

1 Yale College Transfer Application Personal Information

Return completed form to:
Office of Undergraduate Admissions
Yale University
Transfer Department
P.O. Box 208234
New Haven, Connecticut 06520-8234

Please complete Form 1 and return it immediately with the application fee of \$75 or fee waiver request (see Instructions page 3 of 4). Please type or print clearly, and photocopy for your records before sending.

For entrance in fall 2010 (postmark deadline March 1)

Have you applied to Yale previously? Yes What year? No
If yes, for which program did you apply? Freshman Transfer Eli Whitney Non-Degree Summer Term

I • General

legal name date of birth
last (family) first (given) middle jr., etc. (mm dd yyyy)
 home address
number and street city state / country zip / postal code
 mailing address for school year (only if different from above)
number and street city state / country zip / postal code
school name (if appropriate)
 country of citizenship birthplace
city state / country zip / postal code
 possible college major
city state / country

II • Family

father's legal name living deceased
last first middle
 last or current employer occupation
if deceased, please provide last employer
 name of college attended (if any) year and degree country of citizenship
 name of graduate or professional school (if any) year and degree
 mother's legal name living deceased
last first middle
 last or current employer occupation
if deceased, please provide last employer
 name of college attended (if any) year and degree country of citizenship
 name of graduate or professional school (if any) year and degree
 primary language spoken in your home other languages spoken in your home
 If you have any brothers or sisters, please list their names and ages.

If you have any relatives who have attended Yale, other than those listed on Form 1, page 4, please list name, year of graduation, degree, and relationship to you.

III • Education

Are you currently attending college? Yes No If not, please state how long you have been out of college.

name of present or most recent college Class of
 address dates of attendance
city state / country
 college(s) previously attended dates of attendance
dates of attendance
 secondary school last attended dates of attendance
 address zip code
city state / country

If you are currently enrolled in college, please list the courses you are taking this academic year. (Indicate those courses which include a laboratory.)

First Term

Second Term

Third Term

(if your school has a quarter or trimester system)

It is extremely important that we have an accurate chronology of your secondary and post-secondary education. If you interrupted your schooling at any time, please explain in Essay 3 on Form 2 how you were occupied.

Have you ever incurred serious disciplinary action or been suspended, dismissed, or placed on probation from school? Yes No If yes, please append an explanation to Essay 1 on Form 2.

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor, a felony, or other crime? Yes No If yes, please append an explanation to Essay 1 on Form 2.

IV • Employment

If while enrolled in college you have held a job or significant responsibility at home (e.g., child care), list your position(s), the dates involved, and the approximate hours per week.

current employer (if applicable):

name

city

state

V • Required Standardized Testing

Note: your application will be returned if this section is not completed.

Yale requires the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) SAT Reasoning Test (SAT I) or the American College Testing (ACT) Assessment Plus Writing. (If testing outside the U.S., where the writing option for the ACT may not be available, the standard ACT without writing is acceptable.) Yale strongly recommends the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), the International English Language Testing System (IELTS), or the Pearson Test of English (PTE) for any applicant whose first language is not English and who has not received at least two years of his or her secondary or tertiary education in an English-medium curriculum, this in addition to the SAT I or ACT (see Instructions page 3 of 4). Yale must receive official score reports for your application to be considered complete.

Report the dates when you have taken or will take the SAT I and/or ACT, and the TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE (if applicable). Then please indicate the scores received.

Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT I)

TOEFL

date

date

date

IELTS

date

American College Testing (ACT) Assessment Program Test

PTE

date

date

VI • Additional Testing (optional)

List any other tests you have taken, such as SAT II Subject Tests, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, AHSME (American High School Mathematics Exams given by the Mathematics Association of America), etc. Include dates and scores received.

VII • Candidate's Signature

candidate's name

(please print)

candidate's signature

date

Data Entry Sheet

Instructions: Please enter the information asked for in the following pages exactly as you would like it to appear on your official Yale record. Take special care to print or type clearly.

Applicant's Biographical Information

applicant's legal name

preferred first name (if different) last (family) first (given) middle jr., etc.

U.S. social security number (if you have one) - - **date of birth** **sex**
(enter month day year as six digits, e.g., 03/10/76) (enter F for female and M for male)

Colleges Attended

present or most recent college or university college code (four digits) college name city state country

previous college college name city state country

previous college college name city state country

What major are you most likely to choose at Yale? (Circle one major from the chart below, which lists most majors at Yale, and write the code number on the following line.)

