

Instructions

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Submitting Your Application

Completed applications should be returned to the Office of Enrollment Management with a \$50 non-refundable application fee. Check or money order payable to The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey. Applicants must also submit with the application all supporting documentation (transcripts, test scores, essay, recommendations, copy of Social Security card). If the Social Security card is unavailable, please submit a copy of another official document bearing the applicant's Social Security number. Applications may also be securely submitted electronically via The Common Application Online at www.stockton.edu/apply.

Deadlines

Freshmen

International Students

Deadlines for submitting application and official documentation

| deadline: |
|-------------------|
| December 19, 2008 |
| May 1, 2009 |
| December 15, 2008 |
| December 15, 2008 |
| December 19, 2008 |
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| February 15, 2009 |
| March 15, 2009 |
| deadline: |
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December 1, 2009

November 15, 2009

Freshman Applicants

Students who have not yet graduated from high school are considered FRESHMAN APPLICANTS regardless of how many college credits may have been earned. The required documentation for freshman applicants includes:

- Completed application
- \$50 application fee
- Copy of Social Security card/number
- Official high school transcript*
- SAT and/or ACT scores
- Two to three recommendation letters
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*If you have earned a GED, submit your equivalency test scores and high school transcripts for years attended.

If you have attended any college or post-high school institution, or have been enrolled in any college courses or dual credit courses, you must supply Stockton College with an **official transcript** from the institution where those courses were taken or where the credit had been earned.

If you have graduated high school and are currently in your first semester of college, you are still considered a **freshman applicant** but must file the TRANSFER APPLICATION.

Academic Records

Academic records from the institution(s) where courses were taken must be sent to the Office of Enrollment Management. Transcripts must bear the school seal. Unofficial transcripts are not acceptable. Arrange for SAT or ACT scores to be sent to Stockton College (SAT code number: 2889 - ACT code number: 2589). Send all records to:

The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey
Office of Enrollment Management
PO Box 195
Jimmie Leeds Road
Pomona, NJ 08240

Readmit Applicants

A readmit applicant previously attended Stockton on a matriculated basis. Readmit student applicants should file the TRANSFER APPLICATION for admission, following all Transfer requirements and deadlines.

Non-Matriculated Student Applicants

A non-matriculated student may take courses for credit at Stockton, but is not enrolled in nor working toward a degree. Non-matriculated students may register for up to eight (8) credits per semester on a space available basis. Non-matriculated students must apply for admission (matriculation) prior to earning 24 credits. Non-matriculated Stockton students applying for admission must submit a progress report for each course in which they are currently enrolled. (Progress report forms available in the Office of Enrollment Management.)

International Applicants

International student applicants require TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) scores and additional documentation along with the Freshman or Transfer application requirements. Go to www.stockton.edu/apply and click on International Students to download these forms as well as a checklist for completing your application. If you have difficulty accessing these forms, please call our office at 1-866-RSC-2885 and we will have the forms sent to you.

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Financial Aid

Applicants wishing to be considered for need-based financial aid must submit the Free Application for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA) by March 1 for the fall term, and by August 15 for the spring term. The FAFSA must be completed and filed electronically via the Internet at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Stockton's federal school code is 009345.

Scholarships

Stockton offers a generous range of merit-based scholarship awards. No separate application is required for new-student scholarships. All students offered admission are considered for first time student scholarships. The Scholarship Committee selects award recipients based on their academic record. See Stockton's website for scholarship details.

Special Programs

In addition to an earlier application deadline, the Accelerated Health Professions (Pre-Med, Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Optometry), Dual-Degree Pharmacy and Early Admission Physical Therapy programs require a separate additional application form. Please find these forms at www.stockton.edu/apply.

Pre-Professional Studies

Stockton's flexible curriculum allows for preparation for professional careers such as medicine, dentistry, veterinary, physical therapy, occupational therapy, engineering, law and pharmacy while pursuing a traditional major. If you are interested in these professions, check the appropriate option at the end of the list of academic majors.

