

General Information

<u>Y</u>	Common Application
<u>N</u>	Additional Requirements by Major
<u>N</u>	Application Fee - \$0 – fee waived for all US military veterans
<u>N</u>	JST/CLEP/ DSST Accepted
<u>N</u>	Online Credit Accepted
<u>Y</u>	Yellow Ribbon
<u>Y</u>	Veteran Center / Military Web Page

Application Deadlines –

<u> </u>	Fall – Freshman – Early – November 1
<u> </u>	Fall – Freshman – Regular – January 1
<u> </u>	Fall – Transfer – March 1
<u> </u>	No Spring or Summer Admissions

College Admission Policy - Freshman

<u>N</u>	SAT / ACT – see notes
<u>N</u>	Required GPA –minimum
<u>Y</u>	Personal Statement / Essay
<u>Y</u>	Supplemental Application Questions
<u>Y</u>	Official High School Transcripts
<u>Y</u>	Official College transcripts – see notes
<u>Y</u>	LORs – see notes
<u>Y</u>	Secondary School Counselor Evaluation

College Admission Policy – Transfer

Credit Required to Transfer – 30

<u>N</u>	SAT / ACT – see notes
<u>N</u>	Required GPA – minimum
<u>Y</u>	Personal Statement / Essay / Harvard Questions
<u>Y</u>	Official College Transcripts
<u>Y</u>	Official High School Transcripts
<u>Y</u>	LORs – see notes
<u>Y</u>	College or Registrar’s Report

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. Common Application at www.commonapp.org

- **College or Registrar's Report** – for students who have had previous college/community college experience. Form found on the Common Application Web site
- **Application Tips** – See <https://college.harvard.edu/admissions/application-requirements/application-tips#profile> - take advantage of reading what Harvard Admissions Officers suggest you add to the application
- **Number of Credits Required to Transfer** – at least one year of full-time, traditional study at a community college or 4-year institution with no more than two years of full-time study
- **Visiting Undergraduate Applicants** – unless attending a four-year institution on par with Harvard University's curriculum and rigor, this is not an option
- **Transfer Recommendation** – If considering Harvard as a transfer student, where significant gap between high school and Harvard application POC suggests taking at least one year at a community college including a series general education courses.
- **Application Fee / Waiver for Veterans** -application fee is waived for US military veterans
- **Essay / Personal Statement**–Common Application essay Topics + Harvard Specific Topics – for Essay tips by Harvard Admissions Officers See - <https://college.harvard.edu/admissions/application-requirements/application-tips#writing>
- **SAT / ACT** –for the classes of 2027-2030 submission of standardized tests is optional.
- **Transferable Credit / Online Credit** - generally means liberal arts / science / math credit (e.g. general education) from an accredited 2-year or 4-year, traditional institution; subject to careful review by university; No online credit
- **JST/DSST/CLEP credit** – Harvard like all Ivy Schools does not accept non-traditional or Online credit
- **LORs** – Freshman – prefer academic letters; Transfer – prefer academic letters; Marines should also feel free to submit letters from Command that speak to character, intellect, ability to thrive at Harvard
- **High School / College Prep Courses – preferred but not required:**
 - English – 4 years with extensive study in the classics / world literature
 - Foreign Language – 4 years of one language
 - History – 2 prefer 3 years of American, European, and one other history course
 - Mathematics – 4 years through calculus
 - Science – 4 years with lab (advanced placement preferred) in physics, biology, chemistry
 - Suggested additional study – art, music, expository writing, philosophy, etc.
- **High school transcript**
- **Veteran Center / Information** – www.huvets.com