

**Lyon College Office of Enrollment Services**  
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## APPLICATION FOR FRESHMAN ADMISSION

### Freshman application

To complete your application materials, you must:

- Submit the **application** with a **\$25 non-refundable application fee**. The fee is waived for students who apply by December 1. Make checks payable to Lyon College.
- Submit an **essay** if you do not meet admissions criteria.
- Have your high school counselor send your **official high school transcript** to the Lyon College Office of Enrollment Services.
- Have an official report of your **American College Test (ACT) or Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)** scores sent to Lyon. The ACT institutional code number for Lyon is **0112**; the SAT number is **6009**.

The Office of Enrollment Services reviews completed applications on a rolling basis. However, to receive priority consideration for scholarships, you should submit all application materials by **January 15**.

### Recommendations

- **Two letters of recommendation** from an administrator, counselor, or teacher are required for students who do not meet admissions criteria. The Office of Enrollment Services reserves the right to request letters from any applicant.

### Admissions Criteria

- 22 on the ACT or 1020 on the SAT (math and critical reading) and a 2.6 GPA
- 21 on the ACT or 980 on the SAT (math and critical reading) and a 3.1 GPA
- 20 on the ACT or 940 on the SAT (math and critical reading) and a 3.6 GPA
- 19 on the math section of the ACT (or 480 math SAT)

### Financial assistance

To qualify for need-based aid, you must complete a **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**, available online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). The FAFSA institutional code number for Lyon is **001088**.

### Submit all application materials to:

Office of Enrollment Services  
Lyon College, P.O. Box 2317 Batesville, Arkansas 72503-2317

(please print clearly)

Desired entrance date: Fall semester \_\_\_\_\_ Spring semester \_\_\_\_\_  
year year

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
Last name First name Middle name Preferred name

Permanent home address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street address or P.O. Box City (County) State Zip

Address for admission correspondence (if different from above):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street address or P.O. Box City (County) State Zip

Are you a U.S. citizen?  Yes  No If **no**, what is your (1) country of citizenship? \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ (2) country of birth? \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security number: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  Male  Female  
(optional)

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
(month/day/year)

I plan to reside:  on-campus (or)  off-campus (only for students who meet certain criteria)

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High school \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation year \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
GED: Year \_\_\_\_\_ Score \_\_\_\_\_

Please list **all** colleges or summer programs at which you have taken courses for credit:

Name of college(s) or summer program(s)	City/State	Dates attended
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Note: To complete your application, you will need to submit **official transcripts** from every high school, college, and/or summer program at which you have taken courses for credit. Applicants who have attended secondary school outside of the United States are required to supply a certified translation, in English, of their academic records to Lyon and to World Education Services, Inc. ([www.wes.org](http://www.wes.org)) for evaluation.

What courses are you taking in your senior year in high school? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please inform us of your highest individual **standardized test score** as well as the date it was taken.

ACT Date \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Composite score \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Critical Reading \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been suspended from school or subjected to legal action as a citizen?  Yes  No  
If **yes**, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.

## HIGH SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND HONORS

List high school and community activities and honors: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## ACADEMIC AND CAREER INTERESTS

Please indicate your **top** area of potential academic interest (check one):

- |  |   |  |   |
|--|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting              | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/<br>Middle School  | <input type="checkbox"/> International Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anthropology            | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Secondary          | <input type="checkbox"/> Journalism            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Dentistry        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art                     | <input type="checkbox"/> English                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics           | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Law              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Studies        | <input type="checkbox"/> Music                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Medical          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> French                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Science     | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Pharmacy         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry               | <input type="checkbox"/> History                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Physical Therapy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science        | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resource<br>Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Physics               | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Veterinary       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economics               |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy   | <input type="checkbox"/> Undecided            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Elementary    |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish               |   |

Please indicate your possible career objective: \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY INFORMATION

Mother (or female guardian) \_\_\_\_\_  
If **not** mother, specify relationship

Father (or male guardian) \_\_\_\_\_  
If **not** father, specify relationship

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First M.I. Last

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First M.I. Last

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip

City State Zip

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Work

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Work

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_  
Institution Degree

College \_\_\_\_\_  
Institution Degree

Check if:

mother is deceased  father is deceased  parents are divorced  mother is remarried  father is remarried

If you **don't** live with both parents, please indicate the parent or guardian with whom you legally reside and to whom Lyon College correspondence should be sent:

- mother or female guardian (as indicated above)  
 father or male guardian (as indicated above)  
 other relative or guardian (indicate relationship) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Name Address

## OPTIONAL QUESTIONS

Which of the following best describes your ethnic heritage?

- American Indian or Alaskan Native  Black, non-Hispanic  Asian or Pacific Islander  
 Hispanic  White, non-Hispanic  Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

What is your religious affiliation? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about Lyon? \_\_\_\_\_

To what other colleges/universities are you applying? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of any relation who has attended Lyon: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of friends who have attended or are attending Lyon: \_\_\_\_\_

## ACTIVITIES IN WHICH YOU MIGHT PARTICIPATE AT LYON

- Varsity athletics    Which sport? \_\_\_\_\_
- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bagpipe band        | <input type="checkbox"/> Honor/Social Council            | <input type="checkbox"/> Scottish Dance program     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleading        | <input type="checkbox"/> Intramural athletics            | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Activities Council |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Choir               | <input type="checkbox"/> Literary magazine               | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Government         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community band      | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greek organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> Religious/service organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook                   |

## ESSAY

A sample of written work is required for those students who do not meet admissions criteria. Those students should write a 250-300 word essay about how they feel they are prepared for college. Topics may include (but are not limited to) reasons for considering Lyon College, one's academic strengths/weaknesses, high school experience, community service, or job experience.

## ON YOUR HONOR

Lyon students maintain an academic honor system in order to preserve a trusting community in which their integrity is respected and their word is their bond. Upon matriculation, every student commits to abide by our honor system. Students affirm that commitment by signing the Roll of Honor and by submitting each examination, quiz, paper, or other written assignment with the following honor pledge:

I will abstain from all fraud in academic work. I will neither give nor receive aid on any form of test or assigned work where such aid is prohibited, nor tolerate this conduct in any member of the community. I will deal responsibly with such acts when I observe them. By my conduct and influence, I will endeavor to build a high standard of honesty and truthfulness in all academic work.

Please complete this application by signing it. Your signature will serve as affirmation that you have read and that you understand the honor pledge and that as a Lyon student you would accept your responsibilities under the honor system. By signing this application, you also affirm that the information contained herein is complete and accurate to the best of your knowledge. In addition, your signature grants Lyon permission to obtain your high school transcript, announce your scholarship award(s), and access and print your immunization records if they are available through the Department of Health and Human Services' Statewide Immunization Registry.

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Signature

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Date



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