



# Transfer application packet 2010

## IS THIS APPLICATION THE RIGHT ONE FOR YOU?

### This application is for:

Applicants to Ohio State's Columbus campus or regional campuses in Lima, Mansfield, Marion, or Newark who have attended or are attending a college or university after graduating from high school.

### Do not use this application to:

### Instead, you should:

change from one Ohio State campus to another	contact your academic advisor
apply to the Agricultural Technical Institute in Wooster	visit <a href="http://atiadmissions.org">atiadmissions.org</a> for an ATI application
apply as an international transfer student	visit <a href="http://apply.osu.edu">apply.osu.edu</a> to apply online or contact Undergraduate Admissions and First Year Experience for an international application (see contact information on page 14)
apply for non-degree enrollment	contact Continuing Education if you wish to take courses for personal or professional enrichment or as prerequisites to another program (see contact information on page 14)
apply as a post-secondary student	visit <a href="http://undergrad.osu.edu/academy">undergrad.osu.edu/academy</a> to download The Ohio State University Academy application if you are a high school student wishing to take Ohio State classes
apply to baccalaureate professional programs such as nursing, dental hygiene, or allied medical professions	visit <a href="http://professional.osu.edu">professional.osu.edu</a> for further information
apply as a returning student	contact your previous college of enrollment

## ADMISSIONS APPLICATION DEADLINES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

Quarter	Columbus campus	Regional campuses and ATI
Winter 2010 (January)	November 1, 2009	November 1, 2009
Spring 2010 (March)	February 1, 2010	February 1, 2010
Summer 2010 (June)	May 1, 2010	May 1, 2010
Autumn 2010 (September)	June 1, 2010	July 1, 2010

### Notes:

- Financial aid deadlines are often well in advance of admissions application deadlines. See financial aid priority deadlines listed on page 5.
- Application deadlines subject to change without prior notice.

Although updated at time of publication, all information is subject to change without notice.

## APPLYING FOR ADMISSION: APPLICATION CHECKLIST

**To be considered for admission to Ohio State, you must submit the following materials by the deadline (see application deadlines on page 1) to:  
Undergraduate Admissions, Enarson Hall, 154 W. 12th Ave., Columbus, OH, 43210**

- Completed and signed application form (see pages 11–13 or online at [apply.osu.edu](http://apply.osu.edu))
- \$40 nonrefundable application fee (check or money order made payable to The Ohio State University); if you apply online, you may pay by credit card or electronic check
- Personal statement (required for students whose academic records include interruptions in education; optional for others)
- Official transcript from each college or university you have attended (official transcripts must be sent directly from your college; no faxed transcripts will be accepted)

**Send transcripts to:** Undergraduate Admissions and First Year Experience, Enarson Hall, 154 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

- Official transcript of your high school course work (official transcripts have either an embossed seal or signature of a certifying official from your school; no faxed transcripts will be accepted)

You do not need to submit a high school transcript if you:

- have completed at least 45 quarter or 30 semester hours of college-level courses, or
- are applying to a regional campus and graduated from high school before April 1, 1984, or
- are applying to the Agricultural Technical Institute (ATI) for the Associate of Applied Science degree program

**Send transcripts to:** Undergraduate Admissions and First Year Experience, Enarson Hall, 154 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

- Official ACT or SAT scores (only ACT and SAT scores sent from the testing agency are accepted; scores from transcripts are not used); Ohio State college codes: ACT = 3312, SAT = 1592

You are not required to submit scores if you:

- have completed at least 45 quarter or 30 semester hours of college-level courses since graduating from high school, or
- are applying to a regional campus, or
- graduated from high school two or more years prior to your first quarter of planned enrollment at Ohio State

### **Additional requirements:**

- Ohio State requires that you receive a high school diploma from a chartered high school or GED to enroll.
- If you have completed any course work at a school outside of the U.S.*, you must submit an official transcript from that institution. Foreign language documents must be translated into English by the issuing institution, an authorized translator, or a teacher of the language.
- If English is not your native language*, you must submit a score of:
  - 527 or higher on the paper-based TOEFL, 197 or higher on the computer-based TOEFL, or 71 or higher on the Internet-based TOEFL
  - 79 or higher on the MELAB
  - 6.5 or higher on the IELTS
  - 21 or higher on the English section of the ACT, or
  - 500 or higher on the Critical Reading section of the SAT

Contact Undergraduate Admissions if you have any questions (see contact information on page 14).

**Note: All admission credentials become the property of The Ohio State University.**

## ADMISSION AS A TRANSFER STUDENT

Your academic record will be reviewed to determine your eligibility for admission to the university. Non-academic factors may also be considered if:

- you have demonstrated outstanding talent in a particular area
- you have significant work experience
- your academic performance may have been affected by physical, mental, or learning environment factors
- you are eligible for organized support services at Ohio State

### **Admission to the university:**

If you are applying to the Columbus campus and:

- you have earned at least 45 quarter or 30 semester hours after high school graduation, you will be considered for admission on a competitive basis.
- you have earned 1 to 44 quarter or 1 to 29 semester hours, we will review your academic performance in college and high school and your performance on the ACT or SAT to determine your eligibility for admission. Admission is competitive. Please see page 2 for more information regarding the ACT/SAT requirement.
- you are currently enrolled in your first term of college, both your academic performance in high school and your performance on the ACT or SAT will determine your eligibility for admission. Admission is competitive. Please see page 2 for more information regarding the ACT/SAT requirement.

If you are applying to a regional campus and:

- you have earned at least a 2.0 GPA (on a 4.0 scale) on your college course work, we will review your academic performance in college to determine your eligibility for admission.

## ENROLLMENT IN YOUR INTENDED MAJOR

If it is determined that you are eligible for admission to the university, your academic record will be reviewed for enrollment to your major program. Some colleges and schools have requirements in addition to admission to the university, including criteria for GPA, earned hours, prerequisite course work, and/or an audition or portfolio—see "College enrollment criteria" on page 4 for more information.

- If you have applied for admission to a major that has additional criteria and you are not yet eligible for enrollment in that major, you will begin your studies at Ohio State in a pre-major program in your intended college or in the Exploration program. Enrollment in a pre-major program does not guarantee admission to your intended major program.
- While enrolled in a pre-major program, you will be assigned an academic advisor who will assist you in meeting your general education requirements and advise you on completing appropriate prerequisites for your intended major.
- If you are undecided about your major program, you will begin in the Exploration program, where you can explore available majors and careers while completing general education requirements. Advisors will help you navigate the opportunities at Ohio State, weighing your academic and career goals, interests, and strengths.

