		

Program is offered online and on campus.

*Indicates that you can receive a B.S. and M.S. degree within five years.

^The B.S. is awarded in the undergraduate discipline and the M.S. is awarded in Adolescence, Early Childhood or Childhood Education.

ADDITIONAL APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

In addition to this completed application, send the non-refundable application fee to our Student Services Support Center.

Official transcripts from High Schools and/or Colleges and Universities outside of the United States must be evaluated by a National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES) member (www.naces.org). After applicant chooses a NACES member, the transcript must be officially sent by the NACES member to the Admissions Office at Mercy College.

To find a NACES member, visit www.naces.org/members.html.

For more information regarding International Student admission, email: international@mercy.edu

FUNDING YOUR EDUCATION

Mercy College offers one of the lowest average tuition rates of any private college or university in New York, and in some cases is nearly half the cost of other institutions.*

Coupled with Mercy College's scholarship offerings, the extra financial support from the New York State Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) and Federal Pell Grants, the financial obligations of a college education are reduced without sacrificing quality.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Mercy College offers a large number of scholarships. We encourage all students to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) (fafsa.ed.gov). Applicants may qualify for merit based scholarship based on their academic performance.

FINANCIAL AID

At Mercy College, over 80 percent of students receive financial assistance in the form of financial aid. That's good news!

For students who qualify for need-based assistance, Mercy College offers a full range of federal, state and institutional grants and loans. The amount of federal aid you are qualified to receive will be determined from the FAFSA. We recommend applying as early as possible so that you receive notification of your aid eligibility in plenty of time to make your final decision.

PAYMENT PLAN

You don't have to pay for college in two large payments. Mercy College offers a payment plan in cooperation with Tuition Management Systems (TMS). Charges for the academic year may be met in monthly payments interest free. To learn more about TMS visit www.afford.com or call 1.888.463.6994.

*The Institute for College Access & Success

To apply for financial aid:

As soon after October 1 as possible, file the FAFSA (available online or through your high school guidance or counselor's office).

It's as simple as that! Once we have your completed application and FAFSA, we will contact you regarding the completion of your financial aid forms. It is your responsibility to make sure you have submitted the required forms.

Remember, do not wait to be accepted to file for financial aid. For complete information about financial aid at Mercy College, call **1.877.MERCY.GO** or consult our website at www.mercy.edu.

Admissions Locations:

Main Campus—Dobbs Ferry

555 Broadway
Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

Bronx Campus

1200 Waters Place
Bronx, NY 10461

Manhattan Campus

66 West 35th Street
New York, NY 10001

CONTACT US

Email

admissions@mercy.edu

Phone

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Online

www.mercy.edu

Fax

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FEE WAIVED RECRUITER CODE _____

APPLICATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION

Apply now—visit www.mercy.edu/apply for an online application.
Please note: Please include the College’s non-refundable \$40 application fee.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

PREFIX MR. MRS. MS. DR.

*REQUIRED FIELDS

FIRST NAME* MIDDLE NAME SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER*

LAST NAME* BIRTH DATE (MONTH/DAY/YEAR)*

OTHER LAST NAMES USED PREFERRED NAME/NICKNAME

PERMANENT ADDRESS* APARTMENT #* MOBILE PHONE*

CITY* STATE* POSTAL CODE*

COUNTRY DAY PHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS* OTHER PHONE

PREFERRED MAILING ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)

MAILING ADDRESS APARTMENT #

CITY STATE POSTAL CODE

COUNTRY TELEPHONE

MY GENDER AT BIRTH WAS

- MALE
- FEMALE

MARITAL STATUS

- SINGLE MARRIED
- DIVORCED WIDOWED

RELATIONSHIP INFORMATION (PLEASE COMPLETE FOR EACH PARENT OR GUARDIAN)

PARENT 1 GUARDIAN IF NEITHER IS APPLICABLE, WHAT IS YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO THIS PERSON?

FULL NAME

STREET ADDRESS APARTMENT #

CITY

EMAIL

DECEASED? YES NO MERCY ALUMN? YES NO MERCY EMPLOYEE? YES NO

OCCUPATION

TELEPHONE/MOBILE PHONE

STATE ZIP CODE

PARENT 2 GUARDIAN IF NEITHER IS APPLICABLE, WHAT IS YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO THIS PERSON?

