APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Creighton University's International Admissions Committee will only review complete applications. Applicants must fill out this application accurately and attach or send all the required information and documents. Any missing information will delay the process. A completed Certification of Available Finances is required before the I-20 can be issued.

Priority Deadline: March 1st is the priority deadline for all applicants who want to be considered for a freshman scholarship beginning in the Fall Semester. September 1st is the priority deadline for all applicants who want to be considered for a freshman scholarship beginning in the Spring Semester.

Criteria for Admission

Academic Records

Freshman Applicants – Applications are reviewed on the basis of a comprehensive review of transcripts supporting a solid high school curriculum, standardized test scores, counselor’s evaluation or recommendations, and a statement of purpose. Advanced credit may be awarded to students who have attained certain scores on the AP, IB, GCE “A” levels, and CLEP.

Students in good academic standing at another accredited university, college or junior college may apply for admission to Creighton University as transfer students. All university-level work attempted and high school academic records are considered for admission. The equivalent of a U.S. overall grade point average of 2.75 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher is recommended for acceptance.

Returning students – former Creighton University students – need to reapply but need not send duplicates of previously submitted records and fees. Students who have attended other universities since leaving Creighton must have their official transcripts from those institutions sent to Creighton. Upon receipt, official scores will be evaluated and credits awarded based upon the recommendation of the pertinent department or college.

Evidence of English Language Proficiency

Applicants must submit TOEFL scores if their native language is not English or if they have not graduated from a high school where English was the language of instruction. A minimum TOEFL score of 80 IBT (or 550 PBT/213 CBT) is required. Students must ask the testing agency to send original TOEFL scores to Creighton University. The Institutional Code for Creighton University is 6121. Official results of other standardized English tests such as the Cambridge International English Language Testing System (IELTS) may be submitted in lieu of the TOEFL test.

Certification of Available Finances

All applicants are required by the U.S. Government to certify that they can provide adequate funding to cover the cost of a U.S. education. Final admission to Creighton University cannot be authorized and an I-20 issued until the Office of International Programs verifies the applicant's complete Certification of Available Finances.
## APPLICATION CHECKLIST

A complete application consists of the following:

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<td>See pages 3-5.</td>
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<td>$40 non-refundable application fee</td>
<td>Make your check payable to: &quot;Creighton University&quot;.</td>
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<td>Counselor evaluation</td>
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<td>Certification of Available Finances and official bank letter on bank letterhead or a copy of a bank statement</td>
<td>Complete form with accurate figures, names, stamps (if applicable), and signatures.</td>
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<td>SAT or ACT scores</td>
<td>Required of freshman applicants who do not need to present a TOEFL score. The testing agency must send results directly to Creighton. Creighton’s SAT code is 6121; Creighton’s ACT code number is 2444.</td>
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<td>Certificates, diplomas, or examination results marking completion of secondary education or preparation for higher education</td>
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## FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Creighton University offers eligible freshmen Matteo Ricci academic scholarships. Transfer students, returning students, and permanent residents are not eligible to receive the Ricci scholarships. Criteria for the awards include excellent academic records and F-1 visa status. To have their scholarships renewed after their first year, recipients should maintain a pre-determined grade point average and maintain their F-1 visa classification. Applicants interested in competing for these scholarships must submit their complete application for admission on or before March 1st, the priority deadline for Fall Semester admission, and on or before September 1st, the priority deadline for Spring Semester admission.
CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY
Undergraduate Application for International Students
(Non-U.S. Citizens, Non-Permanent Residents)

I am applying as a: □ Freshman □ Transfer □ Returning
For term beginning: ________ (Year) □ First Semester (Aug.) □ Second Semester (Jan.) □ Summer Semester

