

# Centenary

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES AND CALENDAR

### Application Calendar Dates

(All deadlines are postmark date.)

**Dec. 1** Application deadline for Spring semester

**Dec. 15** Early Action applications due for Fall semester

**Feb. 15** Regular Decision applications due for Fall semester

**Jan. 1 – Feb. 15** FAFSA should be filed by those students applying for need-based financial aid

**May 1** Enrollment deposit due

**Aug. 1** Application deadline for Fall semester transfer students

### Instructions for All Applicants

To be considered for admission to Centenary, please complete the application form and provide all supporting materials. (This application is designed for use by first-year applicants.) **This application will be used for both admission and scholarship consideration.** You may also submit additional items (slides, résumés, graded papers, videos, etc.) to support your candidacy. Be sure that your completed application form is legible, signed, and postmarked by the appropriate deadline.

### Application Plan Options For First-Year Students

The deadline for our **Early Action** applicants is **December 15**. This is an early application deadline which affords students the opportunity to receive priority admission and scholarship consideration. **Students applying for Scholars Weekend must submit an application by December 15.**

**February 15** is the priority deadline for admission and scholarship consideration. Applicants meeting the **Regular Decision** application will receive priority consideration for admission and scholarships, while students submitting applications after this date will be reviewed on a space available basis.

### A) First-Year Applicants

To complete the application process, a student must submit:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1) A completed and signed application form;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2) A non-refundable \$30 application fee;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3) An official high school transcript;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4) Essay response or graded writing sample;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5) A copy of Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT I) and/or American College Test (ACT) results sent directly to Centenary College from the testing service, or scores that are listed on a high school transcript;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6) A letter of recommendation from a counselor or teacher.

### B) Transfer Applicants

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1) A completed and signed application form;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2) A non-refundable \$30 application fee;
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3) Statement of reason to transfer (in lieu of essay);
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4) An official, final high school transcript mailed directly from the high school to Centenary College (faxes, advisement and student copies are not considered official);
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5) Official college transcripts mailed to Centenary from each college attended (faxes, advisement and student copies are not considered official);
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6) Applicants under the age of 25, with fewer than 30 transferable hours, must submit results of the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT I) and/or American College Test (ACT) sent directly to Centenary College from the testing service(s), or have scores listed on an official high school transcript (faxes and student copies are not considered official);
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7) A letter of recommendation from a college professor.

### Scholarship and Financial Aid

Academic scholarships and need-based awards will be offered to qualified and accepted applicants during all decision cycles. Priority for scholarship consideration will be given to students who submit applications by postmark deadline dates.

Certain academic and special talent scholarships may require the applicant to participate in an on-campus interview or audition, or a candidate may be asked to mail additional materials for review by the Scholarship Committee.

Scholarship information is also available from the following offices:

Athletics.....	318.869.5275
Art.....	318.869.5260
Centenary Choir.....	318.869.5200
Christian Leadership Center.....	318.869.5156
Hurley School of Music.....	318.869.5235
Theatre.....	318.869.5076

To receive need-based aid from Centenary College, the State of Louisiana, or the federal government, students must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This is available at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).

Financial aid awards will be provided within two weeks of submission of the FAFSA.

*Office of Admission*

### Centenary College of Louisiana

2911 Centenary Boulevard | Shreveport, Louisiana 71104  
800.234.4448 | 318.869.5151 | [admissions@centenary.edu](mailto:admissions@centenary.edu)  
**centenary.edu**