Welcome

We are pleased you are applying to Colby-Sawyer College. This application provides the opportunity for you to tell us who you are, what you have accomplished and what you hope your college experience will be.

The Colby-Sawyer community is friendly and supportive. Each student is important as an individual. We recognize the significance of the application process and want to assure you that we will go beyond this form in our consideration of your application.

Please feel free to provide any supporting information or comments which will help us evaluate your candidacy. You are welcome to call, write or e-mail the Admissions Office if you have any questions about our process. Our toll-free number is (800) 272-1015. We also encourage you to make a campus visit and would be pleased to make an appointment for you.

Instructions

Entering Students
1. Return the completed, signed application and enclose the $45 application fee.
2. Send an official high school transcript, including first marking period grades from your senior year.
3. Send two letters of recommendation, one from a guidance counselor and one from a teacher, to the Colby-Sawyer Admissions Office.
4. Have either SAT or ACT scores sent to Colby-Sawyer College. The Colby-Sawyer SAT number is 3281; the ACT number is 2506.

Transfer Students
1. Return the completed, signed application and enclose the $45 application fee.
2. Send official college and high school transcripts.
3. Please provide academic course descriptions from each college attended.
4. Send two letters of recommendation from academic sources to the Colby-Sawyer Admissions Office.
5. Have the dean of the last college you attended complete a Dean’s Recommendation Form.
6. Have either SAT or ACT scores sent to Colby-Sawyer College. The Colby-Sawyer SAT number is 3281; the ACT number is 2506.

International Students and Applicants for the Intensive English Language and American Culture Program
1. Return the completed, signed application and enclose the $45 application fee.
2. Send official high school transcript with certified translations in English.
3. Send two letters of recommendation from guidance counselors or teachers.
4. If your first language is not English, have official TOEFL scores sent to the Colby-Sawyer Admissions Office. The Colby-Sawyer TOEFL number is 3281. Native English speakers may submit SAT or ACT scores in lieu of the TOEFL.
5. Complete and return a Certificate of Finances form, which should be signed by a bank official.

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New London, NH 03257
Admissions Telephone: (800) 272-1015 or (603) 526-3700
Admissions Fax: (603) 526-3452
Internet: www.colby-sawyer.edu
E-mail: csadmiss@colby-sawyer.edu

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Colby-Sawyer College admits students of any race, color, gender, religious preference, handicap, age, sexual orientation, or national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the college. Colby-Sawyer does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, religious preference, handicap, age, sexual orientation, or national or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, or athletic or other college-administered programs.
APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name (legal): ___________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Date of birth: ______________________________ Social Security number: ________________________________________ Gender ____________

Permanent home address:________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Post Office Box or Number and Street

City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Telephone

E-mail address: __________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

If different from above, please give your mailing address for all admissions correspondence (include school name if appropriate).

Mailing address:_________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Post Office Box or Number and Street

City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Telephone

City and state of birth:________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Citizenship  □ US citizen  □ Dual US citizen; please specify other country of citizenship ____________________________________________

□ US Permanent Resident visa; citizen of ____________________________________________

□ Other citizenship ____________________________________________ / ____________________________ Country(ies) Visa type

Alien Registration Number ____________________________

Self-Identification of Racial and Ethnic Background (optional)

□ Alaskan Native or American Indian  □ Asian American or Pacific Islander  □ African American/Black/ or non-Hispanic

□ Hispanic or Latino  □ White, non-Hispanic

□ Multiracial  □ Other ____________________________________________

CURRICULUM INTEREST AT COLBY-SAWYER

The initial selection of an intended area of study is for advising purposes only.

□ Undeclared

Bachelor of Fine Arts

□ Graphic Design

□ Studio Art

Select one concentration:

□ Ceramics

□ Painting

□ Photography

□ Printmaking

□ Sculpture

□ Undeclared

Bachelor of Arts

□ Studio Art

□ Art Education (K-12)

□ Biology

□ Communication Studies

□ English

□ English Education (5-12)

□ History, Society and Culture

□ Social Studies Education (5-12)

□ Psychology

Bachelor of Science

□ Business Administration

□ Child Development

□ Early Childhood Education (K-3)

□ Community and Environmental Studies

□ Nursing

□ Exercise and Sport Sciences

Select one program:

□ Athletic Training

□ Exercise Science

□ Sport Management

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Students who complete financial aid applications and are accepted for admission before February 15 receive funding priority for the following academic year.

Does your family expect to apply for financial aid during your first year? □ Yes □ No

If one or both of your parents are employed by another college or university, please indicate if you are eligible for one of the following programs: □ NH Tuition Remission Program □ National Tuition Exchange Program □ CIC Tuition Exchange Program

You are applying to be a (check all which apply): □ full-time student □ first-year student □ campus resident

□ part-time student □ transfer resident □ commuter student
FAMILY EDUCATION

Student's status: □ single □ married □ divorced/separated maiden name: ____________________________________________

Parents' status: □ single □ married □ divorced/separated □ father deceased □ mother deceased

Father/Guardian/Spouse full name: ________________________________________________________________

Last (Family) First Middle

Home address: ________________________________________________________________________________

Street City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Telephone

Employer: ____________________________________________________________________________________

Company Name Current Position

Business address: ________________________________________________________________________________

Street City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Business Telephone

E-mail address: ____________________________________________________________ (To receive communication from the college)

College(s) attended: __________________________________ State Degree(s) Year earned

________________________________________ State Degree(s) Year earned

Mother/Guardian/Spouse full name: ________________________________________________________________

Last (Family) First Middle

Home address: ________________________________________________________________________________

Street City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Telephone

Employer: ____________________________________________________________________________________

Company Name Current Position

Business address: ________________________________________________________________________________

Street City or Town State/Province Zip/Postal Code Business Telephone

E-mail address: ____________________________________________________________ (To receive communication from the college)

College(s) attended: __________________________________ State Degree(s) Year earned

________________________________________ State Degree(s) Year earned

Parent(s) or guardian(s) with whom you reside: ______________________________________________________

If applicable, please give name of step-parent: _______________________________________________________

Please indicate the person(s) to whom college correspondence should be sent: ________________________________

Names of relatives who attend/ed Colby-Sawyer College, Colby Junior College, or Colby Academy.