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name
Family (Last) Name (exactly as it appears in your passport) ____________________________
Given (First) Name ____________________________ Middle Name ____________________________
Social Security Number (if available) ____________________________ Date of Birth ________ / ________ / ________ Male □ Female □
Marital Status □ Single □ Married Native Language ____________________________
If you already have a visa to enter/be in the U.S., write your visa type here ____________________________ E-mail Address ____________________________
Permanent Address ____________________________
Number/Street ____________________________ City ____________________________ State/Province ____________________________ Postal Zip Code ____________________________
Country ____________________________ Cellular Phone ____________________________ Telephone ____________________________ Fax ____________________________
Current Address (if different from above) ____________________________
Number/Street ____________________________ City ____________________________ State/Postal Code ____________________________
Telephone ____________________________ Fax ____________________________
Country ____________________________ Cellular Phone ____________________________ Telephone ____________________________ Fax ____________________________
Country of Birth ____________________________ Country of Citizenship ____________________________ Country of Residence ____________________________

To what address should your new I-20 be mailed? □ Permanent Address □ Current Address □ Other
If other, please write here ____________________________
What is your religious affiliation? (This information is used to better serve your religious needs while at Creighton.)
□ Baptist □ Episcopal □ Jewish □ Methodist □ Presbyterian □ Other ( Specify)
□ Buddhist □ Hindu □ Lutheran □ Muslim □ Roman Catholic ____________________________

COLLEGE AND MAJOR INFORMATION

Indicate the undergraduate college or school to which you are applying and your intended major. A complete list of majors appears on page 6 of this Application. If you are unsure of your intended major, state "Undecided". Please choose only one.
□ COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES Major ____________________________
□ COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Major ____________________________
□ SCHOOL OF NURSING

PRE-PROFESSIONAL STUDY

Indicate the Pre-Professional track of study you intend to pursue, if applicable. Note: Pre-Professional studies are not majors – an intended major or "Undecided" must be identified in one of the undergraduate colleges or school listed above.
□ Pre-Dentistry □ Pre-Law □ Pre-Medicine □ Pre-Occupational Therapy □ Pre-Pharmacy □ Pre-Physical Therapy

HIGH SCHOOL/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Beginning with the most recent, list every high school, college or university you have attended. Official transcripts from each high school and college or university must be submitted. Returning students should include dates of past enrollment at Creighton and at each university attended after Creighton.
School Name ____________________________ City/State/Country ____________________________ Dates Attended From (Mo/Yr) To (Mo/Yr) Date of Graduation ____________________________
**TRANSFER STUDENTS**

Are you presently enrolled in a college or university?  □ No  □ Yes  If yes, where?  

Are you in good standing and eligible to return to all colleges or universities previously attended?  □ Yes  □ No  

If not, explain  

When you enroll at Creighton, how many college credit hours will you have completed?  

Why have you chosen to apply to Creighton? You may attach a separate sheet or sheets.  

**STANDARDIZED TESTING**

List all dates on which you took or are planning to take the following standardized tests. Write the scores, if available, and circle Y (yes) or N (no):

**ACT**

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**ENGLISH LANGUAGE ABILITY**

A minimum TOEFL score of 80 (internet-based test), 550 (paper-based test) or 213 (computer-based test) is required if your native language is not English or if you have not attended a school where the language of instruction was English.

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**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Father's Name  

Mother's Name  

Guardian's Name (If not mother or father)  

If not living with both, with which parent do you live most of the time?  

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The Statement of Purpose gives you an opportunity to present yourself in a way that your Admissions Application, high school transcript and test scores cannot. It tells us about you as a person and what you will bring to Creighton University. It's also an excellent way for you to express your creativity, imagination, writing and organizational skills. Tell us about your background and your academic and career aspirations.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Have you been dismissed from a college, university or high school for academic or disciplinary reasons? □ No □ Yes

Have you ever been convicted of a felony offense? ______________________

If the answer is "yes" to either question, please explain, including date, circumstances, present status. You may attach a separate sheet or sheets.

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AUTHORIZATION

I certify that the information on this application is accurate and complete, I acknowledge that any omission or inaccurate information could jeopardize my standing with Creighton University.

