

General Information

- Y Common or Coalition Application
- Y Application Fee - \$75 (waived Mil)
- N JST/CLEP/ DSST Accepted
- N Online Credit Accepted
- Y Yellow Ribbon
- Y Veteran Center / Military Web Page

College Admission Policy - Freshman

- O SAT / ACT – (see notes)
- Y Required GPA – 3.0 (see notes)
- Y Personal Statement / Essay
- Y Official High School Transcripts
- Y Letters of Recommendation (LOR)
- Y High School College Prep Courses
- Y Counselor Letter

Application Deadlines –

- Fall – Freshman – Early - November 1
- Fall – Freshman – Regular – January 1
- Fall – Transfer – April 1
- Spring - Transfer – October 1

College Admission Policy – Transfer

Credit Required to Transfer – 24

- O SAT / ACT – (see notes)
- Y Required GPA – 3.0 minimum
- Y Official College Transcripts
- Y Official High School Transcripts
- Y Letters of Recommendation (LOR)
- Y Personal Statement / Essay
- Y College Report – (see notes)
- O Joint Services Transcript (JST) (see notes)

College Notes – Review major requirements – see below

- **Application Deadlines** – Please review deadlines on Web site for any changes
- **Application Advice** - When filling out the Application for Admission, please complete sections which do not seem directly relevant to your personal, academic, and military experiences to the best of your ability. For example, the application asks about your extracurricular activities, awards, and honors. Veteran applicants should feel free to include military experiences and distinctions, high school experiences, and any other post-secondary experiences in these sections. At times, some schools welcome you to attach /upload/copy and paste a résumé or CV to explain your non-academic experiences more thoroughly.
 - **Apply at** – www.commonapp.org or <https://www.mycoalition.org/public/info/northeastern>
- **Portfolio for College of Arts, Media, and Design** – Northeastern uses Slideroom to upload your documents. See: <http://www.slideroom.com>
- **Application Fee / Waiver for Veterans** - \$75 waivers based on financial need or Military Veteran status.

- **GPA minimum does not equate to competitive GPA** – Average Freshman GPA 3.8; transfer 3.6+
- **Essay / Personal Statement**–Times New Roman, 12-point font, MLA Format – prompts for supplemental essays provided through either application; Personal Statement at minimum
- **Test Optional for SAT / ACT** –
 - Northeastern is test optional for the 2022 entering year applicant pool. Applicants will be asked in the application if they intend to submit testing.
 - Middle 50% ranges for admitted students are: SAT CR 660 – 740 + M 680 – 770 + WR 640 - 730; ACT Composite 31 - 34
- **Transferable Credit / Online Credit** - generally means liberal arts / science / math credit (e.g. general education) from a regionally accredited 2-year or 4-year, traditional institution; subject to strict review by university; online credit is not accepted based on guidelines above – if any would be case-by-case or simply used for placement purposes
- **JST/DSST/CLEP credit** – as for the JST, traditional undergrad admissions team hasn't been successful in being able to offer credit transfers from the JST. Our College of Professional Studies (non-traditional students – i.e. night school) does accept some JST credits
- **Letters of Recommendation** –
 - **Freshman** – guidance counselor and teacher recommendations required
 - **Transfer** – academic advisor, professor, or employer. Could also be former commanding officer.
- **Areas of Study** – all students are encouraged to review the pre-requisites for entry into a specific major. See: <https://www.northeastern.edu/admissions/academics/areas-of-study/>
- **Transfer Student Requirements** -
 - **Restricted Majors** – some majors have restrictions on transfer or will not accept transfer applications see: <https://www.northeastern.edu/admissions/application-information/deadlines/> - click on transfer
 - **College Report** – form available through either application – send to most recent or current school
- **Engineering Applicants** – must have pre-calculus or calculus AND physics (calculus-based physics suggested) AND chemistry completed prior to transfer
- **High School / College Prep Courses – Freshman Candidates** – expected to take most rigorous courses available
 - **English** – 4 years – emphasis on writing and literature
 - **History** – 2 years – U.S. and others such as world civilizations or cultures
 - **Foreign Language** – 2 years same subject
 - **Math** – 3 years – college level algebra and above – engineering students must have pre-calculus or calculus
 - **Science** – 3 years with labs – engineering students must have chemistry and physics
- **Veteran Center / Information** - <http://www.northeastern.edu/svo/>

Legend

Y = Yes

N = No

O = Optional