

# APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION AND FINANCIAL AID

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT the information below and return this form with a non-refundable \$30 application fee to:  
Missouri Baptist University | One College Park Drive | St. Louis, MO 63141-8698

## Personal Information

\_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number

Do you wish to have your contact information included in University directories?

Yes  
 No

\_\_\_\_\_ Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_ First Name

\_\_\_\_\_ MI

\_\_\_\_\_ Maiden

## Contact Information

\_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_ City

\_\_\_\_\_ State

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip

\_\_\_\_\_ Current Street Address (if different)

\_\_\_\_\_ City

\_\_\_\_\_ State

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip

\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone

\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail

## Enrollment Plans

**Campus:**

Main

Jefferson County (Hillsboro)

Jefferson County (Arnold)

Franklin County (St. Clair)

Troy/Wentzville (Moscow Mills)

Lewis and Clark (Alton)

**Entry Term:**

Fall 20\_\_\_\_

Spring 20\_\_\_\_

Summer 20\_\_\_\_

**Course Load:**

Full-Time  
*(12 or more credit hrs per term)*

Part-Time  
*(Less than 12 credit hrs per term)*

**Status:**

Degree Seeking  
*(Required to receive financial aid)*

Teacher Certification Only  
*(Seeking Missouri teacher license)*

Non-Degree Seeking

Home School on Campus

**College Level:**

Freshman  
*(Fewer than 12 attempted hrs of college credit since high school)*

Transfer  
*(12 or more attempted hrs of credit since high school)*

Visiting  
*(Enrolling for 1 to 2 terms)*

Home School on Campus  
*(High school dual enrollment)*

Re-admit

Have you ever applied to MBU?  Yes  No

If Yes, list most recent term: \_\_\_\_\_

## Intended Major

Please select the major that most closely relates to your career goals:

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Undecided                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Services             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Kinesiology                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Administration of Justice   | <input type="checkbox"/> Management                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applied Management          | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral Science          | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Childhood Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biotechnology               | <input type="checkbox"/> Ministry and Leadership    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration     | <input type="checkbox"/> Music                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Education          | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Education            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Performance          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Development           | <input type="checkbox"/> Musical Theatre            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Music                | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Classroom Teaching          | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications              | <input type="checkbox"/> Religious Education        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science            | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Sciences            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood Education   | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech/Theatre             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Education        | <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Management           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Medicine            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Studies in Learning | <input type="checkbox"/> Unified Science            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Science              | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship Arts               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> History                     |   |

Do you plan to pursue educational certification?

- Yes       No

*Secondary Education majors must choose a specific area of concentration, as noted below.*

### Educational Certification Areas

- Business
- Biology
- Chemistry
- English
- General Science
- Health
- Library Media Specialist
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Social Sciences
- Speech/Theatre
- Unified Science

## Housing Plans

Do you plan to live in University housing?

- Yes       No

Do you wish to receive more information regarding University housing?

- Yes       No

## Activities Plans

*Please check all activities in which you plan to participate*

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletics (please list sport) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Study Abroad       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ministry Teams                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Activities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student Government                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____        |

## Statistical Information

Information in this section is requested for reports the University provides to federal and other agencies collecting data to ensure equal opportunity. You are not required to answer these questions; however, your cooperation is appreciated. This information in no way influences decisions on admittance.

### Race/Ethnic Origin:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian  | <input type="checkbox"/> Native or Other Pacific Islander        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American<br>( <i>Non-Hispanic or Latino</i> ) | <input type="checkbox"/> White ( <i>Non-Hispanic or Latino</i> ) |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Resident Alien                      |

### Gender

- Male  Female

### Birth date

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
M	M	D	D	Y	Y

### Veteran

- Yes  No

### Active Military

- Yes  No

### Country of Citizenship

Country Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Birth Country

Country Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Primary Language:

- English  \_\_\_\_\_  
Other

### Marital Status

- |                                   |                                    |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single   | <input type="checkbox"/> Separated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Married  | <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced |                                    |

## Religious Preference

Religion/Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Church \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

## Family Contact

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI Maiden

Relationship:  Father  Mother  Spouse  Other

Permanent Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

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High School  
Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of High School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip

High School Graduation Date:

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
GPA (4 point scale)

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Test  
Information  
*(freshmen only)*