0010 African American Studies	0123 Comparative Literature	0142 Germanic Languages & Literatures	0167 Music
0492 African Studies	0226 Computer Science	0145 History of Art	0168 Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations
0102 American Studies	0023 Computer Science & Mathematics	0048 German Studies	0170 Philosophy
0304 Anthropology	0079 Computer Science & Psychology	0144 History	0076 Physics
0013 Applied Mathematics	0100 Computing and the Arts	0145 History of Art	0205 Physics, Applied
0205 Applied Physics	0027 East Asian Studies (China)	0056 History of Science, Medicine	0078 Physics & Philosophy
0418 Archaeological Studies	0029 East Asian Studies (Japan)	0053 Humanities	0374 Political Science
0106 Architecture	0328 Economics	0051 International Studies	0075 Portuguese
0006 Art	0037 Economics & Mathematics	0154 Italian	0376 Psychology
0207 Astronomy	0231 Electrical Engineering	0026 Japanese	0179 Religious Studies
0015 Astronomy & Physics	0084 Electrical Engineering & Computer Science	0028 Judaic Studies	0178 Renaissance Studies
0228 Biology: Ecology & Evolutionary	0067 Engineering Sciences	0060 Latin American Studies	0090 Russian
0211 Biology: Molecular, Cellular, & Developmental	0138 English	0160 Linguistics	0182 Russian & Eastern European Studies
0082 Biomedical Engineering	0073 Environmental Engineering	0063 Literature	0385 Sociology
0218 Chemical Engineering	0022 Environmental Studies	0261 Mathematics	0094 Spanish
0217 Chemistry	0039 Ethics, Politics, & Economics	0068 Mathematics & Philosophy	0098 Special Divisional Major
0025 Chinese	0083 Ethnicity, Race, & Migration	0066 Mathematics & Physics	0097 Theater Studies
0031 Classical Civilization	0041 Film Studies	0278 Mechanical Engineering	0134 Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies
0030 Classics (Greek or Latin)	0137 French	0111 Modern Middle East Studies	0000 If you are undecided, indicate 0000
0080 Cognitive Science	0241 Geology & Geophysics	0266 Molecular Biophysics & Biochemistry	

Home Address (Note: Yale uses the home address for decision letters.)

PR

street address
street address
city state / province code zip / foreign postal code country
 U.S. / Canada foreign
telephone: optional: fax number
area code or country / city code number e-mail address

Mailing Address (If same as home address, please check here and skip to next section.)

MA

street address
street address
city state / province code zip / foreign postal code country
 U.S. / Canada foreign
telephone: optional: fax number
area code or country / city code number e-mail address

Father's Legal Name and Address

YP

B

Mr. Dr. last first middle initial jr., etc.

living deceased

street address

street address

city U.S. / Canada state / province code zip / foreign postal code country

telephone: foreign area code or country / city code number

Mother's Legal Name and Address

YP

C

Ms. Mrs. Dr. last first middle initial jr., etc.

living deceased

street address

street address

city U.S. / Canada state / province code zip / foreign postal code country

telephone: foreign area code or country / city code number

If a parent, stepparent, or grandparent graduated from Yale, please list:

<input type="text"/>	relationship	last name	first name	initial	school	class	degree	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	relationship	last name	first name	initial	school	class	degree	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	relationship	last name	first name	initial	school	class	degree	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	relationship	last name	first name	initial	school	class	degree	<input type="text"/>

Who is your legal guardian? (Enter M for Mother, F for Father, B for both parents, O for Other)

Do you intend to apply for financial aid? Yes No

Check one: U I am a citizen of the United States.
 P I am not a citizen of the United States, but I hold a permanent resident visa in the United States.
 Alien Registration number (required) _____ Country of citizenship _____
 C I am a citizen or permanent resident of Canada.
 N I am not a citizen of the United States, and I do not hold a permanent resident visa. Country of citizenship _____

Yale University seeks to draw students from all racial and ethnic groups in society. If you wish to identify yourself to the Admissions Committee as a member of a particular group, please begin by answering the following question:

Are you Hispanic/Latino? Yes, Hispanic or Latino (including Spain) No *Please describe your background* _____

Regardless of your answer to the prior question, please select one or more of the following ethnicities to describe yourself:

- American Indian or Alaska Native (including all Original Peoples of the Americas) Are you enrolled? Yes No
 If yes, please enter Tribal Enrollment Number _____ *Please describe your background* _____
- Asian (including Indian subcontinent and Phillippines) *Please describe your background* _____
- Black or African American (including Africa and Caribbean) *Please describe your background* _____
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Original Peoples) *Please describe your background* _____
- White (including Middle Eastern) *Please describe your background* _____

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<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	_____
F	YP	PR-SIG	R	

2 Yale College Transfer Application Required Essays (due March 1)

Return completed form to:
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Instructions to the Applicant: Please staple the loose sheets on which your essays are printed or typed to the back of this form, making sure that your name and date of birth or social security number (if you have one) appear at the top of each page. Then sign and date Form 2 below.

legal name					date of birth
	last (family)	first (given)	middle	jr., etc.	(mm dd yyyy)
home address	number and street		city	state / country	zip / postal code
present or most recent school	official name				
	city		state / country	zip / postal code	

1. Why do you wish to transfer to Yale? What personal or educational experiences influenced your decision to apply?
2. There are limitations to what grades, scores, and recommendations can tell us about a candidate. Write a personal essay on a topic of your choice that will help the Admissions Committee to know you better.
3. A third – and usually much shorter – essay is required *only* if you have not been enrolled in college continually since graduating from secondary school. If you took time off from school, how were you occupied?

