APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
TO THE FRESHMAN CLASS
YOUR NEXT STEPS

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Please read carefully the instructions below and the deadline information on the back cover to ensure your application and supporting materials are timely and accurate. Thanks again, and we invite you to continue exploring all Xavier has to offer at www.xavier.edu/explore.

APPLYING TO XAVIER

Xavier wants students who are prepared to be successful academically and to contribute positively to the Xavier community as a whole. Students may submit applications beginning in late summer (before the senior year) for fall or spring semester admission. Decisions are mailed around Thanksgiving and continue on a rolling basis within three to four weeks of receiving all required application materials. Decisions are typically made based upon grades earned through the junior year as well as other criteria including your essay, activities and involvement, guidance counselor recommendation and ACT or SAT scores.

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Complete one of the application forms listed below, including the essay. Please be sure to meet all appropriate deadlines as indicated on the back cover of this application. Keep in mind any processing time that your high school counseling office requires.

- Xavier online application (www.xavier.edu/apply)
- Xavier paper application included here
- Common Application online (www.commonapp.org)
- Common Application (paper)

The $35 application fee is waived for online applications.

Ask your counselor to complete the counselor recommendation form and forward it with your application to Xavier, along with an official copy of your current high school transcript.

Arrange for results of your SAT and/or ACT scores to be sent to Xavier (either from the testing companies or on your official high school transcript). Xavier’s SAT code is 1965; the ACT code is 3366. Please note: For Fall 2016 entry, neither the SAT nor ACT writing test is required or used for admission.

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- Occupational Therapy applicants must also meet with a member of the OT department and submit 40 observation hours before being considered for the program. Details and observation forms are found at www.xavier.edu/otform.

- Students who believe they meet the typical criteria (see back cover) and wish to be considered for the Xavier Community-Engaged Fellowship or the St. Francis Xavier, Chancellor, Pro or Weninger scholarships may submit an online application at www.xavier.edu/scholarships. Applications for the St. Francis Xavier, Chancellor, Community-Engaged Fellowship, Weninger and Pro scholarships must be submitted to the Office of Admission by Feb. 1, 2016.

- Take your completed application, the nonrefundable $35 application fee (check or money order made payable to Xavier University if applying via paper application) and a stamped envelope, addressed to Xavier’s Office of Admission, to your counselor. If you apply online, please be sure to inform your counselor and proceed as indicated.

By using Xavier’s online application or the online Common Application, the $35 fee is waived.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION  (Please type or print clearly in ink.)

1. Legal name

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Preferred first name

Social Security (optional)

2. Other name(s) records may be listed under (maiden)

3. Date of birth   /   /

Male   Female

Marital status

4. Religious affiliation (optional)

5. Ethnicity

Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino?  Yes   No

In addition, please select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself:

- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- White

Language spoken in your household

6. Citizenship

Country of birth

6a. Applies to non-U.S. citizens only

Are you a permanent U.S. resident?  Yes   No

Country of legal/permanent residency

If no, and you are not a U.S. citizen, you need to complete the international application for undergraduate admission.

7. Are you a veteran of the US Armed Services?  Yes   No

8. Home address

Mailing address

Mailing address valid from    to

9. Home phone  Mailing address phone  Cell phone

Email address   @

Email will be one of our primary forms of communication with you throughout the year; please provide an email address that you will regularly check through August 2016.

10. Please indicate if you are willing to accept text messaging:  Yes   No

ACADEMIC/ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

11. I am applying for the (check one)

- Fall semester 20____
- Spring semester 20____

12. I am interested in the following academic major.  See inside back cover of application for a complete listing of majors.

- __________
- or  Undecided

13. High school you currently attend (or graduated)

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Type of school

- public
- private
- parochial
- home school

Guidance counselor’s name  Position
List all secondary schools you have attended beginning with ninth grade.

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14. Please tell us when you have taken, or plan to take, the following tests. Provide scores where possible.

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15. List all colleges and universities at which you have taken courses for credit. *(Please have an official transcript sent from each institution as soon as possible.)*

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16. Please list the classes for which you are registered in your senior year.