If you are interested in an advanced degree in dentistry, education, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, or veterinary medicine, check the appropriate box in question 21 on the application form.

**Note:** All criteria and standards are subject to change. A minimum grade of "C-" (or the equivalent) is required to transfer prerequisite courses mentioned in this section.

## TRANSFER CREDIT POLICY

Course credit will transfer to Ohio State if the course was taken at a regionally accredited institution, the course was non-remedial, and you received a C- or better. In a few cases, a D or D+ may transfer—read about this and other transfer credit policies at [www.ureg.ohio-state.edu/ourweb/Transfer\\_Credit/tcpolicy.html#V](http://www.ureg.ohio-state.edu/ourweb/Transfer_Credit/tcpolicy.html#V).

## COLLEGE ENROLLMENT CRITERIA

**Allied Medical Professions (AMP):** Direct admission to AMP programs requires a separate application. Admitted transfer students enroll in AMP as pre-majors. [amp.osu.edu](http://amp.osu.edu)

**Architecture (AHR):** Transfer students directly enroll in AHR. Those interested in city and regional planning enroll as majors. Those who pass a portfolio review and have completed prerequisite course work enroll as majors in architecture or landscape architecture; others enroll as pre-majors. [knowlton.osu.edu](http://knowlton.osu.edu)

**Arts (ART):** Transfer students directly enroll in ART as pre-majors. Students who successfully pass a portfolio review in art, art education, or design, or who pass an audition in dance or music, are subsequently admitted to the major. [arts.osu.edu](http://arts.osu.edu)

**Arts and Sciences Interdisciplinary Programs:** Transfer students in globalization studies, international studies, and film studies enroll as majors. Transfer students in middle childhood education enroll as pre-majors and apply to the major after completing 45 hours at Ohio State. [artsandsciences.osu.edu](http://artsandsciences.osu.edu)

**Biological Sciences (BIO):** Transfer students directly enroll in BIO. [biosci.osu.edu](http://biosci.osu.edu)

**Business (BUS):** Transfer students with at least a 3.0 GPA on all previous college course work enroll as pre-majors in the Fisher College of Business. Pre-major students enroll in business foundation courses that are required to apply for admission to the business administration major. Student are eligible to apply to the major once these foundation courses have been satisfactorily completed and the required GPA has been met. Currently the minimum GPA required for admission to the business administration major is 3.0 based on all grades earned at all previous institutions as well as Ohio State. Students with less than a 3.0 GPA enroll in the Management and Industry Exploration program to consider alternative majors. [fisher.osu.edu](http://fisher.osu.edu)

**Dental Hygiene (DHY):** Direct admission to the DHY major requires a separate application. Transfer students with fewer than 45 hours directly enroll in DHY as pre-majors. Transfer students with more than 45 hours are considered for direct enrollment as a pre-major on an individual basis. Students not directly enrolled in DHY enroll in the Health Professions Exploration program. [dent.osu.edu/dhy](http://dent.osu.edu/dhy)

**Education and Human Ecology (EHE):** Transfer students directly enroll in EHE as pre-majors. Admission to majors varies by program. [ehe.osu.edu](http://ehe.osu.edu)

**Engineering (ENG):** Transfer students with 45 or more transferable hours of non-technical course work with at least a 2.8 GPA and credit for at least one calculus course directly enroll in ENG as pre-majors (students may not enroll as undeclared majors). Students with fewer than 45 hours who have an ACT math score of 24 or higher or an SAT math score of 560 or higher directly enroll in ENG as pre-majors. Students who do not directly enroll in ENG enroll in the Science and Technology Exploration program. [engineering.osu.edu](http://engineering.osu.edu)

**Environment and Natural Resources (ENR):** Transfer students directly enroll in ENR. [senr.osu.edu](http://senr.osu.edu)

**Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (AGR):** Transfer students directly enroll in AGR. Those interested in studying professional golf management enroll as pre-majors. [cfaes.osu.edu](http://cfaes.osu.edu)

**Humanities (HUM):** Transfer students directly enroll in HUM. [humanities.osu.edu](http://humanities.osu.edu)

**Mathematical and Physical Sciences (MPS):** Transfer students directly enroll in MPS. [mps.osu.edu](http://mps.osu.edu)

**Nursing (NUR):** Enrollment to the NUR major requires a separate application. Transfer students with at least 30 hours and a 3.0 GPA are enrolled as pre-nursing. Transfer students with at least 45 hours, a 2.75 GPA, and an associate degree in nursing are enrolled in the pre-nursing degree completion program. All others must enroll in the Health Professions Exploration program to consider alternative majors. [nursing.osu.edu](http://nursing.osu.edu)

**Pharmacy (PHR):** Transfer students with 45 hours of credit and at least a 2.7 GPA who have completed the Ohio State equivalents of Biology 113 and 114; Chemistry 121, 122, and 123; and Math 150, 151, and 152 directly enroll in PHR. Students not directly enrolled in PHR enroll in the Health Professions Exploration program. [pharmacy.osu.edu](http://pharmacy.osu.edu)

**Social and Behavioral Sciences (SBS):** Transfer students in political science directly enroll in the major. All other transfer students in SBS directly enroll in the college as pre-majors. [sbs.osu.edu](http://sbs.osu.edu)

**Social Work (SWK):** Transfer students directly enroll as pre-majors in SWK. Admission to the social work major requires a separate application. [csw.osu.edu](http://csw.osu.edu)

### Not sure what you want to study?

Enroll in an exploration area:

- Health Professions Exploration
- Management and Industry Exploration
- Science and Technology Exploration
- Undecided/Exploring

For more information, visit [exploration.osu.edu](http://exploration.osu.edu).

**Note:** Programs and criteria are subject to change without notice.

## WHAT HAPPENS AFTER I APPLY?

### Once we receive your application:

- Within two weeks, you will receive acknowledgment that your application form was received. You will be given an OSU ID and instructions for monitoring the status of your application.
- Within approximately 10 to 12 weeks (and not before December for those applying to begin in summer or fall quarters), your online application status will reflect one of the following admissions decisions:

**Admit** – Congratulations! You have been admitted to Ohio State. A transfer credit evaluation is on the way.

**Denial** – At this time, you do not meet our admissions requirements. To be considered for another quarter, you may wish to remain enrolled at your current college or university and improve your academic record. If you are not currently enrolled, you may wish to enroll at another college or university and improve your academic profile. In both cases, you will need to contact us to update your application for a future quarter.

