

The criteria for admission to Cornerstone University include the following:

1. Evidence of a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as characterized by a consistent Christian lifestyle.
2. Record of academic achievement that meets or exceeds our minimum admission requirements.

Readmission

Applicants who were formerly enrolled in Cornerstone University who desire readmission should complete sections I, II, III, IV, V and IX or should obtain an application for readmission from the admissions office. A new pastor's recommendation is necessary for those who have not been in attendance for more than one year. If applying for readmission after five years, the entire application process is required as listed above.

This is an application for

- Fall (Aug) Yr: 20_____
- Spring (Jan) Yr: 20_____
- Summer Yr: 20_____

- First time in any college
- Transfer
- Early/Dual Enrollment
- Cooperative Program
- Non-degree
- Readmission

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

First	Middle	Maiden	Last (legal) Name
Home Address			
City	State	Zip	County
Phone Number		E-mail Address	
Mailing Address (if different from home)			
City	State	Zip	County
Place of Birth			
Are you a United States Citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Social Security #: _____	
Country of Citizenship: _____			

Optional information for statistical purposes only:

Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female Date of Birth: ___/___/___	Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Remarried <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed	Ethnic Background: <input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Racial <input type="checkbox"/> White
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II. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Name of High School		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Year of Graduation	Phone	Counselor's Name
Date ACT/SAT was (will be) Taken		
Name(s) of Previous Colleges or Universities Attended	Credits Completed	Dates Attended

Have you served in the Armed Services? Yes No If yes, list date of separation: _____



Date _____

App. Fee _____

Transcripts:

H.S.	<input type="checkbox"/> P	<input type="checkbox"/> F
College	<input type="checkbox"/> P	<input type="checkbox"/> F
	<input type="checkbox"/> P	<input type="checkbox"/> F

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Tentative _____

Conditional _____

Full _____

Denied _____

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III. CHURCH INFORMATION

Name of Church Currently Attending		Church Affiliation
Address		
City	State	Zip
Pastor's Name		Phone

IV. FAMILY INFORMATION

Complete for either Mother & Father, Legal Guardians, or Spouse

Name			Name		
Address			Address		
City	State	Zip	City	State	Zip
Occupation			Occupation		
Employer	Work Phone		Employer	Work Phone	

Family members who attended Cornerstone and their relationship to you

Siblings in high school:

Name	High School Graduation Year
Name	High School Graduation Year

V. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Which degree do you wish to earn? _____

Please rank the 3 majors in which you are most interested (1,2,3):

<input type="checkbox"/> UNDECIDED	<input type="checkbox"/> English Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Science Studies Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Educational Ministries
<input type="checkbox"/> BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE:	<input type="checkbox"/> English/Literature	<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Biology
<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting	<input type="checkbox"/> English/Writing	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Exercise Science
<input type="checkbox"/> Ancient Languages	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Work	<input type="checkbox"/> Interdisciplinary Studies
<input type="checkbox"/> Bible	<input type="checkbox"/> History	<input type="checkbox"/> Sociology	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics
<input type="checkbox"/> Biology	<input type="checkbox"/> History Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Speech	<input type="checkbox"/> Missionary Aviation
<input type="checkbox"/> Biology Ed. (Secondary)	<input type="checkbox"/> Interdisciplinary Studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Speech Ed. (Secondary)	<input type="checkbox"/> Missions
<input type="checkbox"/> Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Language Arts Education		<input type="checkbox"/> Pastoral Studies
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Info. Systems	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/> BACHELOR OF MUSIC DEGREE:	<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Ministry
<input type="checkbox"/> International Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics Education (Secondary)	<input type="checkbox"/> Composition	<input type="checkbox"/> ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE:
<input type="checkbox"/> Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Contemp. Christian Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Broadcast Media
<input type="checkbox"/> Marketing	<input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy/Worldview Studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Music Education:	<input type="checkbox"/> ONE-YEAR BIBLE CERTIFICATE
<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Education (K-12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vocal	
<input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration	<input type="checkbox"/> Political Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental	
<input type="checkbox"/> Communication Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Dental	<input type="checkbox"/> Performance	
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Law	<input type="checkbox"/> BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE	
<input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> Bible	
Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Veterinary	<input type="checkbox"/> Biology	
<input type="checkbox"/> English	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychology	<input type="checkbox"/> Biology/Health Sciences	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion		
If interested in teacher education, which program?	<input type="checkbox"/> Elementary	<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary	

To what other colleges have you applied? _____

I plan to:
 live in the residence halls
 commute from home

Single students under 21 taking more than 6 hours must live in the residence halls or at home with a legal guardian. Additional residence requirements are found in the student handbook.

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VI. AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Please briefly answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Include your name and address at the top of the page. You are encouraged to include any applicable Scripture references.

1. When and how did you accept Jesus Christ as your Savior?
2. Describe your personal relationship with Jesus Christ, including experiences and influences contributing to your spiritual growth.
3. Describe why the Christian emphasis and environment at Cornerstone University appeal to you and how you might contribute to the campus community.
4. What factors helped you decide to apply to Cornerstone University?