Candidate's Signature

I declare that these essays are my own work, and that all information in my application is, to the best of my knowledge, factually correct and honestly presented. I also indicate with my signature below that I understand Yale may verify the information I have included in my application, without Yale's having to request any further consent from me.

candidate's name		
	(please print)	
candidate's signature		date

3A Yale College Transfer Application Faculty Report

(due March 1)

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Instructions to the Applicant: After you have filled in the four lines below and have read and signed the statement regarding confidentiality, give this form to the college faculty member who will recommend you.

legal name date of birth
.....
last (family) first (given) middle jr., etc. (mm dd yyyy)

home address
.....
number and street city state / country zip / postal code

present or most recent college
.....
official name city state / country zip / postal code

Confidentiality

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (Buckley Amendment), you have the right to review your educational records if you enroll at Yale. You may waive your right of access to this specific report if you so choose. Your decision to waive or not to waive your right of access will have no bearing on the handling of your application by the Admissions Committee. You *must* sign your name below after checking the appropriate response.

I waive I do not waive my right to access this report.

applicant's signature date
.....

Instructions to the Faculty Member: The student whose name appears above is applying for transfer admission to Yale College. Your candid estimate of the applicant's academic performance, intellectual promise, and personal qualities will greatly help the Admissions Committee. We are interested in whatever you feel is important for us to know about the applicant; the questions on the reverse side are only guidelines. We would appreciate your being as specific and detailed as possible in your commentary. A photocopy of a letter written to another college is acceptable, if you sign this form and attach the letter to it. If you choose to do this, please be sure to respond to questions 1 and 4 below. Thank you for your help.

Please return the completed form as soon as possible, but no later than March 1.

instructor's name signature
.....
(print or type)

title department date
.....

college
.....

address
.....

1. In what course(s) have you taught the applicant and what grade(s) did the applicant receive? Please indicate approximate class size.

<small>course</small>	<small>class size</small>	<small>year</small>	<small>grade received</small>
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How long have you known the applicant?
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Yale College Transfer Application Faculty Report

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legal name			date of birth		
last (family)	first (given)	middle	jr., etc.	(mm dd yyyy)	
home address					
number and street		city	state / country	zip / postal code	
present or most recent college					
official name					
city		state / country		zip / postal code	

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I waive I do not waive my right to access this report.

applicant's signature	date
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instructor's name	signature	
(print or type)		
title	department	date
college		
address		

1. In what course(s) have you taught the applicant and what grade(s) did the applicant receive? Please indicate approximate class size.

course	class size	year	grade received
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.....			

How long have you known the applicant?
.....

4 Yale College Transfer Application College Report (due March 1)

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legal name					date of birth
	<small>last (family)</small>	<small>first (given)</small>	<small>middle</small>	<small>jr., etc.</small>	<small>(mm dd yyyy)</small>
home address	<small>number and street</small>		<small>city</small>	<small>state / country</small>	<small>zip / postal code</small>
college name					
college address	<small>number and street</small>		<small>city</small>	<small>state / country</small>	<small>zip / postal code</small>

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I waive I do not waive my right to access this report.

applicant's signature _____ date _____

Instructions to the Dean: The student whose name appears above is applying for transfer admission to Yale College. Please complete and return this form as soon as possible but no later than March 1.

Dean's name _____
(please print)

1. How long have you known the applicant?

2. In what context, if any (including the classroom), have you known the applicant?

3. In your opinion, is the academic record a true index of ability?

4. Has the applicant in question ever been under college censure for conduct or attitude or been suspended, dismissed, or placed on probation from school for academic or disciplinary reasons? Yes No (If yes, please explain.)