### After you have been admitted:

- You will be mailed an Acceptance Fee Statement requesting a \$100 nonrefundable fee to confirm your enrollment.
- If you choose not to attend Ohio State during the quarter for which you have applied, you must notify Undergraduate Admissions (see application deadlines on page 1, and contact information on page 14).

### Attending an orientation session:

- You are required to attend a transfer student orientation session prior to the start of classes. During this program, you will take any necessary placement tests (English, math, and/or foreign language) and work with an academic advisor to schedule courses. You will be contacted by the Orientation office regarding dates, time, and location.

### Living on campus:

- Columbus campus transfer students are not required to live on campus. If you request campus housing on your application, you will receive information after receiving your notice of admission. Please note campus housing is offered on a space-available basis. For more information about campus living, visit [housing.osu.edu](http://housing.osu.edu). For more information about off-campus living resources, visit [offcampus.osu.edu](http://offcampus.osu.edu).
- University housing is available at some Ohio State regional campuses and at ATI. Visit [housing.osu.edu](http://housing.osu.edu) for information.

## Priority dates for financial aid (all campuses)

For winter or spring quarter 2010 (2009–2010 FAFSA)	June 25, 2009*
For summer or autumn quarter 2010 (2010–2011 FAFSA)	June 25, 2010*

**\*The deadline to apply for special-eligibility scholarships is March 1, 2010. To view the scholarships and apply, visit [sfa.osu.edu/scholarships](http://sfa.osu.edu/scholarships).**

For first consideration for all aid, including university-administered aid programs, complete the application for admission and the FAFSA by the priority deadline date shown above. **Eligible students who apply after the above dates will still be awarded aid from federal and state grant programs as well as the Federal Direct Stafford Loan program.**

## FINANCING YOUR OHIO STATE EDUCATION

### Financial aid philosophy:

- Financial aid is available to help meet the difference between the cost of attending Ohio State and the funds available from you and your family (defined as “financial need”).
- Like most colleges and universities, Ohio State supports the federal government’s position that parents and students have the primary responsibility for financing a student’s college education.
- Students who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents may apply for federal and institutional financial aid. If you have questions about your eligibility, please contact the Office of Student Financial Aid (see contact information on page 14).

### Financial aid comes in several different forms. Your financial aid package may include one or more of the following aid programs to help finance your education:

- Merit-based scholarships, given to students as a reward for special academic, athletic, or other talents
- Need-based scholarships, grants, loans, and work-study, given to students who show financial need
- Non-need-based loans
- Institutional financial aid, funded by the university

### Application checklist for financial aid:

- Submit the *Application for Transfer Admission* by your priority date (see deadlines on page 1).
- Submit the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)* by your priority date (see deadlines below). Ohio State’s Title IV code to be used on the FAFSA is 003090. You may file either the paper FAFSA or the FAFSA on the Web.
- To apply for special-eligibility scholarships and cooperative scholarship housing, complete the *Application for Special Scholarships*, available at [sfa.osu.edu/scholarships](http://sfa.osu.edu/scholarships), by the priority deadline (see below).
- Keep photocopies of the admissions application, the FAFSA, and all IRS tax forms used to complete those applications. Many applicants will need to submit 2009 tax forms to the Office of Student Financial Aid.
- You will receive a *Student Aid Report (SAR)* in four to six weeks. If you need to correct your FAFSA data, submit corrections, a letter explaining the corrections, and supporting documentation (e.g., copy of federal tax forms if correcting income-related figures) directly to the Office of Student Financial Aid. The review generally takes two to three weeks.

- Notifications of financial aid eligibility are issued beginning in May for students who apply early for autumn quarter aid. If you apply by the priority deadline, you will receive this notification no later than August 1. Follow the instructions in the *Award Letter Information Guide* to finalize and receive your financial aid awards.

## FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE AT OHIO STATE

Ohio State offers four types of financial aid: scholarships, grants, loans, and work-study. Read about many of the options for transfer students below. To learn more about financial aid at Ohio State, visit [sfa.osu.edu](http://sfa.osu.edu).

### Scholarships

*Scholarships are gift aid based on academic merit, special talents, leadership accomplishments, and/or financial need. Scholarships are also awarded to facilitate access for underserved populations. Repayment is not required. Unless otherwise noted, the FAFSA is recommended but not required; Ohio State's FAFSA deadlines for transfer students are listed on page 5).*

#### Cooperative Scholarship Housing programs

The Office of Student Financial Aid awards two cooperative scholarship housing opportunities on the basis of academic merit and demonstrated financial need: the Stadium Scholarship Program (for men and women) and the Alumnae Scholarship Program (for women only). Students who accept these awards agree to participate in governing, managing, or maintaining their residence halls in exchange for a reduced cost of living on campus.

Columbus campus applicants admitted for autumn quarter are considered for this program if they do the following:

1. Submit the FAFSA by the priority deadline (see page 4).
2. Complete the *Application for Special Scholarships*, available at [sfa.osu.edu/scholarships](http://sfa.osu.edu/scholarships), by the priority deadline, and indicate interest in cooperative scholarship housing programs.
3. Indicate interest in cooperative scholarship housing on their housing contracts.

Find out more about the Stadium Scholarship Program at [ssp.osu.edu](http://ssp.osu.edu) and the Alumnae Scholarship Program at [housing.osu.edu](http://housing.osu.edu).

#### Special-eligibility scholarships

##### Require additional online application

The university administers hundreds of scholarships with specific eligibility requirements. **To explore the searchable database of these less-publicized awards—and to complete the additional application—go to [sfa.osu.edu/scholarships](http://sfa.osu.edu/scholarships).** Click “Applying for Special Scholarships” then “Application for Special Scholarships.”

#### Departmental scholarships

If you are interested in a particular major, you may contact your college of interest for scholarship availability and deadline dates. (See departmental listing on Ohio State's web site at [osu.edu/academics/a-z.php](http://osu.edu/academics/a-z.php)).

### Grants

*Grants are gift aid—based primarily on need—available through the federal and state governments or through Ohio State. The FAFSA is required.*

#### Federal Pell Grant

The Federal Pell Grant is a need-based grant offered by the federal government directly to the student. The maximum award for 2009–2010 was \$5,350. Each student's award amount is determined on the basis of family financial circumstances and cost of attendance.

