



Application for Undergraduate Admission and Scholarship

East Texas Baptist University welcomes all applicants who meet its requirements and qualifications, and does not illegally discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, age, race, color, religion, national or ethnic origin, or veteran status.

Personal Information Please print or type

Legal Name _____
Last, First, Middle

Preferred Name Maiden

Address _____
Street P.O. Box

City, State, Zip

Home County/Parish _____ Social Security Number _____

T-shirt Size _____ Email _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

May the Admissions Office contact you via text message? Yes No

What is the best way for the Admissions Office to contact you? Home Phone Cell Phone Email

Gender: Male Female Marital Status: Single Married

U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, country of citizenship: _____

Are you a resident alien? Yes No

Application Status

Are you a: Freshman Transfer Re-entering ETBU Starting Term: Year _____ Fall Spring May

Will you be living in an ETBU residence hall? Yes No

If yes: Single student housing Family housing

(Students younger than 25 are required to live in ETBU housing unless you live within commuting distance. See catalog for details.)

Will you enroll full-time (12 or more hours)? Yes Part-time

Have you ever you been convicted or adjudicated of a felony or Class A misdemeanor? Yes No

(If yes, explain your circumstances and rehabilitation program on a separate sheet of paper and attach to this application)

If you have a physical disability that will require special accommodation, please contact the Office of Academic Success and Graduate Services in writing at least 60 days before classes begin to see what arrangements can be made. You will need to explain your circumstances and accommodation requests.

Additional Information (This information will be used in a non-discriminatory manner, consistent with applicable civil rights laws.)

Contributing factors for choosing ETBU. Check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Alumni | <input type="checkbox"/> Attended Summer Camp at ETBU | <input type="checkbox"/> Parents/Siblings | <input type="checkbox"/> Current Student | <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Visit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Staff Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Rec Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine Ad | <input type="checkbox"/> Brochures | <input type="checkbox"/> College Fair |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High School Counselor | <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship/Financial Aid | <input type="checkbox"/> Academic Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Location | <input type="checkbox"/> Admissions Counselor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ETBU Staff/Faculty Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Other <i>(Please list)</i> _____ | | | |

Home church/Religious preference: _____

List any extra-curricular activities you would like to continue in college: _____

Did your parents attend ETBU? Yes No If so, what years? _____

What is the name of your parent(s) who attended? _____

Universities are asked by many, including the federal government, accrediting agencies, college guides, newspapers, and our own university communities, to describe the racial/ethnic backgrounds of our students and employees. In order to respond we ask that you answer the following two questions.

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

Please select one or more of the following categories that best describes your ethnicity.

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

Academic Information

Please indicate your intended field of study. Check only one:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting | <input type="checkbox"/> Life Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Music-Piano Performance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletic Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics | <input type="checkbox"/> Music-Sacred/Music Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Music-Vocal Performance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biology w/ Forensic Science Concentration | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish | <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry w/ Forensic Science Concentration | <input type="checkbox"/> Education--All Level-- <i>Select One</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion-- <i>Select One</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Justice | <input type="checkbox"/> Kinesiology | <input type="checkbox"/> Biblical Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education--Elementary-- <i>Select One</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Missions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Language Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Pastoral Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reading | <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth and Christian Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics | <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Sociology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science | <input type="checkbox"/> International Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Kinesiology | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech Communication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Ministries | <input type="checkbox"/> Management Information Systems | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education--Secondary-- <i>Select One</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Mass Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Undecided |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics | <input type="checkbox"/> University Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Applied Sciences |

■ *Pre-Professional programs are also available. Students interested in studying any of these programs should indicate a major in a related field.*

Admissions Standards

FRESHMEN: Freshman status is given to students who have completed high school/GED requirements and who have not attended college on a full-time basis, although college hours may have been earned through dual credit, AP exams, or summer course work. Acceptance is based on: ACT - 18 or above (excluding writing); **or** SAT - 940 or above (excluding writing); **or** graduation in top 30% of class from an accredited high school.

High School Attended: _____
Name City & State Graduation Date

College (dual enrollment classes) _____

TRANSFERS: Transfer status is given to any student who has attended college after graduating from high school or obtaining a GED. Acceptance is granted for student with 24 transferable hours and a 2.0 grade point average. Transfer students with **less than 24 transferable hours** must also meet admissions standards for freshman students (see above). Students who have attended **ANY** college must have official transcripts from each college sent to the ETBU Admissions Office.