VII. CO-CURRICULAR INVOLVEMENTS

Please check any areas of co-curricular involvement in which you are considering participation at Cornerstone:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Band | <input type="checkbox"/> Varsity athletics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Choir | <input type="checkbox"/> Crosscountry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama/theatre | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's basketball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honors Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's golf |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intramural athletics | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's soccer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership opportunities | <input type="checkbox"/> Track and field |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ministry opportunities | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's basketball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multicultural organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's soccer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's softball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student government | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's volleyball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Study abroad programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please list): _____ |

If you would like to list any areas of co-curricular activities in which you have participated in high school, college or church, please attach an additional sheet of paper. Be sure to include special honors, awards, office held, and special recognition received.

VIII. SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Please give the name and current address of a pastor or church leader (not a relative) we can contact for a personal reference.

Name

Address

City State Zip Phone

Please give the name and address of a friend who we could contact and send information on Cornerstone University.

Name

Address

City State Zip Phone
Grad Year: _____

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commitment...

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IX. LIFE STYLE STATEMENT

Cornerstone University is committed to each student's development as a total person for the fulfillment of God's will, focusing not only upon the discovery and development of abilities and gifts, but also upon growth in spiritual maturity. The Cornerstone University community consists of students, faculty, staff, and administration. The privilege of belonging to this community includes adherence to certain rules of procedure and conduct which are designed for the best interest of everyone involved. At Cornerstone University, some of these are based on clear biblical imperatives, some are drawn from biblical principles and others are part of the institutional distinctives that make us special. As a minimum requirement, each community member is obliged:

1. To utilize time to the best possible advantage by careful study, participation in Christian service responsibilities and faithful attendance at church and university chapel services.
2. To practice discernment in the areas of media and entertainment.
3. To avoid every form of immorality, including immoral sexual behavior, homosexuality, lying, stealing and cheating.
4. To abstain from possession and use of alcoholic beverages, tobacco and illegal drugs.
5. To abstain from activities which may cause personal spiritual harm or may show insensitivity regarding how one's behavior affects other members of the community. Those prohibited activities include: gambling, social dancing, and attendance at dance clubs.

Some of these rules of conduct are matters of Christian liberty for which each student alone will be responsible when they are no longer a student at the university. It is expected that students will temporarily set aside that freedom in these areas for the benefit of the entire community.

Students' voluntary enrollment at Cornerstone University attests to the fact that they agree to live within the framework of the university's standards of conduct as stated in the student handbook and academic catalog. Students are obligated to honorable adherence to the standards of conduct while enrolled at Cornerstone, including Thanksgiving and spring breaks.

Behavior, either on campus or away, which indicates that a student has disregard for the spirit of the university standards may be sufficient reason to ask a student to withdraw from the university.

I certify that all my answers on this application are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsifying any part of this application may result in cancellation of admission and/or registration. Finally, I certify that I will honorably adhere to all the standards of the university.

Signature _____

Print Full Name _____

Date _____

Attach a photograph
or snapshot of yourself
(optional)

HAVE YOU:

- Completed all sections of the application and signed the Lifestyle Statement?
- Included the \$25 application fee?
- Requested ACT or SAT scores be sent to Cornerstone?
- Given the Pastor's Recommendation to your pastor or church leader?
- Requested high school transcripts or GED results be sent to Cornerstone?
- Requested transcripts from all colleges previously attended be sent to Cornerstone?



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I waive my right to see this reference:

Yes No

Address:

Student's Name:

Phone:

Zip:

State:

City:

This student has applied for admission to Cornerstone University and has given your name as a reference. Each applicant for admission must submit a recommendation from his or her pastor or church leader. Serious consideration is given to this recommendation, and therefore we request that you carefully complete this form and return it directly to the Admissions Office.

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____

2. How well do you know him or her?

- Just by name and sight. Fairly well. Have had a number of personal contacts.
- Casually. Have had few personal contacts. Have had a close pastor-young person relationship.

3. To the best of your knowledge, does the applicant have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ?

- Yes No I don't know

Comments: _____

4. To what extent is the applicant engaged in the activities of your church?

- Irregular attendance. Little interest in activities.
- Seldom participates in activities. Does attend regularly.
- Is cooperative and usually willing to help in various activities of the church.
- Enthusiastically engages in the activities for his or her age.

5. In what forms of Christian service has the applicant been regularly active? (Sunday School, Youth Group, Choir, Orchestra, Trips, etc.)

6. In your estimation, what will be this applicant's spiritual influence on his or her classmates?

- Harmful Neutral Strengthening I don't know

7. Please address any other issues which may be helpful in our admissions process.

8. Your estimate of this applicant's potential:

- Little success May have some difficulty Average Above Average Superior

9. Your specific recommendation:

- Recommended for admission to Cornerstone Not recommended for admission to Cornerstone

10. Please include any additional comments on a separate sheet of paper, if necessary.

Name _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Position _____

Church Name _____ Phone _____

Church Address _____



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