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<th>Relation</th>
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Please give the names of your siblings and the colleges they are attending or have attended.

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<th>College</th>
<th>Actual/Expected Year of Graduation</th>
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SOURCE OF CONTACT

How did you become interested in Colby-Sawyer College? Please check all that apply:

☐ parents
☐ college fair/college night
☐ guidance counselor
☐ college reference guide (e.g. Peterson’s)
☐ Colby-Sawyer Admissions visit to high school
☐ Colby-Sawyer brochure in mail
☐ transfer counselor

☐ independent counselor: ________________________________
☐ friend: ________________________________

☐ current Colby-Sawyer student: ________________________________
☐ Colby-Sawyer alumna/us: ________________________________

☐ Internet: www.colby-sawyer.edu
☐ other (please explain): ____________________________________________

Have you visited Colby-Sawyer?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No  If yes, please check appropriate box or boxes:
☐ tour  ☐ interview (date): ______________  ☐ Open House  ☐ Discovery Day  ☐ visited on own, not arranged through Admissions Office

Please list other colleges to which you have applied.
1. ____________________________________________________________ 2. ____________________________________________________________

3. ____________________________________________________________ 4. ____________________________________________________________

5. ____________________________________________________________ 6. ____________________________________________________________

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Beginning with the school you are now attending, please list all secondary schools you have attended (grades 9 – 12), including summer schools, programs, and institutes. If you are not attending school at this time, please enclose a written statement describing what you have been doing over the past year(s).

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<th>High School</th>
<th>Public</th>
<th>Private</th>
<th>City and State</th>
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Guidance counselor: ______________________________________
School telephone: ______________________________________

Briefly describe any scholastic distinctions or honors you have received beginning with ninth grade.
National Honor Society ________________________________
National Merit Scholar ________________________________
Other __________________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________________

Have you ever been dismissed or suspended from school or put on probation?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
If yes, please attach a detailed explanation.

Previous college attendance (transfer students only). Please have a transcript sent from each institution. Students will not be allowed to attend Colby-Sawyer College until final transcripts are received.

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EXTRACURRICULAR AND PERSONAL ACTIVITIES

Please list your principal extracurricular, personal, volunteer, community, and family activities and hobbies (including during the summer) in the order of their interest to you. Include specific events and/or major accomplishments such as leadership positions held, varsity letters earned, etc.

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<th>Activity</th>
<th>Grade Level</th>
<th>Approximate Time Spent</th>
<th>Positions held, honors won, or letter earned</th>
<th>Do you plan to participate in college?</th>
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Please list all jobs (including summer employment) you have held during the past three years.

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<th>Employer</th>
<th>Approximate dates of employment</th>
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TESTING INFORMATION

Official SAT or ACT scores are required for admission. Please indicate your unofficial scores below. Official scores must be submitted either directly from the testing agency or as part of your official high school transcript.

SAT: Test date ___________________ Test date____________________
Critical Reading ____________ Critical Reading___________
Writing ____________________ Writing_____________________
Math ______________________ Math _______________________

ACT: Test date ___________________ Composite _____________ Score____________________

TOEFL: Test date ________________ Score____________________

I plan to take the SAT/ACT on the following date(s): _______________________________________________________________________________

Applicants who have been out of school for more than five years are not required to submit official testing scores.

International students: The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is required and an official copy of your most recent score (no older than one year) must be forwarded as soon as possible. The Colby-Sawyer TOEFL number is 3281. If you have yet to take the TOEFL, please indicate when you plan to do so: ___________________________________________________________________________________

ESSAY QUESTION

Please choose one of the questions below and attach your typed essay of 250-500 words to your application. Thank you.

1. Discuss an issue of local, national or international concern and why it is important to you.
2. Discuss a literary or artistic work which has had a special impact on you.
3. Describe a situation in which you had to make a difficult ethical or moral decision. Describe your reasoning process.
4. Discuss travel or living experiences in other countries.
5. Describe an experience with an organization, community group or some other entity with a common purpose and how your participation in that organization, group or other entity changed your perspective on life.

EARLY DECISION AGREEMENT

Early Decision Applicants ONLY: please read all instructions below before completing this agreement.

Make sure you understand the commitment you are making before you obtain the necessary signatures and sign your name.

I, __________________________ (print name) affirm that I am applying for admission to Colby-Sawyer College as an Early Decision candidate and that this is my only Early Decision application. If I am admitted under the Early Decision Plan, I will enroll at Colby-Sawyer College. If admitted as an Early Decision candidate, I must withdraw any applications I have made to other colleges, and I may not apply to any other institutions thereafter.

I am aware that a nonrefundable enrollment deposit is required by February 15, 2007 in order to hold a place in the entering class.

Signature of Applicant  __________________________ Date __________________________
Signature of Parent  __________________________ Date __________________________
Signature of Guidance Counselor  __________________________ Date __________________________

SIGNATURE

My signature at right indicates that all information contained in this application is my own work, complete, factually correct and honestly presented.

Signature of Applicant  __________________________ Date __________________________

This application form and a $45 check or money order payable to Colby-Sawyer College should be mailed to the Admissions Office. Once all of your application materials have been received, the Admissions Committee will review your file and send you their decision in writing.