The Department of Education sends each applicant a *Student Aid Report (SAR)* approximately four weeks after the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)* is filed. Applicants should review the SAR to ensure that all information is correct. Any corrections to the SAR should be submitted to the Office of Student Financial Aid at Ohio State with the corrections indicated on the form and documentation attached. The Department of Education will notify Ohio State of an applicant's eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant.

#### Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)

The FSEOG is a federal grant administered by the Office of Student Financial Aid and awarded to undergraduates with exceptional financial need as determined by the institution. Priority is given to Federal Pell Grant recipients. Eligibility is indicated in an applicant's financial aid award letter.

#### State Grant Programs

*If you are eligible for a grant from the State of Ohio, you will be awarded one of the following grants:*

##### Ohio College Opportunity Grant (OCOG)

The Ohio College Opportunity Grant is need-based gift assistance funded and awarded by the State of Ohio to students who are Ohio residents enrolled in undergraduate programs leading to an associate or first baccalaureate degree. Eligibility is based on information reported on the FAFSA. In 2009–2010, the maximum award for attendance at a public institution was \$336 per term. The Ohio Board of Regents will notify Ohio State of an applicant's eligibility.

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## Loans

*Federal loans allow students or their families to borrow money at low interest rates. The FAFSA is required.*

### **Federal Perkins Loan**

The Federal Perkins Loan is a need-based, university-administered federal loan with an interest rate of 5 percent. No interest accrues while the student is enrolled at least half-time. Repayment begins nine months after graduation or withdrawal. Students are considered for the Federal Perkins Loan on the basis of their FAFSA. Eligibility is indicated in an applicant's financial aid award letter.

### **Federal Direct Stafford Loan Program**

The following loan programs are awarded by the Office of Student Financial Aid to students on the basis of their FAFSA. If eligible, applicants will be informed in the financial aid award letter.

#### *Federal Direct Subsidized Loan*

This is a need-based federal loan at a fixed 4.5 percent rate for loans first disbursed on or after July 1, 2010. (Recent regulation changes have created interest rate reductions on Federal Direct Subsidized Loans made to undergraduate students over a four-year period beginning July 1, 2008. For more information, visit [sfa.osu.edu/loans](http://sfa.osu.edu/loans), click on the "Stafford" tab, and scroll down to "Repayment Terms.") The government pays the interest on the loan while the student is enrolled at least half-time and repayment begins six months after graduation or withdrawal. The maximum subsidized loan is \$3,500 for dependent freshmen.

#### *Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan*

This is a non-need-based federal loan at a fixed 6.8 percent interest rate. The student is responsible for paying the interest while enrolled but may choose to defer the interest payment. Repayment begins six months after graduation or withdrawal. The maximum for any combination of subsidized and unsubsidized loans is \$3,500 for dependent students at the freshman level.

### *Federal Direct Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS)*

The PLUS is a federal loan borrowed by the parent on behalf of a dependent student. The interest rate is a fixed 7.9 percent for loans first disbursed on or after July 1, 2006. Interest is not subsidized and repayment begins 60 days after the loan is fully disbursed. Parent borrowers may be eligible to defer repayment on Parent PLUS loans made on or after July 1, 2008. Parents may borrow up to the cost of attendance as determined by the university, minus any other financial aid for which the student may be eligible.

## **Work-study**

*Work programs allow students to earn money to help with their educational expenses. The FAFSA is required.*

### **Federal Work-Study (FWS)**

FWS is a need-based federal program that provides jobs for eligible students. If awarded FWS, students will be referred to an employer on or off campus to earn the amount of their FWS award. Funds are disbursed bi-weekly on the basis of hours worked. Students are considered for Federal Work-Study on the basis of their FAFSA. Eligibility is indicated in an applicant's financial aid award letter.

## FEES, EXPENSES, AND RESIDENCY INFORMATION

### Estimated college costs for 2008–2009

The estimated yearly costs for enrollment at Ohio State are as follows. Note that tuition includes instructional and general fees, and that part-time fees are not fixed per credit but on a sliding scale.

Residency status	Location	Full-time (12 hours and above)
Ohio residents	Columbus campus	\$8,706 <sup>1</sup>
	Regional campuses	\$5,661
	ATI	\$5,859
Nonresidents of Ohio	Columbus campus	\$22,278 <sup>1</sup>
	Regional campuses	\$19,233
	ATI	\$19,431
Room and board (average room rate with dining plan)	Columbus campus	\$8,409

Students enrolling at any college or university should anticipate additional expenses (see “Cost-of-living expenses,” below). These expenses are considered when financial aid awards are made; see [sfa.osu.edu/awardguide](http://sfa.osu.edu/awardguide) to learn more.

<sup>1</sup> *Tuition and fees may vary by major, college, and area of study. The university reserves the right to assess fees for special services and programs applicable to students.*

### Cost-of-living expenses

Please note that in attending any university, you will need to allow for other expenses, such as health insurance, books, and supplies, as well as transportation, long-distance telephone calls, recreation, and other personal needs.

- Student health insurance costs approximately \$515 per quarter for individual coverage and is required for students not already covered by another insurance plan and international students.
- The cost for books and supplies for one year is estimated to be \$1,440. This cost will vary depending on your course load and major.
- Parking permits are required to park on the Columbus campus. For information, visit Transportation & Parking Services at [tp.osu.edu](http://tp.osu.edu) or call (614) 292-9341 (1-877-OSU-PARK toll-free).

For more information on miscellaneous expenses, please call the Office of Student Financial Aid (see contact information on page 14).

### Tuition Option Payment Plan (TOPP)

The TOPP program allows students and their families to split the cost of tuition, housing, and optional fees into multiple payments per quarter. Visit [financialservices.ohio-state.edu](http://financialservices.ohio-state.edu) or call (614) 292-3337 for more information.

### Residency

You will be assessed a surcharge if you are classified as a nonresident. Listed below are some general residency guidelines.

**Ohio residents.** You may be considered a resident if:

- you are dependent upon a parent or legal guardian who has been an Ohio resident for 12 months, or
- you have been a resident of Ohio for 12 months and have not received financial support from outside the state, or
- you are dependent upon a parent or legal guardian, or are the spouse of a person who has accepted full-time employment and established a home in Ohio for reasons other than gaining the benefit of favorable tuition rates.

