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All paper applications will require a \$40.00 nonrefundable application fee. Online applications will not require an application fee if submitted between September 1 and December 31. After December 31, a \$20.00 application fee will be required for online applications. **Apply online and early.**

Submit To: Office of Enrollment Services      Local: 843-863-7050      Office Use Only:  
 Charleston Southern University      Toll Free: 800-947-7474      Date Application Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
 P.O. Box 118087      Email: enroll@csuniv.edu      Inquiry Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Charleston, SC 29423-8087      www.charlestonsouthern.edu

**SECTION I - PERSONAL RECORD**

**Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Social Security Number:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last      First      Middle      Maiden      Any Other Name on Record

**Present Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Number      Street      City      County      State      Zipcode

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Home      Work      Cell      Month / Day / Year

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Marital Status:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian/Spouse Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street      City, State, Zipcode

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Home      Work      Cell

If you are a noncitizen of the US, do you have a Lawful Permanent Residence (LDR) or "green card?"  yes  no

If no, what is your visa status?  F-1  J-1  Other Are you a US Citizen? yes or no Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you Hispanic or Latino?  yes  no Are you from one or more of the following racial categories?  American Indian

Asian  Black or African American (not Hispanic)  Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander  White or Caucasian (not Hispanic)

Have you ever been charged with a felony and then pled guilty to a lesser charge?  yes  no If yes, please attach an explanation.

Have you ever been charged, pled guilty to, or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor (other than a routine parking or moving violation) ?  
 yes  no If yes, please attach an explanation.

**SECTION II - RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE**

**Denomination:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home Church:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION III - ENROLLMENT INFORMATION**

If you attended CSU previously under a different name than given in the Personal Record section above, write the full name: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are presently attending CSU as a nondegree Special Status student and are applying for regular acceptance, check here.

Have you ever applied to CSU, but never attended?  yes  no

If you earned credit at CSU prior to high school graduation, check here.

Do you plan to use VA Educational Benefits (besides military tuition assistance) as a student at CSU?  yes  no

Check one box to complete each statement:

I will attend: <input type="checkbox"/> Full Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part Time	I am applying to begin, Year: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Fall <input type="checkbox"/> Spring <input type="checkbox"/> May Term <input type="checkbox"/> Summer I <input type="checkbox"/> Summer II <input type="checkbox"/> AEP I* <input type="checkbox"/> AEP II*	I am applying as a: <input type="checkbox"/> First-Time Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Student <input type="checkbox"/> Student returning to CSU <input type="checkbox"/> Nondegree seeking student** <input type="checkbox"/> Transient student attending another institution**	I will be a: <input type="checkbox"/> Resident Student <input type="checkbox"/> Commuting Student
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\*AEP Terms are accelerated, evening college classes, offered during the Fall and Spring semesters  
 \*\*Nondegree seeking students are not eligible for Financial aid and cannot exceed 15 credit hours

## SECTION IV - MAJOR AREA OF STUDY

Please refer to the degree programs listing and indicate a major and minor that you intend to pursue.

Anticipated major: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated minor: \_\_\_\_\_

### DEGREE PROGRAMS

The **Bachelor of Arts** degree is a four-year degree designed primarily for students concentrating in the fine arts and may be earned with a major in any of the following areas:

**Communications and Theatre**  
**Computer and Information Science**  
**English**  
**English: Writing Emphasis**  
**English Education**  
**Graphic Design**  
**Humanities and Fine Arts**  
**Music and Worship Leadership**  
**Music Education: Choral or Instrumental**  
**Music Therapy**  
**Performance: Vocal or Instrumental**  
**Religion**  
**Spanish**  
**Youth Ministry**

The **Bachelor of Management Arts** degree provides a fast track and convenient degree in general business management for nontraditional students. A student transferring in previous college credit hours, accredited work training and military experience could complete the degree program in as little as 20 months.

*Professional programs are offered in the following fields:*

**Pre dentistry**  
**Pre engineering**  
**Pre law**  
**Pre medicine**  
**Pre pharmacy**  
**Pre seminary**

The **Bachelor of Business Administration** is a four-year degree designed primarily for students concentrating in business and may be earned in any of the following degrees:

**Accounting**  
**Business Administration: Management**  
**Business Administration: Marketing**  
**Financial Management**  
**Management**  
**Marketing**

The **Bachelor of Science** degree is a four-year degree designed primarily for students concentrating in the social and natural sciences and may be earned with a major in any of the following areas:

**Applied Mathematics**  
**Athletic Training**  
**Biochemistry**  
**Biology**  
**Chemistry**  
**Computer Science**  
**Criminal Justice**  
**Early Childhood Education**  
**Economics**  
**Elementary Education**  
**Health Promotion**  
**History**  
**Kinesiology**  
**Mathematics**  
**Mathematics Education**  
**Natural Science**  
**Physical Education**  
**Political Science**  
**Psychology**  
**Social Science**  
**Social Studies Education**  
**Sociology**

The **Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (B.S.N.)** is a 1+3 curriculum program and has full approval of the SC Board of Nursing. It is accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.

The **R.N. - B.S.N. option** is available for South Carolina licensed registered nurses that hold an Associate Degree in Nursing or Diploma in Nursing. It is accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission.

The **Bachelor of Technology** degree provides a liberal arts education and a core of professionally related cognate courses for persons holding an Associate of Science degree in an approved technical field.

