College Applications

College Applications should be filled out in the month of October and early November to meet early action deadlines for colleges. There are two types of applications that students can fill out. All colleges have different deadlines. Apply early and pay attention to deadlines!

Traditional Application:

A traditional application is a shorter application that is for one school only. Many students use the traditional application if they are only applying to one or two schools. Applications can be found on the individual college website of each school. When you pull up the college website click on their APPLY NOW button and follow the prompts. You will always be filling out an undergraduate application as in incoming Freshman. Once your application has been filled out you will need to see your school counselor or email them about sending your transcript to the admissions office in which you applied. All community colleges and regional campuses use traditional applications. If you are a Tech Prep student you are already accepted into Sinclair and will not need to fill out a separate application. If you are a CC Plus student through Edison you will not need to fill out an application. Please see your school counselor for more directions on your next steps for Sinclair and Edison if this applies to you.

Common Application:

The Common Application can be found at **commonapp.org**. This application is used when students are applying to three or more colleges, or schools that strictly only accept the Common Application. This is a longer application with more detail. Your school counselor also has access to the Common Application and can upload your transcript directly through their account once you invite them as part of the completion process of filling out your Common App. The school counselors offer an Application Review Day that explains how to navigate the Common Application. Please see them for assistance. A list of Ohio Colleges that use the Common Application are listed on the back of this paper.

Antioch College Art Academy of Cincinnati Ashland University Baldwin Wallace University Bluffton University **Bowling Green State** University Capital University Case Western Reserve University Cleveland State University College of Wooster Columbus College of Art & Design Defiance College **Denison University** Heidelberg University Hiram College John Carroll University Kent State University Kenyon College Lake Erie College Lourdes University

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Marietta College Miami University (Ohio) Muskingum University Oberlin College of Arts and Sciences Ohio Northern University The Ohio State University Ohio University Ohio Wesleyan University Shawnee State University The University of Findlay The University of Toledo Tiffin University University of Akron University of Cincinnati University of Dayton University of Mount Union Ursuline College Walsh University Wilmington College Wittenberg University Wright State University Xavier University