Signature of applicant ___________________________________________ Date ___________________________________
ACADEMIC MAJORS

College of Arts and Sciences
American Studies
Anthropology
Art
   Art History
   Studio Art
Athletic Training Education
Atmospheric Sciences
Applied Meteorology
   Graduate & Research Preparation
Biology
Chemistry
Classical & Near Eastern Civilizations
   Greek
   Latin
   Latin - Teaching
Communications
   Applied Communications
   Corporate Communications
   Organizational Communications
Computer Science
   Applied Computer Science
Economics
Education
   Elementary Education
   Special Education K-6
   Secondary Education (co-major in teaching field)
   Special Education 7-12
   * Emergency Medical Services
   English
      Creative Writing
      Irish Literature
Environmental Science
   Global Environmental Systems
   Environmental Pollution
   Organismal/Population Ecology
   Environmental Policy & Society
Exercise Science
French
German
Graphic Design
Health Administration & Policy
History
   International Relations
   International Studies
   Journalism & Mass Communication
   News
   Public Relations
   Advertising
   Visual Communications
   Digital Video
Justice & Society
Mathematics
   Applied Mathematics
   Medical Mathematics
   Mathematics/Computer Science
Music
Native American Studies
Philosophy
   History
   Problems
Physics
   Applied Physics
   Health Science Program
   2-2 Cooperative Engineering Program
Political Science
   International Studies
   Public Policy
   Legal Studies
Psychology
Social Work
Sociology
Spanish
Theater
Theology

Pre-Professional Tracks of Study
Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Occupational Therapy
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy

Students in the College of Arts and Sciences may satisfy many of the pre-professional course requirements for professional education in architecture, dietetics, library science, mortuary science, optometry, osteopathy, veterinary medicine, etc. within the undergraduate majors listed above. Consult the catalogs of the professional schools in which you are interested to identify the entrance requirements. Creighton offers professional schools in Medicine, Dentistry, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, and Law.

* Emergency Medical Services degree awarded by University College.

College of Business Administration
Accounting
Economics
Finance
International Business
Management Information Systems
Marketing
Pre-Legal Education

Creighton University School of Nursing
Bachelor of Science of Nursing (BSN)
COUNSELOR EVALUATION
To be completed by High School Counselor
Required for all freshmen and transfers who have been out of high school for 2 years or less.

I hereby waive all access to the information on this evaluation:

Signature of Applicant ___________________________ Date ___________

NOTE TO HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR
Please complete this form and send with an official transcript,
a certified translation (if in a language other than English),
your high school profile, and grading scale to:
Creston University
Office of International Programs
2500 California Plaza
Omaha, Nebraska 68178-0306

Applicant's Name ___________________________ Social Security Number ___________

Applicant's Address ___________________________ City/State/Zip ___________________________

High School Name ___________________________

High School Address ___________________________ Number/Street ___________________________ City/State/Zip ___________________________

We do not rank □ This student ranks □ exactly □ approximately _______ from the top of a class numbering _______ students.

This rank covers the period from ___________ to ___________. Rank is based on □ all subjects □ academics only.

Cumulative grade point average of student is _______ on a ___________ scale.

How long have you known this student? _______ In what capacity? ___________

Please send us a profile of your high school/university and an explanation of grade distribution if available.

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Please evaluate this applicant based on academic performance, consistency and potential. Personal characteristics are of interest as they relate to applicant's academic ability and potential to succeed at Creighton. Include any special circumstances relevant to this student's application. Please avoid listing the student's extracurricular activities as they are listed elsewhere in the application. You may attach a separate sheet.

*Teacher recommendations are also welcome. Please attach a separate sheet for teacher recommendations.*

Counselor's Name and Title (Please print) ____________________________________________

High School ________________________________ CEEB Code Number ___________________

High School Address ____________________________ Phone ( ) _________________________

Signature ____________________________________________________________

Thank you for your time and professional judgement in evaluating this applicant.

Creighton

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