17. If you have already graduated from high school and have not enrolled in college, please provide details of your activities. *(employment, military service, travel, etc.)*

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

18. Parent 1 / Guardian 1 Parent 2 / Guardian 2

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19. List other relatives who have graduated from Xavier University and/or Edgecliff College or who currently attend Xavier.

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20. Are you eligible for the Xavier Family Grant? ☐ Yes* ☐ No

If more than one sibling simultaneously attends Xavier full time as undergraduates, Xavier will offer each sibling a Family Grant toward tuition. For additional details, visit the financial aid website at www.xavier.edu/financial-aid.

*If yes, please list the name(s) and graduation year(s) of any sibling(s) who will be attending Xavier while you are enrolled.

21. Are you the dependent of a current Xavier faculty/staff member? ☐ Yes ☐ No
EXTRACURRICULAR INFORMATION

22. Please list your extracurricular, community and family activities and hobbies in the order of their interest to you. Include specific events and/or major accomplishments. Please indicate those you intend to pursue in college. (Attach additional pages if necessary.)

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ESSAY (Required of all freshman applicants and transfer applicants with fewer than 30 transferable semester credit hours.)

23. Please provide an essay (250-500 words) on any topic of your choice or a previously submitted school paper that shows us a sample of your writing. Simply attach it to this application. It could be a paper from a high school class, or a piece of creative writing on any topic that you find interesting. Choose something you think would be valuable in helping us to understand your writing style and that will complete your application for submission. Applicants to the School of Nursing are also required to submit an additional essay. Details for the Nursing essay are available at xavier.edu/nursing-essay.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

24. Do you wish to live on campus? □ Yes □ No

25. Do you plan to apply for financial aid? □ Yes □ No

(If yes, please be sure to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA) by Xavier’s Feb. 15 deadline.)

26. Who/what prompted you to apply to Xavier University? □ Alumni □ XU admission counselor

□ Campus visit □ HS coach □ Xavier coach □ Current student □ Guidance/college counselor

□ Xavier literature □ Phone call □ XU website □ Other(s)________________________

27. There may be times during the year when we have a question to ask or an important item to tell you. Please let us know the best way to reach you: □ email □ home phone □ cell phone □ text message □ Twitter

CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at any educational institution you have attended from the 9th grade (or the international equivalent) forward, whether related to academic misconduct or behavioral misconduct, that resulted in a disciplinary action? These actions could include, but are not limited to: probation, suspension, removal, dismissal, or expulsion from the institution.

□ No □ Yes If yes, please explain. ________________________________________________________________

Have you ever been adjudicated guilty or convicted of a misdemeanor, felony, or other crime? [Note that you are not required to answer “yes” to this question, or provide an explanation, if the criminal adjudication or conviction has been expunged, sealed, annulled, pardoned, destroyed, erased, impounded, or otherwise ordered by a court to be kept confidential.]

□ No □ Yes If you answered “yes” to either or both questions, please attach a separate sheet of paper that gives the approximate date of each incident, explains the circumstances, and reflects on what you learned from the experience.

Note: Applicants are expected to immediately notify the institutions to which they are applying should there be any changes to the information requested in this application, including disciplinary history.

Please note any other factors not previously mentioned that would support your application for admission:

____________________________________________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________________________________________

The information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Should there be a change in my high school/college enrollment status, I will notify the Office of Admission of this change prior to registering for classes. I also understand that any falsification or omissions to the application will disqualify me from further consideration and/or prompt withdrawal of any offer of admission and possible scholarship opportunities.

Student signature __________________________ Date ______

*Please have your high school guidance counselor complete the reverse side. Applications are not processed without the counselor recommendation and a $35 nonrefundable application fee, unless applying through online applications.
COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION AND SECONDARY SCHOOL REPORT
(Freshman applicants only; a teacher recommendation may be substituted.)

Student’s name ___________________________ Social Security number (optional)
_________________________________________

Have your high school guidance counselor complete this section.