College currently attending: _____
Name City & State Dates Attended

Are you on Academic Probation? Yes No Academic Suspension? Yes No

Are you on Disciplinary Probation? Yes No Disciplinary Suspension? Yes No

Academic scholarships are based on transfer GPA and are awarded after receipt of all official transcripts.

List **ALL** other colleges you have attended in chronological order:

Name of College City & State Dates

FINANCIAL AID - SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

FAFSA - Do you plan to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? Yes No

Note: The FAFSA should be completed on-line at www.fafsa.gov. ETBU's FAFSA code is 003564.

Are either of your parents full time Baptist ministerial staff? Yes No

Baptist missionary? Yes No If so, what church/agency? _____

Authorization to Apply Federal Title IV Program Funds: Students who receive federal Title IV funds (Pell, SEOG, TEACH, PLUS, Perkins and Stafford Loans) as part of their financial aid package are required to complete a Title IV Authorization form. This authorization will allow any excess Federal Title IV program funds after tuition, fees, and room and board, to be applied to other allowable educationally related charges (books, supplies, insurance, library fines, parking tickets, late fees, and others) while attending ETBU. This agreement will remain in effect for your entire academic career at ETBU. You may, at any time, change your authorization by providing written notification to the ETBU Financial Aid Office

I authorize East Texas Baptist University to apply excess Title IV funds to all other educationally-related charges that have been or will be charged to my student account during my attendance at ETBU. Yes No

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is offered to students who have demonstrated Christian leadership qualities. Please indicate any involvement in the following ministries and list information under each area for ETBU to determine the level of scholarship for which you may qualify. Please be very specific with the information and provide documentation if needed. You may attach an additional page if necessary. If additional activities are completed after this application is submitted, you may send updated information to the Admissions Office.

_____ **Campus or Church Leadership.** This includes any leadership position held in either the local church or campus ministry. This would also include, but is not limited to, FCA, First Priority, Young Life, church leadership council among others.

_____ **Baptist Life and Leadership Training.** This would include, but is not limited to, Super Summer Schools of Evangelism, FAITH training, Jay Strack's Student Leadership University among others. This would also include Baptist Life programs such as ACTEENS, Youth Speaker's tournament, Challengers or AWANA. Please provide any documentation of completed programs and/or awards received (i.e. Timothy Award, Meritorious Award, etc.).

_____ **Servant Ministry.** This would include, but is not limited to, mission trips (both foreign and domestic), Frontliners, World Changers, YWAM, and other benevolent ministries. Choir, drama and other similar tours will only be considered if there is another ministry component along with the performance.

Please provide the following in case clarification and/or verification of Christian Leadership Information is needed:

Name of Youth Minister/Pastor _____ Phone Number _____

A.I.M. (Advancement in Ministry) Scholarship (*This scholarship requires a separate application*) - Student must be a member of a Baptist Church and called to church-related ministry. There are specific criteria for eligibility and renewal which are listed on the application. Applications are available through the Spiritual Development Office.

Signature and Honor Agreement

East Texas Baptist University emphasizes a biblical standard of personal conduct and moral character by all students. ETBU is committed to providing and maintaining an environment conducive to the integration of faith and learning, leadership development and academic excellence. Therefore, if accepted for admission, I promise to act in accordance with the student handbook. I understand that signing this statement is a condition of my acceptance to East Texas Baptist University. ETBU has my permission to verify the information contained in this application. I consent to the release of information concerning my academic and/or financial status to scholarship donors. I understand that if any information on this form is found to be inaccurate or incomplete, it will be sufficient cause for rejection or dismissal. I agree that if my student account, for any semester enrolled, becomes delinquent and all methods of collection have been exhausted by the University, my account will be turned over to a third party collector and I will be responsible for all collection and legal fees.

Applicant Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

Submit this Application with the following credentials:

1. Non-refundable application fee of \$25.00 (International fee - \$50.00; Re-enter fee - \$15.00)

2. **Freshman Admission:** ACT or SAT Scores; High School Transcript/GED Certificate;
College Transcript if applicable.

Transfer Admission: (24+ transferable hours) Official transcripts from all colleges attended
(All college transcripts must be sent directly from the college to ETBU to be considered official)

3. Return to: **Office of Admissions**
East Texas Baptist University
One Tiger Drive
Marshall, TX 75670
FAX: 903.923.2001

(For other forms, please visit our website: www.etbu.edu)