**ACT Scores**

\_\_\_\_\_  
English

\_\_\_\_\_  
Math

\_\_\_\_\_  
Reading

\_\_\_\_\_  
Science:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Composite

**SAT Scores**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Math

\_\_\_\_\_  
Critical Reading

**GED**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Score

**Advanced Placement** Have you taken Advanced Placement Testing?  Yes  No

\_\_\_\_\_  
Subject

\_\_\_\_\_  
Subject

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Dual Credit  
*(freshmen only)*

Please list all college courses in which you have earned dual credit while enrolled in high school.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Course Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
College/University

\_\_\_\_\_  
Course Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
College/University

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College  
Information

Have you attempted 12 or more hours of college credit at another institution?  Yes  No  
List all institutions at which you have earned college credit below, beginning with the most recent

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of College/University City State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dates of Attendance Credit Hours Attempted

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of College/University City State

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Dates of Attendance Credit Hours Attempted

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Name of College/University City State

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Dates of Attendance Credit Hours Attempted

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Institutional  
Research

**How did you first hear about MBU?**

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alumni Referral | <input type="checkbox"/> College Fair          | <input type="checkbox"/> MBU Professor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletics/Coach | <input type="checkbox"/> Counselor/Teacher     | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper Ad  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Billboard Ad    | <input type="checkbox"/> Current Student       | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio Ad      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brochure        | <input type="checkbox"/> Event on Campus       | <input type="checkbox"/> Website       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Visit    | <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church          | <input type="checkbox"/> MBU Performance Group |  |

**Attendance Reason:** Which of the following factors was most influential in your decision to apply to MBU?

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletics      | <input type="checkbox"/> Class Size            | <input type="checkbox"/> Cost of Tuition           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Location       | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Activities    | <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship Opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Christian Environment |  |

## Academic Integrity

Have you ever been suspended or dismissed from another college or university?  Yes  No

If Yes, can you return?  Yes  No

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violations?  Yes  No

My signature on this application affirms that all information contained above is complete and true. All colleges/universities previously attended have been listed. In the event of enrollment, I agree that I will be subject to all student services, financial, and academic rules and regulations of Missouri Baptist University. I further understand that falsification of information on this application and/or supportive documentation may render me ineligible for admission or subject to separation from Missouri Baptist University.

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Applicant Signature

Date

**Please note that to be eligible for state grants you must complete the FAFSA before April 1. This can be done online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) MBU's FAFSA CODE IS 007540.**

Missouri Baptist University reserves the right to restrict or deny admission to any person otherwise eligible for reasons determined to be in the best interest of the institution by the officers thereof. The University also reserves the right to revoke an offer of admission to any student with a documented disability for which the University is not able to provide reasonable accommodation. These reserved rights shall be administered in a manner strictly consistent with state and federal non-discrimination laws.

## FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

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### ... to Parents

We know that where to send your son or daughter to college is an important decision. Frankly, we think that you should consider MBU because your son or daughter will not only get an outstanding college education, but he or she will get it within an environment that has smaller classes, a Christian atmosphere, a safer campus, and much more personal attention than is possible at large state universities.

We encourage your child to apply for admission and discover that MBU is within reach. We would love to meet with you personally to show you how we can make a private, Christian education possible for your son or daughter.

## Compare Our Costs with Other High-Quality Schools

Most people rule private colleges out of consideration because they assume that costs are exorbitantly high and there's no way they could possibly afford to attend. Although that may be true of many private schools, that's certainly not true of Missouri Baptist University. Look at the following charts. You'll see that our costs are quite affordable compared to most private colleges. And as you read the rest of this brochure, you'll see that we have a remarkable financial aid program that will bring a high-quality, private college education—and all of its benefits—within your reach.