Counselor name __________________________ Title __________________________
________________________________________

High school name __________________________ School CEEB code ____________
________________________________________

Telephone number ( ) ______________ Fax number ( ) ______________ Email __________________________

Percentage of students who attend: four-year __________ two-year __________ institutions.

Grading scale: ☐ 4.0 ☐ 100 ☐ Other __________ Passing grade is __________

Student’s cumulative GPA ____________ ☐ Weighted ☐ Unweighted

Grade point average includes (check all that apply): ☐ 9th grade ☐ 10th grade ☐ 11th grade ☐ 12th grade

Student ranks _______ in a class of _______ as of: ☐ 9th grade ☐ 10th grade ☐ 11th grade ☐ 12th grade

☐ We do not rank.

Compared to other college-bound students at this school, the student’s curriculum is:

☐ Most demanding ☐ Very demanding ☐ Demanding ☐ Average ☐ Below average

Do you recommend this student for admission to Xavier University?

☐ Highly recommend ☐ Recommend ☐ Recommend with reservation

☐ Do not recommend ☐ Unable to judge ☐ Prefer not to respond ☐ Please call

COUNSELOR STATEMENT
(Please state any evidence to support your recommendation of this student using the space provided or using additional paper. Your comments should address the student’s academic ability, personal character and all information relevant to the student’s ability to perform college-level work.)

________________________________________

To the best of my knowledge, the information included in this application is complete and accurate.

Counselor signature __________________________ Date __________________________

Please include the school profile, application fee or fee-waiver, official transcripts and ACT or SAT results. Mail to:

Xavier University
Office of Admission
3800 Victory Parkway
Cincinnati, Ohio 45207-5131

Questions?
Call 877-XUADMIT (877-982-3648) or 513-745-3301
Fax 513-745-4319
xuadmit@xavier.edu

Xavier University is an academic community committed to equal opportunity for all persons regardless of age, sex, race, religion, handicap or national origin.
XAVIER UNIVERSITY AREAS OF STUDY

Academic programs are housed in three colleges: Arts and Sciences; Social Sciences, Health, and Education; and the Williams College of Business.

Actuarial Science
Advanced Technology*
Advertising
Africana Studies*
Applied Biology
Applied Chemistry (Pre-Chemical Engineering)
Art
  Ceramics
  Drawing
  Fiber Arts
  History
  Painting
  Photography
  Printmaking
  Sculpture
  Art Education
Athletic Training
Biochemistry*
Biology
Biophysics
Business
  Accounting
  Economics (BSBA)
  Entrepreneurial Studies
  Finance
  Information Systems
  International Business
  Management
  Marketing
  Strategic Human Resource Management
Catholicism & Culture*
Chemical Science
Chemistry
Classical Humanities
Classics
Communication Arts - Undecided
Communication Studies
Computer Science (BA)
Computer Science (BS)
Corrections*
Criminal Justice
Economics (BA)
Finance
Economics (BSBA)
Entrepreneurial Studies
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History
Photography
Printmaking
Sculpture
Art Education
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Education
  Early Childhood Education
  Middle Childhood Education
  Montessori Education
  Professional (Secondary)*
  Special Education
  Teaching Life Sciences & Chemistry
  Teaching Life Sciences & Physics
  Teaching Life Sciences
  Teaching Physical Sciences
  Electronic Media
  Engineering Physics
  English
  Fine Arts
  Forensic Science*
  French
  Gender and Diversity Studies
  German
  Graphic Design
  Greek*
  Honors Bachelor of Arts
  Health Services
  Information Management
  Long Term Care
  History
  Human-Centered Making
  Information Technology*
  Innovation Engineering*
  International Studies
  Europe
  International Business
  Latin America
  Post Colonial
  Jazz*
  Jewish Studies*
  Latin*
  Latin American Studies*
  Life Sciences for Business
  Mathematics
  Media Studies*
  Modern Languages & International Economics
  Music Education
  Music

Musical Theatre*
Natural Sciences (Pre-Med)
Nursing
Occupational Therapy
Peace Studies*
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science
Philosophy, Politics and the Public
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy*
Psychology
Public Relations
Radiologic Technology
Religious Studies*
Sacred Music
Social Work
Sociology
Spanish
Sport Management
Sport Marketing
Statistics*
Sustainability
  Economics, Sustainability & Society
  Environmental Science
  Land, Farming & Community
  Sustainability: Economics & Management
Theatre
Theatre Education
Theology
Writing*

* Offered as a minor only

Learn more at: xavier.edu/majors
IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES
ADMISSION FOR FALL SEMESTER 2016

Dec. 5, 2015 Last date to take SAT in order to have scores considered for competitive scholarships.