FULL NAME

STREET ADDRESS APARTMENT #

CITY

EMAIL

DECEASED? YES NO MERCY ALUMN? YES NO MERCY EMPLOYEE? YES NO

OCCUPATION

TELEPHONE/MOBILE PHONE

STATE ZIP CODE

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND
 HIGH SCHOOL(S) ATTENDED**

NAME

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE ZIP CODE

PRIVATE PUBLIC HOMESCHOOL

START DATE (MONTH/YEAR)

END DATE (MONTH/YEAR)

GRADUATION DATE (MONTH/YEAR)

KIPP MEMBER: YES NO

COUNSELOR'S NAME

PHONE

EMAIL

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND CONTINUED HIGH SCHOOL(S) ATTENDED

NAME	START DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

STREET ADDRESS	END DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

CITY	GRADUATION DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

STATE	ZIP CODE	<input type="radio"/> PRIVATE <input type="radio"/> PUBLIC <input type="radio"/> HOMESCHOOL	KIPP MEMBER: <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		

COUNSELOR'S NAME	PHONE	EMAIL
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

COLLEGES OR POST-SECONDARY SCHOOL(S) ATTENDED

NAME	START DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
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STREET ADDRESS	END DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
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CITY	GRADUATION DATE (MONTH/YEAR)
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STATE	ZIP CODE	ABG MEMBER: <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	GPA	CREDITS EARNED (INCLUDE CREDITS IN PROGRESS)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	PTK MEMBER: <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

COUNSELOR'S NAME	PHONE	EMAIL
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COUNSELOR'S NAME	PHONE	EMAIL
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

PLEASE LIST ANY ADDITIONAL COLLEGES ATTENDED:

HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY DIPLOMA

I RECEIVED A GED/TASC/HISET DIPLOMA ON (DATE):

STUDENT INITIALS: _____

WHAT TYPES OF GRADES ARE ON YOUR TRANSCRIPT

WHICH GRADES ARE ON YOUR TRANSCRIPT?

- 100 POINT GRADES
- LETTER GRADES
- SCALE GRADES (EX: 3.7/4.0)

(PLEASE USE SECOND BOX TO INDICATE IF YOUR COURSES ARE IN PROGRESS (IP) OR NOT TAKEN (NA))

9TH GRADE ENGLISH (INDICATE # GRADE) <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	10TH GRADE ENGLISH (INDICATE # GRADE) <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	11TH GRADE ENGLISH (INDICATE # GRADE) <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	12TH GRADE ENGLISH (INDICATE # GRADE) <input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>
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Transcripts must be sent as part of the application process. Students may apply with an unofficial or official transcript. Official High School transcripts must be submitted prior to enrollment.

TEST-OPTIONAL POLICY

Mercy College has a test optional policy. Please select your preferred testing plan.

NO. I DO NOT WANT MY STANDARD TEST SCORES USED IN MY ADMISSIONS EVALUATION.
 YES. I WANT MY STANDARD TEST SCORES USED IN MY ADMISSIONS EVALUATION.
 I PLAN TO TAKE THE SAT/ACT ON (DATE)

I CHOOSE TO ALLOW MERCY COLLEGE TO SELECT THE TESTING PLAN THAT WILL BEST SERVE ME

SAT SCORE
 ACT SCORE

TEST SCORES (INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION)

PLEASE LIST ANY SAT AND OR ACT, SAT SUBJECT TESTS, ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) AND/OR INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB), OR TOEFL OR IELTS EXAMINATIONS WHICH YOU HAVE TAKEN.

TEST TYPE <input style="width: 100%; height: 25px;" type="text"/>	TEST DATE <input style="width: 100%; height: 25px;" type="text"/>	TEST SCORE <input style="width: 100%; height: 25px;" type="text"/>	<p>Note: Self-Reported scores reported here are unofficial and will be used only for informational purposes.</p> <p>Please do not enter any information on any future tests that you have not yet taken, just remember to have them sent to us and they will show up as verified on your status page when we receive them.</p> <p>The SAT I is the "old" SAT exam that was offered through January of 2016 and has a scoring range of up to 2400. The SAT R is the "new" SAT that began being offered in Spring of 2016 and has a scoring range of up to 1600. The ACT has some fields that only apply to scores prior to September, 2016, specifically the English/Writing score. If you do not have scores for certain sections, leave these sections blank.</p>
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PLEASE NOTE: You may also include any supporting documents that you believe would enhance your application (such as a résumé, letter of recommendation, personal writing statement, etc.).

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN APPLYING FOR ON-CAMPUS HOUSING?

- YES I WOULD LIKE TO LIVE ON-CAMPUS
- NO I INTEND TO COMMUTE

HAVE YOU BEEN APPROVED TO USE A MERCY COLLEGE FEE WAIVER?