**Conditional residency.** You may qualify for “conditional” residency if you are an undergraduate who is employed on a full-time or part-time and self-sustaining basis in Ohio and pursuing a part-time program of instruction (11 credit hours or less). Part-time enrollment may affect your eligibility for financial aid, however, and you should contact Student Financial Aid to determine your best option (see contact information on page 14).

**Selective Service registration.** Ohio law requires male students between the ages of 18 and 26 to be registered with the Selective Service System, unless they are on active duty with the armed forces of the United States or legally excluded. Residents who are not registered are required to pay the nonresident surcharge as required by Ohio law. Register with Selective Service within 30 days after your 18th birthday at any U.S. post office.

For more information about residency, please contact the University Registrar (see contact information on page 14).

## AREAS OF STUDY

Use this list to find your intended area of study, then write the major name and major code in question 19 of the application form (see page 13).

Example:

### Major name

Actuarial Science

### Major code

A C T S C I    - B S

1. **If you know what you want to study**, select a specific major from the list (e.g., Accounting, Biochemistry, etc.).
2. **If you have a good idea of your area of interest** but haven't determined a major, see if your interest has an "undecided" or "exploring" option (e.g., Humanities, Undecided or Agriculture, Exploring). You'll find those options marked with a \*.
3. **If you don't know what you want to study**, select an option from "Exploration areas" on page 11.

Undecided and exploring areas are not majors, but they're good places to start when you need advising support and the flexibility to explore Ohio State's degree programs.

### Notes:

- Visit [majors.osu.edu](http://majors.osu.edu) to learn more about areas of study available at Ohio State, or if you don't see your intended area of study in the following list. On the site you'll find a list of alternate names for majors and non-major specializations.
- If you're interested in a post-baccalaureate program, including dentistry, education/teacher licensure, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, or veterinary medicine, please mark the appropriate box in question 20 of the application.
- Programs are subject to change.

Each major is followed by a code for its college or school. For a complete list of Ohio State's colleges and schools, visit [osu.edu/academics/a-z.php](http://osu.edu/academics/a-z.php).

UAGR = Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

UAHR = Architecture

UAMP = Allied Medical Professions

UART = Arts

UASC = Arts and Sciences

UBIO = Biological Sciences

UBUS = Business

UDHY = Dental Hygiene

UEHE = Education and Human Ecology

UENG = Engineering

UENR = Environment and Natural Resources

UHUM = Humanities

UMPS = Mathematical and Physical Sciences

UNURP = Nursing

UPHR = Pharmacy

USBS = Social and Behavioral Sciences

USWK = Social Work

Major name	Major code	College
Accounting	ACCTING-BS	UBUS
Actuarial Science	ACTSCI-BS	UMPS
Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering	AAE-PRE	UENG
African American and African Studies	AFAMAST-BA	UHUM
Agribusiness and Applied Economics	AGBUSAE-BS	UAGR
Agricultural and Extension Education	AGREDUC-BS	UAGR
Agricultural Communication	AGRCOMM-BS	UAGR
Agricultural Systems Management	AGMSYS-BS	UAGR
Agriculture, Exploring*	EXPAGR-PRE	UAGR
Allied Medical Professions, Undecided*	AMP-PRE	UAMP
Ancient History and Classics	ANCHIST-BA	UHUM
Animal Sciences	ANIMSC-BS	UAGR
Anthropological Sciences	ANTHSCI-BS	USBS
Anthropology	ANTHROP-BA	USBS
Arabic	ARABIC-BA	UHUM
Architecture	ARCH-PRE	UAHR
Art	ART-PRE	UART
Art Education	AEDPRE-PRE	UART
Arts, Undecided*	COTA-PRE	UART
Astronomy	ASTRON-BS	UMPS
Athletic Training	ATHTRN-PRE	UAMP
Aviation	AVIAT-PRE	UENG
Aviation – Social and Behavioral Sciences	AVIAASC-BA	USBS
Biochemistry	BIOCHEM-BS	UBIO
Biological Sciences, Undecided*	BIO-UNDEC	UBIO
Biology	BIOLOGY-BS	UBIO
Biomedical Engineering	BIOMED-PRE	UENG
Business Administration, Undecided*	PREBSBA-PR	UBUS
Chemical Engineering	CHMENG-PRE	UENG
Chemistry	CHEM-BS	UMPS
Chinese	CHINESE-BA	UHUM
Circulation Technology	CIRTEC-PRE	UAMP
City and Regional Planning	CRPLAN-BS	UAHR
Civil Engineering	CIVE-PRE	UENG
Classics	CLASSIC-BA	UHUM
Communication	COMM-PRE	USBS
Comparative Studies	COMPSTD-BA	UHUM
Computer and Information Science	CISPRE-PRE	UMPS
Computer Science and Engineering	CSE-PRE	UENG
Construction Systems Management	CONSYSM-BS	UAGR
Consumer and Family Financial Services	FMRESM-PRE	UEHE
Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies	CRIMINO-BA	USBS