Educational Opportunity Fund Program (EOF)

New Jersey residents only

EOF is a special admissions program for students who meet certain financial and academic requirements. Applicants to the EOF program must be seeking full time admission, have been a resident of New Jersey for at least 12 months prior to entering Stockton, come from an educationally and economically disadvantaged background, and ineligible for admission by traditional Stockton admissions standards. Students receive extensive counseling, tutorial and other support services to ensure success at Stockton. A residential fiveweek pre-college summer program is required of all students who are admitted through the EOF program. This rigorous pre-college program is designed to strengthen academic, social and self-discipline skills required to succeed in college and life. Please review the following gross family income guidelines to determine if you may be eligible and wish to be considered for the EOF program.

EOF Income Eligibility Scale

| Household size | Gross Income ceiling* |
|----------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | \$20,420 |
| 2 | \$27,380 |
| 3 | \$34,340 |
| 4 | \$41,300 |
| 5 | \$48,260 |
| 7 | \$62,180 |
| 8 | \$69.140 |

*add \$6,960 for each additional member of the household

To apply for the EOF program, complete and submit the Freshman Application and be sure to check the "*I am applying for EOF*" box. The Admissions Office will send further information.

All students applying for the EOF program must also file the FAFSA by March 1.

(See Financial Aid above.)

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Health Requirements

All students are required to provide proof of IMMUNIZATION and HEALTH INSURANCE coverage prior to enrolling in a degree program. Please visit the Health Services website at www.stockton.edu/wellness for details of the Requirements for Registration as mandated by N.J. State Law and The Richard Stockton College of N.J. If accepted for admission, your enrollment packet will include details and deadlines regarding health requirement documentation.

HANDICAPPED/DISABLED students admitted to Stockton College are encouraged to contact the Learning Access Program (609-652-4988) for more information of available services.

Application Fee Payment

\$50 check or money order payable to The Richard Stockton College of NJ.

Freshman Application

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Contact Information Legal Name _ Jr., Sr., III, Etc. middle Other names that may appear on your academic records____ Permanent address ___ number and street Mailing address (if different) _ _____ Month/year you began living in that state _____ County ____ State of legal residence ____ Phone number __ Alternate (cell) phone number __ _____ Date of birth _____ Email address_____ Social Security #____ ☐ Parent/☐ Guardian/☐ Spouse Name ___ Address (if different from student address)____ ☐ Parent/☐ Guardian/☐ Spouse Phone ___ _____ Email _____ Stockton alumni in your family? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, name/relation ___ Citizenship ■ U.S. Citizen _____ country of citizenship (attach copy of green card) ☐ Resident Alien (Immigrant) from _ ☐ Non-resident Alien (student visa). country of birth _____ __ country of citizenship*_ Non-resident aliens requiring the F1 visa should also submit the International Student Application forms (see www.stockton.edu/apply) *Non-resident aliens applying for the F1 visa must provide a street address in country of origin Foreign address ___ Race, ethnicity and gender requested for Federal Government reporting purposes only. ☐ Choose not to report ☐ Puerto Rican ☐ Cuban ☐ Central or South American ☐ African American ☐ Asian or Pacific Islander ☐ American Indian or Alaskan Native ☐ Hispanic - Other ■ Mexican ☐ White, Non-Hispanic ☐ Choose not to report **Academic Status Entering Term** ☐ Fall (September) ☐ Spring (January) 20_ ☐ Full Time □ Resident Intended Status □ Part Time □ Commuter International Student □ Yes □ No If yes, when?_____ Previously applied to Stockton, but did not register? ☐ Yes ☐ No Attended Stockton on a non-matriculated basis? ☐ Yes □ No If yes, when?____ Currently taking courses at Stockton? ■ No If yes, how many?____ ☐ Yes Did you graduate from Stockton? ☐ Yes ■ No If ves. when? **High School Information** H. S. name _ H.S. address Did you/will you receive a G.E.D.? Month/year of graduation Yes ■ No

Essay (250-500 words)

Describe how attending Stockton College will help you attain your educational, personal or professional goals.

Honors, Awards, Extracurricular Activities

List any honors or awards, extracurricular, community and individual activities, employment experiences, college courses or dual credit courses you may have taken, or any information you feel may assist us in our evaluation of your credentials. Please use additional page(s).

Anticipated Academic Program

Your application is evaluated for admission to The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey. Choosing an academic interest neither commits you to a specific major, nor guarantees entrance into an academic program. Choose one major \square . (Below certain majors you can choose a specialization O.) If you are uncertain of your academic interest, choose Undecided.