*Graduate degrees are offered in the following fields:*

**Master of Business Administration**  
(with emphasis in Accounting, Finance, Management, Information Systems and Organizational Development)  
**Master of Science in Criminal Justice**  
**Master of Science in Nursing**  
**Master of Education**  
**Elementary**  
**Secondary**  
**Administration**

## SECTION V - GENERAL INFORMATION

How did you first learn about Charleston Southern University? \_\_\_\_\_

Is anyone in your immediate family a current student or graduate of CSU?  yes  no

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

What other colleges or universities (if any) are you considering? \_\_\_\_\_

If admitted, would you like your name and address shared with other admitted students in your area?  yes  no

What factors have influenced your decision to apply to CSU? ( Check strongest influence)

- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CSU Mission                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Convenience                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Distance from Home   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Availability of Major             | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent's Suggestion           | <input type="checkbox"/> Size of Student Body |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CSU Recruitment Material          | <input type="checkbox"/> Guidance Counselor's Advice   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Institution's Academic Reputation | <input type="checkbox"/> Availability of Financial Aid |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Visit to Campus                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend's Advice               |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletic Programs                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Current CSU Student's Advice  |   |

**SECTION VI - HIGH SCHOOL RECORD**

Name of your high school \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a home school (or home educated) student?  yes  no City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zipcode \_\_\_\_\_

Date of ( or anticipated date of ) high school graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Did (will) you receive ( check one):  Diploma  GED  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Have you taken or will you be taking the SAT or ACT?  yes  no

If yes, indicate scores: SAT Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Composite \_\_\_\_\_ or Future Test Date \_\_\_\_\_

Have you completed International Baccalaureate courses or received an International Baccalaureate diploma?  yes  no

Do you plan to take or have you taken advanced placement examination?  yes  no

If yes, in what subjects? \_\_\_\_\_

If high school, did you participate in any of the following (check all that apply):

- |  |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball            | <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Languages        | <input type="checkbox"/> Reserve Officers Training Corp. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcasting        | <input type="checkbox"/> Fraternities/ Sororities | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Council                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleading        | <input type="checkbox"/> Jazz Ensemble            | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre/Musical Theatre         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chorus              | <input type="checkbox"/> Journalism               | <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Arts                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Activities   | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature               | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Basketball              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concert Band        | <input type="checkbox"/> Marching Band            | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Soccer                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cross Country/Track | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's Basketball         | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Softball                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance               | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's Soccer             | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Volleyball              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Debate              | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's and Women's Golf   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook Staff                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama               | <input type="checkbox"/> Men's and Women's Tennis | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Football            | <input type="checkbox"/> Orchestra                |  |

**SECTION VII - COLLEGE RECORD**

List all colleges attended or currently attending, beginning with the most recent (include CSU if applicable):

College/University	City/State	Dates Attended	Year of Graduation/ Degree Received <small>If Applicable</small>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Were you classified as a degree-seeking student at the most recent institution?  yes  no

Are you classified as eligible to return at all institutions attended?  yes  no

Have you ever been on probation, suspended, or dismissed for academic or disciplinary reasons at any institution attended?  
 yes  no

If not, check any of the problem categories that exist:  
 Academic  Financial  Disciplinary

If you answered yes, please explain the circumstances below:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Also, identify the institution(s) where the problem exist and explain:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION VIII - EMPLOYMENT RECORD**

Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**~ IMPORTANT ~**

*Please read the following statements and certify by signing below if you understand and accept the statement as being your own.*

I do hereby agree that photographs taken of me while I am student at Charleston Southern University may be used in University sponsored publications, advertisements, commercials, and the CSU Web site.

I understand that if I become a student at Charleston Southern University, I will be responsible for all financial obligations that I incur.

I understand that, on an as needed basis, CSU may conduct criminal background checks of students prior to, and during, the students' time of enrollment at the university.

I also understand that withholding any information requested on this application or giving false information gives Charleston Southern University the right to declare me ineligible for admission or may warrant suspension or dismissal from the university once enrolled.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Don't forget to enclose your \$40 nonrefundable application fee.**

All students enrolled at Charleston Southern University are responsible for abiding by the policies found in the Student Handbook. These policies promote a campus community and an environment conducive to being a successful student. The Student Handbook is located on the CSU Web site: [www.charlestonsouthern.edu](http://www.charlestonsouthern.edu)

Charleston Southern University admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin and does not discriminate on the basis of religion, disability or gender.

## Procedure for Freshman Applicants

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2. Enclose a fee of \$40.00 with the application when it is returned to the Office of Enrollment Services.
3. Submit official SAT or ACT scores. Information as to dates and locations of SAT or ACT tests may be obtained from the high school guidance counselors or the following web sites: [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) or [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org).
4. Submit official high school transcripts (including senior year class schedule) which may be obtained from high school counselors or principals. Final official high school transcript must be submitted upon graduation.

## Procedure for Transfer and Readmission Applicants

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2. Enclose a fee of \$40.00 with the application when it is returned to the Office of Enrollment Services.
3. Submit official transcripts from all colleges previously attended. Charleston Southern University generally accepts recognized liberal arts credits from regionally accredited junior and senior colleges, as well as college credits earned through USAFI, CLEP, AP, IB, and military experience.

If you have further questions contact:

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