#### **COSTS TO ATTEND MBU FOR 2 SEMESTERS**

	Resident	Commuter
Tuition.....	\$15,120.....	\$15,120
Fees .....	\$730.....	\$730
Room & Board .....	\$6,350.....	—
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>\$22,200.....</b>	<b>\$15,850</b>

#### **COMPARISON Chart** Tuition & Fees for 2 semesters

Washington University.....	\$35,524
Illinois Wesleyan University.....	\$30,750
Saint Louis University.....	\$28,878
Wheaton College .....	\$23,730
William Jewell College .....	\$21,400
Webster University .....	\$19,330
Maryville University .....	\$19,050
Fontbonne University .....	\$18,320
<b>Missouri Baptist University .....</b>	<b>\$15,850</b>
Southwest Baptist University .....	\$14,950

(All amounts taken from the  
2007 CollegeBoard report)

FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

AWARD	AMOUNT	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
National Merit Finalist or Semi-Finalist	Up to Full Tuition, Dorm, Books, and Fees	Selected as a National Merit Finalist by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation or by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation for Minority Students. Maintenance GPA 3.5
Trustee— Full	Up to 100% Tuition (2 per year)	Freshman: Valedictorian or Salutatorian OR rank upper 3% of class OR ACT score of 30 OR SAT score of 1320. Maintenance GPA 3.5. DEADLINE: Jan 30. By interview only. Contact Admissions for details.
Trustee— Partial	Up to \$9,500 per year	Freshman: Rank upper 5% of class OR ACT score of 28 OR SAT score of 1240. Transfer (24 or more credits): cumulative GPA 3.8. Maintenance GPA 3.5. DEADLINE: Jan 30. By interview only. Contact Admissions for details.
President's	Up to \$6,500 per year	Freshman: Rank upper 10% of class OR ACT score of 27 OR SAT score of 1210. Transfer (12 or more credits): cumulative GPA 3.6. Maintenance GPA 2.8.
Dean's	Up to \$4,500 per year	Freshman: Rank upper 15% of class OR ACT score of 24 OR SAT score of 1100. Transfer (12 or more credits): cumulative GPA 3.4. Maintenance GPA 2.8.
Faculty	Up to \$3,500 per year	Freshman: Rank upper 20% of class OR ACT score of 21 OR SAT score of 990. Transfer (12 or more credits): cumulative GPA 3.2. Maintenance GPA 2.8.
Ministerial	Major—\$3,000 Minor —\$1,500	Committee recommendation. Directed by the Chairman of the Humanities Division. Must file letter verifying public commitment to participate in a ministry of preaching, youth, religious education, music or missions. Must be majoring, minoring or seeking certificate in a church-related vocation.
Christian Service Awards	\$1,500	Dependents of/or ministers, missionaries, church officials of the regular payroll, employees of Southern Baptist agencies, staff, faculty, or administrators of Christian High Schools. (30 hour or more position)
Denominational Grant	\$1,000	Active members of a Southern Baptist Church. A letter from the church is required yearly.
Christian High School Graduates	\$500	First-time freshmen who graduated from a Christian high school. (First year only)
Church Matching	Up to \$1,000 yearly	Church contributions toward a student's cost will be matched up to \$500 per semester, not to exceed \$1,000 per year.
Performance	Variable	Based on selection and participation in athletics, cheerleading, music, band, ministry group or performance group.
EXCEL Grant	\$500	An incoming freshman student completing a minimum of six hours of credit through the EXCEL program. (First year only)

**To find out how to apply for scholarships, go online to [mobap.edu/finaid](http://mobap.edu/finaid)**

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AWARD	AMOUNT	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
Alumni Grant	Up to 50% of Tuition	Missouri Baptist University graduates who have earned a bachelor's degree at MBU.
Alumni Dependent	\$1,500	Spouses or dependent children of Missouri Baptist University graduates who have earned a bachelor's degree at MBU.
Family Award	\$1,500 per year	Students from the same immediate family who are enrolled during the same semester as full-time students. Includes parents, siblings and spouses.
Missouri Teacher Scholarship	\$2,000 per year	High school seniors, freshmen or sophomores at a four-year college or university in Missouri or community/junior college students in Missouri ranking in the top 15% on the ACT or SAT. Must be Missouri residents and complete an accredited teacher training program. DEADLINE FEBRUARY 15.
Missouri Higher Academic Scholarship (Bright Flight)	\$2,000 per year	Missouri high school graduates who score in the top 3% of Missouri students on the ACT or SAT.
Access Missouri Grant	\$2000 to \$4600 per year	This newly funded state grant program is designed for full-time students demonstrating need as determined by the Missouri Department of Higher Education. You don't necessarily have to qualify for Pell Grant to receive this grant. MBU ranks in the top tier of allocations for this new program. YOU MUST FILE YOUR FAFSA BY APRIL 1. MBU CODE 007540
Pell Grant	Up to \$4,310 per year	Students demonstrating need as calculated by the Pell Grant program. Must be U.S. citizen.
Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Up to \$1,000 per year	Undergraduate students with exceptional financial need. Priority given to Pell Grant recipients. File completion DEADLINE JUNE 15.
Stafford Student Loan	Consult your Financial Aid Counselor	Students enrolled at least half-time with financial need. Must complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid.
Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS)	Consult your Financial Aid Counselor	Parents of dependent students. Repayment begins 60 days after loan is disbursed.
Student Work	Variable	Students with financial need may apply for part-time employment on campus.
Missouri Boys State Scholarship	\$1,500 per year (5)	Completion of the Missouri Boys State program. First-time freshman may apply after admittance to the University. Maintenance GPA 2.8.