- YES
- NO

WAIVER FEE CODE

STUDENT STATEMENT (TO BE SIGNED BY ALL APPLICANTS)

I certify that all information given in this application is complete and accurate. If I am admitted to Mercy College, I agree to abide by established rules and regulations of the college stated in the current Mercy College catalog.

STUDENT SIGNATURE

DATE (MONTH/DAY/YEAR)

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN (IF APPLICANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE)

DATE (MONTH/DAY/YEAR)

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Please mail your completed Undergraduate Application to:

**MERCY COLLEGE
OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS
828 S BROADWAY
TARRYTOWN, NY 10591**

Please make sure your NAME is on ALL the documents submitted. All documents submitted to Mercy College will become property of the college and will not be released back to the student.



Please refer to the **APPLICATION CHECKLIST** on page 11 to ensure that you are submitting all of the requirements for a complete application.

Mercy College is committed to achieving full equal opportunity in all aspects of college life. Mercy College does not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, age, ethnicity, marital or domestic partnership status, national origin, sexual orientation, religion, disability, or veteran status. Mercy College is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education.



TO BE SENT TO PROGRAM DIRECTORS

SUPPLEMENTAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

- Submit official high school transcript or official certification of high school equivalency
- Complete the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) exam
- Students must be 21 or older to apply

MUSIC PRODUCTION AND RECORDING ARTS*

Students that have been accepted to the College must also apply separately to the Music Program.

Please send the program application and support materials directly to the Program Director Paul Steinman: psteinman@mercy.edu

Video and Recording demonstration:

Please provide the following:

- 1) A video (no longer than 2 minutes) that demonstrates fundamental skill with a musical instrument, composition or voice. All styles are welcomed!
- 2) A recording (mp3) that demonstrates your musical and/or production ability with a written detailed description of the specific techniques used in the recording.

For more information visit: www.mercy.edu/degrees-programs/bs-music-production-recording-arts#how-to-apply

*Formerly Music Industry and Technology



TRADITIONAL NURSING

Admission Criteria for Acceptance into the Nursing Program:

- High School GPA of 85
- Grade of 80 in all math and science classes taken in 9th-11th grades
- Math- three years including algebra
- Science- three years including biology and chemistry
- ACT or SAT scores required for review
- Written personal statement (200-500 word statement about why you want to become a nurse)

Early Action Decision:

Applications received by December 1st, will be reviewed and decision letters will be sent by mid-December.

Regular Decision:

Applications received by February 1st will be reviewed and decision letters will be sent by mid-February.

NURSING (ACCELERATED SECOND DEGREE)

- B.A. or B.S. degree completed
- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Personal Statement (500 words - Why you want to become a nurse)
- One Letter of Recommendation (Fall 2021 forward)

NURSING (RN TO BS)

Applicants must have an associate degree in nursing from an accredited nursing program or a diploma in nursing. Students who have completed their nursing degree outside of the U.S. must have their transcripts evaluated by a member of NACES.

Applicants also must have the following:

- Passed the NCLEX licensure exam
- A valid state license to practice as a registered nurse
- A GPA of 2.75
- Upon receipt of transcripts by the Admissions Office, all applicants must make an appointment with the transfer counselor for program planning.

Upon receipt of transcripts by the Admissions Office, all applicants must arrange an appointment with the transfer counselor for a pre-admission interview and the Director of Undergraduate Nursing Program for program planning.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT

In order to be admitted into the Occupational Therapy Assistant program, applicants must complete the following:

- Be admitted to Mercy College
- Have a minimum grade point average of 2.75
- Place at the English 111 level
- Complete a personal interview with the OTA program director or faculty member
- Complete the OTA Program Application and a written on-site essay at the time of the interview
- Submit three references on the Mercy College OTA Recommendation Form (forms will be issued to the applicant at the time of the interview). Preferably, one reference should be from an occupational therapy assistant or an occupational therapist, work supervisor or an instructor of a prerequisite course. References cannot be older than 6 months and must be submitted in a sealed envelope with a signature.

SOCIAL WORK

Students must apply for admission to the Social Work major by the end of their sophomore year and should have at least 42 credits completed. They should contact the director of the social work program for information and application procedures for admission to the major. Transfer students are encouraged to contact the social work program for application materials at the same time they are applying to college. Freshmen and sophomores intending to apply to the social work program should declare pre-social work as their major. Students should have a 2.6 GPA (on a 4.0 scale) or better for admission to the major, but students may be admitted provisionally at the discretion of the program director. Following completion of the application process and acceptance to the program, students start courses in the social work program sequence during the fall semester of the junior year.