<b>Major name</b>	<b>Major code</b>	<b>College</b>	<b>Major name</b>	<b>Major code</b>	<b>College</b>
Crop Science	CROPSCI-BS	UAGR	Human Resources	HUMNRES-BS	UBUS
Dance	DANCE-PRE	UART	Humanities, Undecided*	HUMUND-UND	UHUM
Dental Hygiene	DHY-PRE	UDHY	Industrial and Systems Engineering	ISE-PRE	UENG
Design, Industrial Design	INDDSN-BS	UART	Information Systems	INFOSYS-BS	UBUS
Design, Interior Design	INTDSN-BS	UART	International Business Administration	INTLBUS-BS	UBUS
Design, Visual Communication Design	VSLDSN-BS	UART	International Studies	INTSTD-BA	UASC
Economics	ECON-BA	USBS	Islamic Studies	ISLAMST-BA	UHUM
Economics – Business	ECONBUS-BS	UBUS	Italian	ITALIAN-BA	UHUM
Electrical and Computer Engineering	ECE-PRE	UENG	Japanese	JAPANES-BA	UHUM
Engineering Physics	EPHY-PRE	UENG	Jewish Studies	JEWSHST-BA	UHUM
Engineering, Undecided*	ENGPRES-PRE	UENG	Journalism	JOURNL-PRE	USBS
English	ENGLISH-BA	UHUM	Korean	KOREAN-BA	UHUM
Entomology	ENTOMOL-BS	UBIO	Landscape Architecture	LAHR-PRE	UAHR
Environment and Natural Resources, Undecided*	ENR-UNDEC	UENR	Landscape Horticulture	LNDHORT-BS	UAGR
Environmental Engineering	ENVRE-PRE	UENG	Linguistics	LINGUIS-BA	UHUM
Environmental Policy and Management	ENVPLMG-BS	UENR	Logistics Management	LOGMGMT-BS	UBUS
Environmental Science	ENVIRSC-BS	UENR	Marketing	MARKETG-BS	UBUS
Evolution and Ecology	EVOLECO-BS	UBIO	Materials Science and Engineering	MATS-PRE	UENG
Exercise Science Education	EXERSCI-PR	UEHE	Mathematical and Physical Sciences, Undecided*	MPSUND-UND	UMPS
Family and Consumer Science Education	FCSED-PRE	UEHE	Mathematics	MATH-BS	UMPS
Fashion and Retail Studies	TXTLCL-PRE	UEHE	Mechanical Engineering	MECE-PRE	UENG
Film Studies	FILMSTD-BA	UASC	Medical Dietetics	MDIET-PRE	UAMP
Finance	FINANCE-BS	UBUS	Medical Technology	MEDTEC-PRE	UAMP
Food, Agricultural, and Biological Engineering	FABE-PRE	UENG	Medieval and Renaissance Studies	MEDIEVA-BA	UHUM
Food Business Management	FDBUSMG-BS	UAGR	Microbiology	MICRBIO-BS	UBIO
Food Science and Nutrition	FDSCNU-BSF	UAGR	Middle Childhood Education (pre-licensure)	MDCHED-PRE	UASC
Forestry, Fisheries, and Wildlife	FFW-BS	UENR	Modern Greek	MDRNGRK-BA	UHUM
French	FRENCH-BA	UHUM	Molecular Genetics	MOLGEN-BS	UBIO
Geography	GEOG-BA	USBS	Music – Composition	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Geological Sciences	GEOLSCI-BS	UMPS	Music – Education	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Geomatics Engineering	GEOEN-PRE	UENG	Music – History	MUSICA-PRE	UART
German	GERMAN-BA	UHUM	Music – Jazz Studies	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Globalization Studies	GLOBLST-BA	UASC	Music – Performance	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Health Information Management and Systems	HLTINF-PRE	UAMP	Music – Theory	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Health Sciences Program	HLTSCI-PRE	UAMP	Music, Undecided*	MUSICA-PRE	UART
Hebrew	HEBREW-BA	UHUM	Nursing	NUR-PRE	UNURP
History	HISTORY-BA	UHUM	Nutrition	NUTRN-PRE	UEHE
History of Art	HISTART-BA	UART			
Hospitality Management	HSPMGT-PRE	UEHE			
Human Development and Family Science	HDFS-PRE	UEHE			
Human Nutrition	HUMNPRE-PR	UEHE			

Major name	Major code	College	Major name	Major code	College
Operations Management	OPERMGT-BS	UBUS	<b>Additional regional campus options</b>		
Parks, Recreation, and Tourism	PRTADM-BS	UENR	<i>(These programs are not available on the Columbus campus.)</i>		
Pharmaceutical Sciences	PHARMSC-BS	UPHR	Early and Middle Childhood Education (pre-licensure)	EMCHILD-BS	UEHE
Philosophy	PHILOS-BA	UHUM	General Business	GENLBUS-BS	UBUS
Physical Education Teacher Education	PHYSED-PRE	UEHE	<b>Agricultural Technical Institute (ATI)</b>		
Physics	PHYSICS-BS	UMPS	<i>Associate of Applied Science programs</i>		
Plant Cellular and Molecular Biology	PCMB-BS	UBIO	Agricultural Commerce	AGCOMMR-AA	UATI
Plant Health Management	PLHLTHM-BS	UAGR	Beef and Sheep Production and Management	LVBSHP-AA	UATI
Political Science	POLSCI-BA	USBS	Business Management	BUSMGT-AA	UATI
Portuguese	PORTGES-BA	UHUM	Construction Management	CONSTTE-AA	UATI
Professional Golf Management	PGM-PRE	UAGR	Crop Management and Services	CROPMGT-AA	UATI
Psychology	PSYCH-BA	USBS	Dairy Cattle Production and Management	DYPMGT-AA	UATI
Radiologic Sciences and Therapy	RADSCI-PRE	UAMP	Environmental Resources Management	ENRESMG-AA	UATI
Real Estate and Urban Analysis	REALEST-BS	UBUS	Floral Design and Marketing	FDMKT-AA	UATI
Respiratory Therapy	RESTHR-PRE	UAMP	Greenhouse Production and Management	GHPMGT-AA	UATI
Risk Management and Insurance	RISKINS-BS	UBUS	Horse Production and Management	HSPMGT-AA	UATI
Russian	RUSSIAN-BA	UHUM	Hydraulic Power and Motion Control	HYDRPWR-AA	UATI
Social and Behavioral Sciences, Undecided*	SBSUND-UND	USBS	Laboratory Science	LABSCTE-AA	UATI
Social Work	SWK-PRE	USWK	Landscape Construction and Contracting	LSCCT-AA	UATI
Sociology	SOCIOL-BA	USBS	Nursery Management	NRSYMG-AA	UATI
Spanish	SPANISH-BA	UHUM	Power and Equipment	PETECH-AA	UATI
Special Education	SPLED-PRE	UEHE	Swine Production and Management	LVSWINE-AA	UATI
Special Major (includes Aviation Management)	SPECMAJ-BS	UBUS	Turfgrass Management	TUFGMGT-AA	UATI
Speech and Hearing Science	SPHHRNG-BA	USBS	<i>Associate of Science programs</i>		
Sport and Leisure Studies	SPTLESR-BS	UEHE	Agricultural Business	AGRBUS-AS	UATI
Technical Education and Training	TECHEDT-BS	UEHE	Agronomy	AGRONOM-AS	UATI
Theatre	THEATRE-BA	UART	Construction Science	CNSTSCI-AS	UATI
Turfgrass Science	TURFSCI-BS	UAGR	Dairy Science	DAIRYSC-AS	UATI
Welding Engineering	WELE-PRE	UENG	Environmental Resources Science	ENRESSC-AS	UATI
Women's Studies	WOMSTDS-BA	UHUM	Horse Science	HORSESC-AS	UATI
World Literatures	WRDLIT-BA	UHUM	Horticultural Science	HORTSCI-AS	UATI
Zoology	ZOOLOGY-BS	UBIO	Livestock Science	LVSCI-AS	UATI
<b>Exploration areas</b>			Pre-Agricultural Communication	AGRCOM-PRE	UATI
Exploration, Undecided	EXPLORING	UEXP	Pre-Agricultural Education	AGED-PRE	UATI
Health Professions Exploration	HLTHPR-PRE	UEXP	Pre-Food Business	FDBUS-PRE	UATI
Management and Industry Exploration	MIEXPL-PRE	UEXP	Unknown or Undecided	ATI-UNDEC	UATI
Science and Technology Exploration	SCITEC-PRE	UEXP	<i>Certificate of Competency programs</i>		
			Sports/Commercial Turf Equipment	COTURFE-CT	UATI
			Hydraulic Service and Repair	HYDSERV-CT	UATI



# Application for Transfer Admission

\$40 application fee, payable to The Ohio State University

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  Female  Male  
Last Suffix (Jr., Sr., II) First Middle Social Security Number See page 16.

