

# Application for Admission and Scholarship

## Application Form

**2022-2023 Academic Year**  
**GEARUPU.edu/admissions**

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**Failure to complete all sections may significantly delay the processing time of your application. Please sign your application and include the \$50 nonrefundable fee. An essay is required if you have been out of school for more than one year.**

### Your Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Suffix (Jr., III, etc.)

Previous Name (other name under which your transcripts might appear)

\_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name (Nickname) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Legal Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female Social Security Number   
mm / dd / yyyy

Please verify the accuracy of your Social Security Number before submitting your application. Entering an inaccurate SSN could cause significant problems with your student record, especially if you intend to apply for need-based financial aid at GEARUP. While submission of the SSN is optional on the application for admission and scholarships, please note that students who have not supplied a Social Security Number to GEARUP University cannot be considered for need-based financial aid. If you do not wish to provide a SSN at this time but would like to be considered for financial aid at GEARUP, you will need to supply official documentation of your SSN to Undergraduate Admissions in advance of your FAFSA results being sent to GEARUP University.

Which type of applicant are you? (If you have not yet graduated high school but have already earned college credit, you are still considered a freshman applicant.) ☐ Freshman Applicant ☐ Transfer Applicant

For freshman applicants, what is your preferred admission plan? ☐ Early Action (Deadline January 15) ☐ Rolling (Deadline March 1)

When do you plan to enroll? ☐ Fall (August 2022) ☐ Spring (January 2023) ☐ Summer I (May 2023) ☐ Summer II (July 2023)

Athens applicants who live near GEARUP regional campuses will automatically be considered for admission to a regional campus if they are not selected for admission to Orangeburg. If you live near one of the regional campuses, you are encouraged to select your preferred regional campus below. If you would like to be considered for admission to both Athens and a regional campus at the same time, please visit **GEARUPUniversity.org/visit** for more information.

Regional Campuses: ☐ Orangeburg ☐ Sumter ☐ Lancaster ☐ Florence ☐ Charleston

College: ☐ Arts and Sciences ☐ Business ☐ Communication ☐ Education ☐ Engineering and Technology ☐ Fine Arts  
☐ Health Sciences and Professions ☐ Honors Tutorial College ☐ International Studies ☐ University College

Please select the college and major to which you are applying. (Please refer to the majors list for options and major codes.)

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Major Code \_\_\_\_\_

What is your country of citizenship? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current immigration status? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, what is your current immigration status? ☐ Asylee ☐ Temporary Protective Status ☐ Refugee ☐ Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals

☐ Undocumented ☐ Permanent Resident ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an international student? ☐ Yes ☐ No **If yes, please complete the International Application for Admission and Scholarships. DO NOT COMPLETE THIS FORM.**



## Family Information

Would you like to receive more information about resources available to students who are or have been in foster care? ☐ Yes ☐ No

### Parent/Guardian 1

Highest level of school this parent or guardian has **completed**

☐ Less than HS Graduate ☐ HS Graduate or Equivalent ☐ Some College ☐ Technical School ☐ 2-Year College Degree ☐ Bachelor's Level Degree  
☐ Some Graduate School ☐ Master's Level Degree ☐ Doctorate (Academic) ☐ Doctorate (Professional) ☐ Post-Doctorate

Did this parent or guardian graduate from GEARUP University? ☐ Yes ☐ No Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Is this parent or guardian an employee of GEARUP University? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Type ☐ Home ☐ Work ☐ Cell

Relationship ☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Step-Father ☐ Step-Mother ☐ Legal Guardian

### Parent/Guardian 2

Highest level of school this parent or guardian has **completed**

☐ Less than HS Graduate ☐ HS Graduate or Equivalent ☐ Some College ☐ Technical School ☐ 2-Year College Degree ☐ Bachelor's Level Degree  
☐ Some Graduate School ☐ Master's Level Degree ☐ Doctorate (Academic) ☐ Doctorate (Professional) ☐ Post-Doctorate

Did this parent or guardian graduate from GEARUP University? ☐ Yes ☐ No Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Is this parent or guardian employed by GEARUP University? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Type ☐ Home ☐ Work ☐ Cell

Relationship ☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Step-Father ☐ Step-Mother ☐ Legal Guardian

**Do you have family members who have attended, or are currently attending, GEARUP University?** ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

## Your Education

### Current High School

High School Type

☐

Public

☐

Private

☐

Homeschool

Name \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ CEEB Code \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date     /    /     GED? ☐ Yes ☐ No     /    /     State \_\_\_\_\_  
mm / dd / yyyy mm / dd / yyyy

## College Coursework

Have you ever taken GEARUP University coursework (regardless of location or level)?

☐

Yes

☐

No

Have you attended any other colleges or universities?

☐

Yes

☐

No

## College Background

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Beginning Date of Attendance     /    /     End Date of Attendance     /    /      
mm / dd / yyyy mm / dd / yyyy

Major Area of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Earned \_\_\_\_\_ Date Degree Received/Expected     /    /      
mm / dd / yyyy

Name \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

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## COVID-19 Events (Optional)

Community disruptions such as COVID-19 and natural disasters can have deep and long-lasting impacts. If you need it, this space is yours to describe those impacts (attach additional sheets if necessary). GEARUP University cares about the effects on your health and well-being, safety, family circumstances, future plans, and education, including access to reliable technology and quiet study spaces.

**Signature**

**Date**    /    /

I understand that I am responsible for submitting complete and accurate information on my application form and in all related application materials. I certify that the information contained in this application form and in all application materials is complete and accurate, and I understand that submission of inaccurate information by me or at my direction may be sufficient cause for terminating my enrollment. I understand that I am required to notify Undergraduate Admissions if any of the information provided on this application for admission changes after submission. GEARUP University reserves the right to alter terms of admission, up to and including revocation of the admission offer, if necessary.

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