

# UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY

## ADMISSIONS GUIDE

This guide is intended for new incoming, Utah Resident students who are completing the application.

Utah Valley University is the largest public university in the state of Utah, and one of a few in the nation offering a dual-mission model that combines the rigor and richness of a first-rate teaching university with the openness and vocational programs of a community college.

The unique model, which focuses on student success, engaged learning, rigorous academic programs, and faculty-mentored research, is transforming higher education by making it more affordable and accessible to students of all backgrounds.

## HOW TO START AN APPLICATION

1. Go to: <https://www.uvu.edu/admissions>
2. Select "Undergraduate Student"
3. Click on "Apply Now"
4. Either sign in or create an account

## HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION

There are six sections to UVU's application: Personal, Address, Plans and, Residency, Emergency, Signature. This guide will now take you through the common questions within each section of the application.

### SECTION 1 | PERSONAL

On this section, make sure you have your Social Security ID number on hand. It will be incredibly important to input your Social Security ID number if you have one.

### SECTION 2 | ADDRESS

This section is pretty straight forward. Enter your address and then continue

### SECTION 3 | PLANS

Make sure to follow the instructions in this section exactly as they are written, this is where most students have struggles on the application. In the first section, under the "Program of Study" section, if you have not yet decided what to do, scroll down to the very bottom and you will find the "Undecided" major, select that if you are not sure.

### High School Information section

Follow the instructions below exactly to find your school

1. Write only the school name, leave everything else blank
2. Click "Search"
3. Under that, a "Results Found" section should appear, click on the drop down to select your school

### Date of High School Graduation section

The date doesn't need to be the EXACT date, just a rough estimate so we can make sure you graduate before your intended starting term at UVU. Most high school graduations happen near the end of May or the first part of June.

## SECTION 4 | RESIDENCY

In order to prove your Utah Residency, you will need either your:

- Utah Drivers License
- State ID number

If you do not have a drivers license, your counselor should be able to provide you with your State ID number. Be very careful when you add in your Drivers License, if you submit it wrong, it is a bit of a hassle to get it corrected later

## SECTION 5 | EMERGENCY

In this section, we will ask you about who we should contact if there is an emergency and follow up with some important questions. Students generally run into issues with the following questions in this section:

- Incarcerated basically means, "Are you currently in jail?"
- We want to know if you have family in the military so we can help you take advantage of the benefits that the military provides to students and their dependents.

## SECTION 6 | TERMS OF AGREEMENT AND APPLICATION SUBMISSION

There are 3 certifications that are required before submitting the application

1. This is to certify that you didn't lie on the application
2. The second one is to certify that you agree to pay for the application
3. The third is giving permission to our Financial Aid department to reach out to you with scholarship and FAFSA information.

## WHAT'S NEXT

It is now time to pay the application fee and submit your application. Once your application is submitted, you will need to reach out to your High School Counselor and have them send your High School Transcript and Test Scores.

Note: Test scores are not needed for Admission to UVU, only for scholarship consideration.

# SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

		SAT/ACT															
		1590	1540	1500	1460	1430	1400	1370	1340	1310	1280	1240	1210	1180	1140	1110	1080
		36	35	34	33	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21
GPA	4.0	P	P	P	P	P	P	E	E	E	E	O	O	O	O	O	O
	3.9	P	P	P	P	P	P	E	E	E	E	O	O	O	O	O	O
	3.8	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	O	O	O	O	O	O
	3.7	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	O	O	O			
	3.6	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O			

**Note:** The Utah Resident Freshman Academic Merit Scholarships will be selected from current high school seniors who demonstrate that they meet the academic criteria.

<b>P</b> <b>PRESIDENTIAL</b> 4-year full tuition & fees	<b>E</b> <b>EXEMPLARY</b> 4-year \$2,000/semester	<b>O</b> <b>OUTSTANDING</b> 2-year \$1,750/semester Possible two-year renewal
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To be considered for academic-merit awards, students must be admitted to UVU, and submit all supplemental requirements by **March 1**. See grid above for disbursement. To be considered for Dean's Merit, Exceptional Performance, Leadership, Need-based, and other private awards, students must: be admitted to UVU, and complete the online Scholarship Application and any supplemental requirements by **March 1**. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Scholarship grid is subject to change.