2. Other names previously used: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Please check where appropriate:  1 Black, non-Hispanic  2 American Indian or Alaska Native  3 Asian or Pacific Islander  
 4 Hispanic  5 White, non-Hispanic This information is optional and will not be used in a discriminatory manner.

4. Date of birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 5. Have you ever applied to Ohio State before?  Yes  No If yes, quarter/year \_\_\_\_\_  
month day year

6. Country of citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ Is English your native language?  Yes  No If no, see page 2.

The language spoken in my home the majority of the time is \_\_\_\_\_.

7. Please complete if you are NOT a U.S. citizen:

International students must use the international undergraduate application (see page 1).

I am a:  Permanent resident alien of the U.S., or  Refugee, or  Asylee

Alien/File # A \_\_\_\_\_ Date status approved \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
month day year

My request for U.S. permanent residency or asylum is pending and my current or most recent visa type is \_\_\_\_\_

8. Are you currently on active military duty or are you a veteran?  Yes  No Dates of military service: From \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_  
month/year month/year

9. Have you ever pled guilty to or been convicted of a felony, or is any felony charge currently pending against you?

Yes  No (If yes, Undergraduate Admissions will contact you for additional information.)

Note: If, at any time prior to enrollment, your answer to Question 9 changes, you must promptly contact Undergraduate Admissions to provide an explanation.

10. Have you ever been suspended or dismissed for any disciplinary or academic reason from any college, university, or other post-secondary institution, or is any disciplinary charge from any such institution currently pending against you?

Yes  No (If yes, please include an explanation. Additional information may be requested.)

Note: If, at any time prior to enrollment, your answer to Question 10 changes, you must promptly contact Undergraduate Admissions to provide an explanation.

11. Permanent mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and street (If P.O. Box, number and street also required.)

City State/Country Zip Permanent phone (include area code)

12. E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Present address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and street (If P.O. Box, number and street also required.)

City State/Country Zip Present phone (include area code)

Final date at this address \_\_\_\_\_

14. Upon whom are you dependent for more than one-half of your financial support?

Parent/Guardian/Spouse  Self – I am financially independent  Other

15. The person indicated in question 14 has lived in Ohio:

From birth to present  From \_\_\_\_ to present  From \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_  Never  
month/year month/year month/year

This information will be used for residency/financial aid purposes and not for making admissions decisions.

16. Name and contact information for the person you indicated in question 14. If you are financially independent, name a person to notify in case of emergency:

First name Last name E-mail address Phone (include area code)

Number and street City State/Country Zip



## Transfer student course listing

This list should include all courses you are now taking or plan to take before enrolling at Ohio State. Please do not include courses that already appear on your transcript. Attach additional pages, if necessary. If you are uncertain about your future courses, please give your best estimate—**don't delay your application**.

If you are **not** presently enrolled or planning to enroll at another institution before entering Ohio State, write "not applicable" across this section.

**Name of institution:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Calendar system (please circle one):** Quarter Semester Trimester Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Course title	Department	Course number	Semester or quarter hours	Completion date (month/year)

## Work experience

	From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)	Employer	Job description (be specific)	Number of hours worked per week
1.					
2.					
3.					

## Personal statement *(required for students whose academic records include interruptions in education; optional for others)*

Submit a personal statement on a separate piece of paper noting special talents, interests, or abilities not otherwise reflected on your application; and/or if you feel that your high school or college academic performance was adversely affected by special circumstances. Additionally, please take this opportunity to explain why you will be academically successful at Ohio State. **Important:** If your academic record includes interruptions in your education, please describe work experiences or other activities in which you may have participated while not enrolled in school.

## Student certification

### Important! Read statement and sign below.

I affirm that the information I have provided on this application, including information that I have submitted or will submit to The Ohio State University in connection with the admission and financial aid process, is complete, accurate, and my own work. I understand that submission of incomplete or inaccurate information is sufficient cause for revocation of admission or enrollment. I further understand that failure to promptly notify The Ohio State University as required by Question 9 of any felony charge, plea, or conviction, or Question 10 of any suspension or dismissal from a post-secondary institution, prior to my enrollment is sufficient cause for revocation of admission or enrollment.

I authorize each academic institution I have attended to release my academic and personal information to The Ohio State University in connection with the admission and financial aid process. Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (FERPA), I hereby authorize The Ohio State University to release the information provided by me, as well as other official and unofficial Ohio State information regarding my academic progress and status, to scholarship donors for the purpose of providing the donors with information concerning my eligibility as a scholarship recipient.

Applicant's legal signature

Print legal name

Date

Office Use Only

\$40 App Fee  Y  N  W

Residency  R  N  Q

SFA  Y  N

Date rcvd: \_\_\_\_\_

www

## IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

Even if you read this publication word for word, we know you will still have questions about how Ohio State can satisfy your specific interests and circumstances. Below we've listed a few offices that may be able to assist you. Of course, the best way to get answers is to visit our campus. To schedule a visit online, go to [campusvisit.osu.edu](http://campusvisit.osu.edu).

