

College Admission Application Fee Waivers



Most colleges ask students to include a fee with their admission application: **in 2015, the average fee was \$41.**

You could save \$160 or more by requesting fee waivers.

Over 150 colleges and universities nationwide will accept an admission application fee waiver from eligible students and *you may qualify.*

A *Request For Admission Application Fee Waiver* (from the National Association of College Admissions Counselors) is available at:

<https://www.nacacfairs.org/globalassets/college-fair-homepage/ncf-documents/applicationfeewaiverform.pdf>

An authorized adult at your high school (such as your school counselor or TRIO advisor) is required to sign the form. For more information, visit:

www.nacacfairs.org/learn/fee-waiver/

How to Request a Fee Waiver

The procedures for requesting a fee waiver depend on how you are applying to a college:

COMMON APPLICATION

- Check YES on the Common Application to indicate you qualify for a fee waiver.
- Check if you need to submit a completed *Request for Admission Application Fee Waiver* to each of the colleges on your list.

COLLEGE APPLICATION

- Write "TRIO fee waiver" (or the type of fee waiver you have) as the payment method on the college application.
- Check if you need to submit a completed *Request for Admission Application Fee Waiver* to each of the colleges on your list.



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