Choose one major.

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| School of Arts & Humanities | School of Education | School of Natural Sciences & | Academic & Career Exploration |
| ☐ Studies in the Arts | ☐ Teacher Education Certification | Mathematics | ☐ Undecided |
| O Visual Art | Must choose a primary subject major | ☐ Biochemistry & Molecular Biology | _ |
| O Dance | with Education as a secondary major | ☐ Biology | Pre-professional Concentrations |
| O Theatre | O Art | O Biotechnology | O Pre-Medical |
| □ Communication Studies | O Biological Science | O Pre-Health Professions | O Pre-Dental |
| ☐ Historical Studies | O Earth Science | ☐ Chemistry | O Pre-Veterinary |
| ☐ Languages & Culture Studies | O Elementary | ☐ Computational Science | O Pre-Physical Therapy |
| ☐ Literature | O English | O Biology | O Pre-Occupational Therapy |
| ☐ Philosophy and Religion | O Language | O Chemistry | O Pre-Engineering |
| | O Mathematics | O Environmental Science | O Pre-Law |
| School of Business | O Physical Science | O Marine Science | O Pre-Pharmacy |
| ☐ Business Studies | O Social Studies | O Mathematics | |
| O Accounting | O Chemistry | O Physics | |
| O Finance | O Applied Physics | ☐ Computational Science 4+1 | Early application deadlines and |
| O International Business | O Special Education | Dual Degree (BS/MS) | special requirements. |
| O Management | | □ Engineering | See Application Instructions. |
| O Marketing | School of Social & Behavioral Sciences | Dual Degree w/ Rutgers or NJIT | |
| □ Business 4+1 | ☐ Criminal Justice | ☐ Environmental Science | |
| Dual Degree (BS/MBA) | O Environmental Crime | ☐ Environmental Science 4+1 | |
| □ Computer Science & | O Forensic Psychology | Dual Degree (BS/PSM) | |
| Information Systems | O Forensics Science | □ Environmental Studies | |
| ☐ Hospitality & Tourism Management | ☐ Criminal Justice 4+1 | ☐ Geology | |
| | Dual Degree (BA/MA) | ☐ Marine Science | |
| School of General Studies | □ Economics | O Marine Biology | |
| ☐ Liberal Studies | □ Political Science | O Oceanography | |
| | □ Psychology | ☐ Mathematics | |
| School of Health Sciences | O General | ☐ Pharmacy (doctorate) ◆ | |
| □ Nursing (four-year prelicensure) ◆ | O Forensic Psychology | Dual Degree w/ Rutgers | |
| ☐ Occupational Therapy (master's) | □ Social Work | □ Physics | |
| ☐ Physical Therapy (doctorate) | ☐ Sociology and Anthropology | ☐ Pre-Medicine ◆ | |
| Early Admission ◆ | | Accelerated seven-year BS/MD | |
| Biology major with PT concentration | | | |
| □ Public Health | | | |
| ☐ Speech Pathology & Audiology | | | |
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| EOF ☐ I am applying for the Educational that I may be eligible for the progr | Opportunity Fund Program. I have read th am. | e EOF description in the Application In | structions and have determined |
| that I may be engine for the progr | un. | | |
| Disciplinary | | | |
| Have you ever been found responsible | ole for a disciplinary violation at an educatio | nal institution you have attended from | 9th grade forward, whether related to |
| academic misconduct or behavioral | misconduct that resulted in your probation, | suspension, removal, dismissal or exp ☐ Yes ☐ No | ulsion from the institution? |
| Have you ever been convicted of a r | nisdemeanor felony or other crime? | □ Yes □ No | |
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| it you answered "yes" to either or bo | oth questions, please attach a separate pap | er giving the approximate date of each | incident and |

Important! All applicants must read and sign the following:

explaining the circumstances.

I hereby acknowledge that the information submitted for this admissions application is true and complete, including all supplemental documentation. I certify that all submissions are my own work, factually true and honestly presented. I attest that I have not been enrolled in, nor have I attended any college, university or post-secondary institution other than those listed on this application. Any misrepresentation of fact will constitute cause for cancellation of my application prior to admission or dismissal following admission.

Signature Date