Dec. 12, 2015 Last date to take ACT in order to have scores considered for competitive scholarships.

Jan. 15, 2016 Deadline for interested students to apply for consideration for admission to the School of Nursing.

Feb. 1, 2016 Deadline to submit application for admission and application to be considered for the St. Francis Xavier and Chancellor scholarships, Weninger and Pro scholarships and the Community-Engaged Fellowship. Deadline for application to the Occupational Therapy program.

May 1, 2016 Postmark deadline to submit tuition and housing deposits to confirm enrollment at Xavier.

Dates listed are postmark deadlines.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS
All applicants for admission are automatically considered for merit-based scholarships and awards. But students may also submit a separate application for scholarships based on their musical talent, commitment to social justice, major areas of interest, community service and more. Dozens of unique scholarships are available, ranging from $1,000 to full tuition. Go online for a full listing, including applications and deadlines. www.xavier.edu/scholarships

XAVIER COMMUNITY-ENGAGED FELLOWSHIP
To be considered for the Xavier Community-Engaged Fellowship, a separate scholarship application is required. These fellowships are awarded to incoming freshmen who demonstrate extraordinary leadership or initiative in the area of community engagement or service and are typically valued at $22,000 a year. Typical recipients rank in the top 10 percent of their high school class and have a minimum SAT of 1280 (29 ACT). The Community-Engaged Fellowship application must be submitted by Feb 1, 2016. Selected students are interviewed in the spring on Xavier’s campus.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER AND CHANCELLOR SCHOLARSHIPS
To be considered for the St. Francis Xavier and Chancellor scholarships, a separate scholarship application is required. The St. Francis Xavier Scholarship provides four years of full tuition. The four-year Chancellor Scholarship is typically valued at $17,000 annually. To be considered for these two scholarships, students typically rank in the top 5 percent of their class and have a minimum 1360 SAT (31 ACT). The St. Francis Xavier and Chancellor scholarship applications must be submitted by Feb. 1, 2016. Selected students are interviewed in the spring on Xavier’s campus.

WENINGER AND PRO SCHOLARSHIPS
To be considered for the Weninger and Pro scholarships, a separate scholarship application is required. The Weninger Scholarship is named in honor of Francis Xavier Weninger, S.J., founder of St. Ann’s Parish in 1865. St. Ann’s was the first Catholic church and school with a ministry committed to Cincinnati’s black community.

The Pro Scholarship, a four-year award, is named in honor of Miguel Pro, S.J., a Mexican priest who was martyred by the Mexican government in 1927 for his practice and teaching of the Catholic faith.

These two scholarships are awarded annually to students who are committed to the promotion of diversity in our society and who demonstrate leadership in the classroom, on campus and in the greater community. Amounts of the award may vary.

Priority consideration for Weninger and Pro scholarships is given to those students ranking in the top 25 percent of their high school class with a minimum SAT of 1070 (23 ACT). The Weninger and Pro scholarships support Xavier’s mission of promoting and celebrating a diverse campus community. Accordingly, Weninger and Pro scholars participate in activities throughout the year that promote the benefits of a diverse campus community. The Weninger and Pro scholarship application must be submitted by Feb. 1, 2016.

DEADLINES
To be considered for the Xavier Community-Engaged Fellowship or the St. Francis Xavier, Chancellor, Weninger and Pro scholarships, the completed application for freshman admission and appropriate scholarship application must be postmarked by Feb. 1, 2016. Applicants may complete the online scholarship application at www.xavier.edu/scholarships.