

COLLEGE APPLICATION FEES AND WAIVER OPPORTUNITIES

Colleges and universities may charge application fees and deposits throughout the admissions process. Below is a list of application, enrollment, and housing fees at several colleges in Iowa along with waiver opportunities available to GEAR UP Iowa students.

College/University	FAFSA Priority Deadline	Institutional or internal grants and scholarships deadline	Common Application Participant	Admissions Application Fee	Enrollment Deposit	Housing Deposit
Allen College	March 1	January 31	No	\$50	\$200	N/A
Buena Vista University	June 30	N/A	No	N/A	\$200	Included in enrollment deposit
Capri College	N/A	Completed application due 30 days before classes starts	No	\$50	\$100	
Clarke University	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	\$200	\$100
Coe College	March 1	N/A	Yes	Free with online apps. \$30 for paper apps. filed after December 10	\$300	\$100
Cornell College	March 1	N/A	Yes	N/A	\$300	
Des Moines Area Community College	April 1	Term based deadlines	No	N/A	N/A	\$400
Drake University	March 1	March 1	Yes	N/A	\$250	\$250
Eastern Iowa Community College District (Clinton, Scott, Muscatine Community Colleges)	March 1	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$285
Ellsworth Community College	March 1	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$200
Graceland University	February 1	February 1, 2019	No	N/A	\$200	N/A

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Hawkeye Community College	N/A	March 1 for Fall October 1 for Spring	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Indian Hills Community College	N/A	January 15	No	N/A	N/A	Pre-payment \$325, \$25 of this is nonrefundable
Iowa Central Community College	March 1	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	\$125 for in state students
Iowa Lakes Community College	N/A	April 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$100
Iowa School of Beauty	N/A	N/A	No	\$50	N/A	N/A
Iowa State University	December 1	December 1 or earlier	No	\$40	\$330	Included in enrollment deposit
Iowa Western Community College	May 1	April 22	No	N/A	N/A	\$200
Kirkwood Community College	N/A	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
LaJames College in Mason City	July 1	N/A	No	\$50	N/A	\$175
Loras College	March 1	March 1	No	N/A	\$200 for residential \$100 for commuters	Included in enrollment deposit
Marshalltown Community College	July 1	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	\$100
Mercy College of Health Sciences	July 1	Spring scholarship apps. are taken March 1-31. Second chance round October 1-31.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A
Morningside College	December 1	N/A	Yes	N/A	\$100	Included in enrollment deposit
Mount Mercy University	N/A	March 1	No	N/A	\$200	N/A

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Northwest Iowa Community College	April 1	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$190
Northwestern College	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	\$100	N/A
Simpson College	March 1	Some merit/talent scholarships have a February 1 deadline but not all of them.	Yes	N/A	\$200	N/A
Southeastern Community College	N/A	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$300
Southwestern Community College	July 1	March 1	No	N/A	N/A	\$150
St. Ambrose University	March 1	N/A	Yes	N/A	N/A	\$250
University of Dubuque	April 1	N/A	No	\$25	\$200	N/A
University of Iowa	December 1	March 1	Yes	\$40	\$250	\$75
University of Northern Iowa	January 15	March 1	Yes	\$40	\$320	Included in enrollment deposit
Waldorf University	March 1	N/A	No	N/A	\$100	\$125
Western Iowa Tech Community College	N/A	March 15	No	N/A	N/A	\$250 deposit (refundable) \$20 application fee (non-refundable)
William Penn University	July 1	N/A	No	N/A	\$50	\$100

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