5. Please indicate any particular contributions that the applicant has made to the nonacademic life of the college.

6. The Admissions Committee would welcome any additional comments you think would be helpful to us.

I certify that the above-named student is in good academic standing, and that if the student withdrew at this time it would be regarded as a withdrawal in good standing.

name _____
(please print)

signature _____

title _____

college _____

address _____

date _____

5 Yale College Transfer Application Secondary School Report

(due March 1)

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P.O. Box 208234
New Haven, Connecticut 06520-8234

Instructions to the Applicant: After you have filled in the four lines below and have read and signed the statement regarding confidentiality, give this form to your high school counselor, or to the person at the secondary school most qualified to complete the form.

legal name				date of birth
<small>last (family)</small>	<small>first (given)</small>	<small>middle</small>	<small>jr., etc.</small>	<small>(mm dd yyyy)</small>
home address	number and street		city	state / country
college now attending	official name			zip / postal code
	city		state / country	zip / postal code

Confidentiality

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I waive I do not waive my right to access this recommendation.

applicant's signature _____ date _____

Instructions to the Principal, Guidance Department, or College Counselor: The student whose name appears above has applied for transfer admission to Yale College. A full and candid secondary school report would be most helpful for a fair consideration of the candidate. We understand that you may not know the candidate personally and that some years may have passed since he or she attended your school. In some cases, all we *can* ask for is your help in reconstructing the best possible secondary school report, one that includes an official transcript, the rank in class at the time of graduation, the criteria on which that rank was based, test results, and a summary report. If there is still a letter from the original college recommender in your files, a copy of the letter, dated and stapled to Form 5, will suffice for the summary report. Be assured that the committee will take note of when it was written. **Please return this completed form, along with an official transcript and summary report, as soon as possible but not later than March 1. Thank you.**

1. Academic Profile *Use cumulative rank if available*

The applicant ranked _____ in a college prep group / an entire class of _____ (number of students ranked).

This rank covers a period from _____ to _____. How many students had this rank?
month / year month / year

If precise rank is not available, please indicate the student's GPA or rank to the nearest tenth from the top: _____

What was the highest GPA in this student's senior class? _____

The applicant's rank was weighted / unweighted and includes all courses / all courses except _____

How rigorous was this student's academic program relative to the opportunities available within your school? Please check one box:

Most rigorous program in all subjects Most rigorous in certain areas, average or above average in others Average Below average

Of this applicant's class, what percentage went directly to four-year colleges? _____ two-year colleges? _____

Was the student ever suspended or dismissed from school? Yes No If yes, please explain on a separate sheet. _____

2. **Test Scores** We require the SAT Reasoning Test (SAT I) or the ACT. The applicant must have an official report sent to us by the testing agency.

SAT Reasoning Test (SAT I)

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 date

American College Testing (ACT) Assessment Program Test

.....
 date

TOEFL

.....
 date

IELTS

.....
 date

PTE

.....
 date

SAT II Subject Tests

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 subject score date

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 subject score date

.....
 subject score date

.....
 subject score date

Other Testing

Scores of Advanced Placement examinations, New York State Regents examinations, the Mathematics Association of America examination (AHSME), A-levels, IB results, and results of comparable exams.

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3. **Summary Report** Please attach a separate sheet.

- a. *Academic:* To what extent was the applicant genuinely interested in academic work? Did the applicant make full use of his or her intellectual potential?
- b. *Extracurricular:* Describe the quality of the applicant's overall performance and leadership in extracurricular, community, or work activity.
- c. *Personal:* How would you and others describe the applicant's character, aims, and values? If possible, specific examples or anecdotes would be helpful.
- d. *Other:* Are there any special circumstances, background information, or other factors (positive or negative) which may be relevant? Would you care to make any additional comments? If appropriate, do you wish to compare the applicant with other students from your school who have gone to Yale or similar colleges?

4. How would you compare the applicant to his or her entire class? Check the single most appropriate box.

	Average (or below)	Good (above average)	Excellent (top 15% this year)	Outstanding (top 5% this year)	Preeminent (top few ever encountered)
Academically	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Character and personal qualities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Overall	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

date signed

please print name

title

phone ()

How long have you known the applicant? In what capacity?

This report is based upon (check more than one if appropriate): personal observations and contact with student other counselors' observations

teacher comments school records other (specify)

Yale College Transfer Application Sports Information Sheet

Return completed form to:
Varsity Sports Office
Yale University
P.O. Box 208216
New Haven, Connecticut 06520-8216

Attention head coach

(specify Men's or Women's, if necessary)

Instructions to the Applicant: Please return this sheet to the Yale University Varsity Sports Office if you are planning to participate in intercollegiate athletics.

legal name

last

first

middle

date of birth

(mm dd yyyy)

telephone

address

number and street

city

state / country

zip / postal code

college

college location

city

state / country

Have you received information from or been in contact with Yale coaches from a specific sport?

Yes No If yes, please list coaches' names.

Please check the sport(s) in which you might wish to participate:

Baseball

Field Hockey

Lacrosse

Tennis

Basketball

Football

Soccer

Track

Crew

Golf

Softball

Volleyball

Squash

Cross Country

Gymnastics

Fencing

Ice Hockey

Sailing

Swimming & Diving

Please list any athletic achievements.

male

female

height

weight

college GPA

TOEFL

SAT I

SAT II Subject Tests

ACT composite