### Undergraduate Admissions and First Year Experience

Enarson Hall  
154 West 12th Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1390  
(614) 292-3980  
[undergrad.osu.edu](http://undergrad.osu.edu)

### Agricultural Technical Institute (ATI), Wooster

1328 Dover Road  
Wooster, OH 44691-4000  
(330) 287-1327  
[atiadmissions.org](http://atiadmissions.org)

### Athletics, Department of

St. John Arena  
410 Woody Hayes Drive  
Columbus, OH 43210-1166  
(614) 292-7572  
[ohiostatebuckeyes.com](http://ohiostatebuckeyes.com)

### Continuing Education, Office of

152 Mount Hall  
1050 Carmack Road  
Columbus, OH 43210-1002  
(614) 292-8860  
[ced.osu.edu](http://ced.osu.edu)

### Disability Services, Office for

150 Pomerene Hall  
1760 Neil Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1297  
(614) 292-3307 (voice/TDD)  
[ods.osu.edu](http://ods.osu.edu)

### International Affairs, Office of

Oxley Hall  
1712 Neil Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1219  
(614) 292-6101  
[oia.osu.edu](http://oia.osu.edu)

### Minority Affairs, Office of

1000 Lincoln Tower  
1800 Cannon Drive  
Columbus, OH 43210-1230  
(614) 292-0964  
[oma.osu.edu](http://oma.osu.edu)

### Ohio State Lima

4240 Campus Drive  
Lima, OH 45804-3596  
(419) 995-8396  
[lima.osu.edu](http://lima.osu.edu)

### Ohio State Mansfield

1680 University Drive  
Mansfield, OH 44906-1599  
(419) 755-4011  
[mansfield.osu.edu](http://mansfield.osu.edu)

### Ohio State Marion

1465 Mt. Vernon Avenue  
Marion, OH 43302-5695  
(740) 389-6786  
[www.marion.ohio-state.edu](http://www.marion.ohio-state.edu)

### Ohio State Newark

1179 University Drive  
Newark, OH 43055-1797  
(740) 366-9333  
[newark.osu.edu](http://newark.osu.edu)

### Ohio State Scholars Program

Kuhn Honors & Scholars House  
220 West 12th Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1329  
(614) 292-3135  
[honors-scholars.osu.edu](http://honors-scholars.osu.edu)

### Orientation

Enarson Hall  
154 West 12th Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1390  
(614) 292-4161  
[orientation.osu.edu](http://orientation.osu.edu)

### Student Financial Aid

P.O. Box 183029  
Columbus, OH 43218-3029  
(614) 292-0300  
[sfa.osu.edu](http://sfa.osu.edu)

### University Honors Program

Kuhn Honors & Scholars House  
220 West 12th Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43210-1329  
(614) 292-3135  
[honors-scholars.osu.edu](http://honors-scholars.osu.edu)

### University Housing

350 Morrill Tower  
1910 Cannon Drive  
Columbus, OH 43210-1290  
(614) 292-8266  
[housing.osu.edu](http://housing.osu.edu)

### University Registrar

Third Floor Lincoln Tower  
1800 Cannon Drive  
Columbus, OH 43210-1233  
(614) 292-8500  
[www.ureg.ohio-state.edu](http://www.ureg.ohio-state.edu)

## Location



### Travel times to Columbus

Cincinnati, OH	2 hours drive time
Cleveland, OH	2.5 hours drive time
Toledo, OH	3 hours drive time
Chicago, IL	1 hour flight time
Los Angeles, CA	4 hours flight time
Miami, FL	3 hours flight time
Minneapolis, MN	2 hours flight time
New York City, NY	1.5 hours flight time
Pittsburgh, PA	<1 hour flight time
Philadelphia, PA	1.5 hours flight time
St. Louis, MO	1 hour flight time
Washington, D.C.	1 hour flight time

### **Nondiscrimination statement**

The Ohio State University is committed to building a diverse faculty and staff for employment and promotion to ensure the highest quality workforce, to reflect human diversity, and to improve opportunities for minorities and women. The university embraces human diversity and is committed to equal employment opportunity, affirmative action, and eliminating discrimination. This commitment is both a moral imperative consistent with an intellectual community that celebrates individual differences and diversity, as well as a matter of law.

Discrimination against any individual based upon protected status, which is defined as age, color, disability, gender identity or expression, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran status, is prohibited. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 prohibits sex discrimination. Title I and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 provide equal employment opportunities and reasonable accommodation, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in education programs and activities. Equal access to employment opportunities, admission, educational programs, and all other university activities is extended to all persons.

The United States Department of Defense regulations, however, prohibit gay men, lesbians, and bisexuals from serving in the armed forces or enrolling in pre-commissioning programs such as Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC). As a result of this prohibition, ROTC programs are inconsistent with University Policy Number 1.10 (issued 10/1/73 and revised on 02/02/04).

For further information, contact the Office of Human Resources at 1590 N. High Street, Suite 300, Columbus, OH 43210-2190, (614) 292-1050, or visit [hr.osu.edu/policy](http://hr.osu.edu/policy).

### **Equity in athletics**

The Ohio State University Department of Athletics' report for the Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act is available upon request at the following locations: The Ohio State University Athletic Communications office, the Office of Student Life, the Office of Legal Affairs, and on reserve at Ohio State's Main Library; you may also view the report at [ohiostatebuckeyes.com](http://ohiostatebuckeyes.com).

### **Campus security**

As a university, we work very hard to prevent crime, fire, accidents, and illness. Still, crime and other incidents occur on our campus, as they do on all college campuses. The university has a significant number of resources in place to prevent crime and ensure safety, and we encourage students to find out more about these resources. For information about campus security, crime statistics, and available resources, visit [police.osu.edu](http://police.osu.edu).

### **Disclaimer**

At The Ohio State University, every effort is made to provide accurate and up-to-date information. However, the university reserves the right to change without notice statements concerning rules, policies, fees, curricula, courses, or other matters when necessary. In addition, Ohio State is currently reviewing and restructuring many of our academic programs in an effort to enhance their quality and improve our efficiency. In that process, some of the programs and courses mentioned in this bulletin may be modified, consolidated with other programs or courses, or eliminated. If you have questions about a particular program or course, you should contact the appropriate university college or department.

This publication is available in alternative formats upon request. Please contact Allen Kraus, Undergraduate Admissions, Enarson Hall, 154 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1390, (614) 292-3980.

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### **From question # 1 of the *Application for Transfer Admission***

**Use of the U.S. Social Security Number (SSN)** The Office of Student Financial Aid (SFA) requires that students who plan to submit the FAFSA provide an SSN; the SSN from this application is used to match your FAFSA information with your admissions file. For others, providing the SSN is optional. Please note that The Ohio State University takes the protection of your personal information very seriously. The use of your SSN is limited to a few necessary processes of SFA, Undergraduate Admissions, and the University Registrar. If you do not have an SSN, or if you choose not to use the SSN for identification purposes, please leave this space blank; an application number will be assigned to you.