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LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS: As a candidate for admission to Missouri Baptist University, you are requested to complete the upper portion of this character reference as an aid to the final decision process. Please submit this form to a PASTOR, CHURCH STAFF MEMBER, SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, BUSINESS ASSOCIATE, PROFESSIONAL, or FACULTY MEMBER. Make copies of this form as needed.

Applicant's Name Last First Middle

Applicant's Address Street Address City State Zip

As a candidate for admission, I request that this character reference be completed and forwarded to the Director of Admissions at Missouri Baptist University. I understand that I cannot view the reference letter as it remains confidential.

Applicant Signature Date

TO BE COMPLETED BY INDIVIDUAL RECOMMENDING APPLICANT: Missouri Baptist University is a Christian university. The University environment, both in classroom and campus life is grounded upon Biblical principles. The personal quality of the applicant is as important as his/her academic quality; therefore, the completion of this form by you as a character reference will help determine the eligibility of the applicant. All responses will remain confidential. Please mail to:

Missouri Baptist University, Attn: Director of Admission | One College Park Drive | St. Louis, MO 63141-8698

Does the applicant exhibit leadership qualities? Yes No

Does the applicant demonstrate ability to succeed at a Christian university? Yes No

Does the applicant exhibit a personal vision? Yes No

I have known the applicant M M Y Y

Please check one:

- Recommend for admission
Do not recommend for admission
Contact me for details.
I prefer not to make a recommendation

Please note additional comments on a separate sheet or letter of recommendation.

Name Organization Title

Daytime phone Email

Signature Date



# TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORM

To the Student: Please **TYPE OR PRINT** the information below and deliver this to the registrar's office of all previous institutions you've attended. Make copies of this form for each institution you have attended. In order for you to be officially admitted to MBU, we must receive an official sealed copy, mailed directly from all post-secondary institutions you've attended.

I am granting permission for

\_\_\_\_\_ Name of Institution

to forward an official transcript of the college record of

\_\_\_\_\_ Your Name

Student address

\_\_\_\_\_ Street Address City State Zip

Student's social security number

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature

### For high school students only

Anticipated graduation date

M M Y Y

What is the student's most recent rank in class?

At the end of the \_\_\_\_\_ semester

Number in class \_\_\_\_\_

Students' rank \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

*(please convert to a 4.0 scale)*

**TO THE HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY**

**Please return this form along with a current official transcript to:**

**Office of Admissions  
Missouri Baptist University  
One College Park Drive  
St. Louis, Missouri 63141-8698**



## ADMISSIONS CHECKLIST

Apply online at [mobap.edu](http://mobap.edu)

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### Freshmen

- Application
- \$30 Application Fee
- Official High School Transcript
- Letter of Recommendation Form
- Official Transcript(s) for Any College Credit Earned
- ACT/SAT Score

### Transfer

- Application
- \$30 Application Fee
- Official Transcript(s) from All Colleges Attended
- Letter of Recommendation Form

Transfer students with less than 12 hours of college credit must also submit an official high school transcript.

Students not meeting the minimum admissions requirements must submit the following to be considered for acceptance:

- A letter of appeal to the Admissions Review Committee that requests probationary acceptance to MBU. This letter should focus on academic and leadership achievements that your test scores and/or transcripts may not clearly indicate.
- Freshmen students who have a composite score less than 20 on the ACT or 950 on the SAT (math and critical reading sections only) are required to submit a second ACT or SAT score. For your convenience, we offer a residual ACT test on campus in our testing center. Please call our testing center at 314.434.1115 for more information.