

# Application Supplement

## SWARTHMORE

Please submit the \$60.00 application fee online via check or credit card ([www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org))  
or

Submit Check or Money Order by mail addressed to the Admissions Office. Please be sure to supply your full name, address and birth date with the check  
or

Indicate you are requesting a fee waiver on the Common Application form in the "Application Fee Payment" section

FALL EARLY DECISION APPLICATION due: November 15

WINTER EARLY DECISION APPLICATION due: January 1

REGULAR DECISION APPLICATION due: January 1

### PERSONAL AND FAMILY INFORMATION

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME
_____	_____	_____
GENDER	PREFERRED NICKNAME (IF ANY)	
_____	_____	
DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)	_____	
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SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (OPTIONAL)	_____	
_____	_____	
Potential Major 1 _____ Major 2 _____	(Major codes appear in application instructions)	

### PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS

OPTIONAL LINE (APARTMENT NUMBER, ETC.)	STREET OR P.O. BOX
_____	_____
CITY STATE	COUNTRY ZIP CODE
_____	_____
( )	E-MAIL ADDRESS
PERMANENT HOME TELEPHONE	_____
_____	_____
PARENT/GUARDIAN 1 FIRST LANGUAGE	PARENT/GUARDIAN 2 FIRST LANGUAGE
_____	_____
PARENT/GUARDIAN 1 CITIZENSHIP	PARENT/GUARDIAN 2 CITIZENSHIP
_____	_____

### SCHOOL INFORMATION

Please indicate below the secondary school from which you graduated or expect to graduate.

SCHOOL (OFFICIAL NAME)	CEEB CODE NUMBER
_____	_____
CITY STATE ZIP CODE	
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If you indicated in the Common Application that you've lived outside the U.S., please list all of the countries where you've lived.

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ESSAY

**WHY SWARTHMORE?** Please write a brief statement telling us why you have decided to apply to Swarthmore in particular.

INTERVIEW

If you have had an interview, with whom? \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I have contacted the Admissions Office to request an off-campus interview with a Swarthmore representative. (The deadline to request an alumna/us interview is **December 2.**)

FRIENDS AFFILIATION *(if any)*

If you or your parents are active members of the Society of Friends, please give the name of the Meeting.

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ALUMNI AFFILIATION *(if any)*

If any of your relatives have attended Swarthmore, list their names, relationship to you, and year of graduation.

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OPTIONAL ARTS SUPPLEMENT

If you wish to submit an optional creative writing, theatre, music, dance, or visual arts supplement, **Please use** the Swarthmore Optional Supplementary Materials Form which is in the application packet and also available at [www.swarthmore.edu/apply.xml](http://www.swarthmore.edu/apply.xml). **We do not accept the Common Application's Art Supplement** as our departments have indicated specific formatting preferences for supplements. If you do not adhere to these guidelines your supplement will not be reviewed.

FINANCIAL AID

If you wish to be considered for Swarthmore's need based financial aid, please read the aid application instructions carefully. As you see, our "**Swarthmore Financial Aid Request**" form is to be completed and mailed back to our financial aid office. This form is at the back of the admission application booklet or online at [www.swarthmore.edu/financialaid](http://www.swarthmore.edu/financialaid). Application requirements differ based on whether families live in the U.S. or they live abroad.

EARLY DECISION

Swarthmore's Early Decision plans are designed for candidates who have thoroughly and thoughtfully investigated Swarthmore and other colleges and found Swarthmore to be an unequivocal first choice. Students interested in applying Early Decision to Swarthmore must submit a completed Common Application Early Decision Agreement (enclosed in this packet), **signed by the applicant, parent or legal guardian, and school counselor.** Any Early Decision candidate not admitted will receive one of two determinations: a deferral of decision which secures reconsideration for the candidate among the Regular decision candidates, or a denial of admission which withdraws the application from further consideration. If one of these determinations is made, the applicant is then free to apply to other institutions.

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# Why Swarthmore?

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You may use this space to write about why you are interested in applying to and attending Swarthmore.

APPLICANT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_ CEEB CODE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_