TO BE SENT TO PROGRAM DIRECTORS SUPPLEMENTAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS - CONTINUED

VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

- Admittance to Mercy College
 - High School Assessment Criteria
 - a. ≥85% overall GPA required with upper 1/3 of class rank preferred
 - b. Minimum of two years high school math with ≥85% (B) average
 - More than two years high school math preferred
 - Preference for one year of algebra
 - c. Minimum of two years high school English with ≥85% (B) average
 - More than two years high school English preferred
 - d. Minimum of two years high school laboratory science with ≥85% (B) average
 - More than two years high school laboratory science preferred
 - Preference for one year each in biology and chemistry
- Minimal Technical Standards:** The following technical standards, which serve to protect the student and patient and are deemed essential for performance as a competent veterinary technologist, are required for admission, continuation and graduation from the Mercy College Veterinary Technology Program:
- Capable of frequently lifting and/or carrying up to 50 pounds from floor to waist level
 - Ability to tolerate walking and standing for sustained periods of time
 - Capable of handling, positioning and restraining live animals
 - Capable of using hands and arms to handle, install, position and move materials
 - Auditory ability sufficient to monitor and assess health needs, including auscultatory sounds, alarms, animal vocalizations, cries for help and warning sounds from animals and humans. Ability to perceive and understand the natural or amplified human voice when lips, facial expressions and/or other visual clues are not able to be seen.
 - Tactile ability sufficient for physical assessment and to perform nursing duties
 - Eyesight capable of viewing small visual images and reading instrumentation
 - Amenable to learning the safe handling and restraint of all program-required species of domestic and exotic animals without a level of fear that interferes with satisfactory performance
 - Capacities to read, hear, understand and quickly execute complex verbal and written instructions given in English
 - Willingness to assist with or perform a wide variety of medical, surgical and diagnostic procedures in the veterinary setting, including humane euthanasia
 - Ability to act in a professional and ethical manner
 - Ability to respond promptly and appropriately in emergency situations
 - Ability to speak English and be understood by others who speak English
 - Ability to handle and/or be exposed to a wide variety of animal species and their environments without adverse medical consequences (e.g., allergic reaction).

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- COMPLETED APPLICATION THAT IS SIGNED AND DATED
- ENCLOSED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER MADE PAYABLE TO MERCY COLLEGE FOR \$40

FOR FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN STUDENTS

- ARRANGE TO HAVE HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS SENT
- ARRANGE TO HAVE YOUR SAT OR ACT SCORES SENT (RECOMMENDED BUT NOT REQUIRED)
- PROVIDE A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A TEACHER OR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR (RECOMMENDED BUT NOT REQUIRED)
- PROVIDE A PERSONAL WRITING STATEMENT (RECOMMENDED BUT NOT REQUIRED)

FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

- ARRANGE TO HAVE OFFICIAL COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY TRANSCRIPTS SENT
- ARRANGE TO HAVE OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS SENT
- PROVIDE A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A TEACHER OR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR (RECOMMENDED BUT NOT REQUIRED)
- PROVIDE A PERSONAL WRITING STATEMENT (RECOMMENDED BUT NOT REQUIRED)

FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

- ARRANGE TO HAVE TOEFL OR IELTS SCORES SENT
- ORDER AN OFFICIAL COURSE BY COURSE EVALUATION USING A CURRENT MEMBER OF NACES

OPEN HOUSE AND TOURS:

Get a feel for campus and soak up Mercy's culture. At a **Mercy Open House**, our faculty, students and staff can't wait to show you around campus. They'll share important information with you on courses, career outcomes and financial aid—plus answer your questions about college life here at Mercy.

To RSVP to an Open House, visit www.mercy.edu/openhouse

You can even schedule a personal tour. You'll get to experience our classrooms, labs, dorms and athletic fields. You'll also meet one-on-one with students ready to tell you what Mercy's really like.

To schedule a personal tour, call **1.877.MERCY.GO** or www.mercy.edu/campus-tour

We're all excited to get to know you!





MUSIC PRODUCTION
AND RECORDING
ARTS PROGRAM
NAMED ONE OF
THE **TOP 25 PROGRAMS**
IN THE NATION

MERCY COLLEGE'S
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
TEAM WAS A **FIRST**
ROUND FINALIST
IN THE ENACTUS
NATIONAL
EXPOSITION



RANKED IN THE
TOP 25%
OF PRIVATE, NOT-FOR-PROFIT
INSTITUTIONS — FORBES



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