

Sweet Briar College

Application for Admission for Undergraduate Women

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APPLICATION INFORMATION

Please check appropriate box for application status. All application materials must be received by the appropriate deadline.

- Year of Entrance 20_____
- Regular Decision (Deadline February 1) Spring: First Year (Deadline November 1)
- International (Deadline February 1) Spring: Transfer (Deadline November 1)
- Transfer (Deadline May 1) Spring: Turning Point (Deadline November 1)
- Turning Point (Deadline May 1)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Please type or print neatly in ink.

Name _____
last first middle preferred name

Permanent Home Address _____
street

Permanent Home Address _____
city state country zip code

Home Phone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

E-mail _____

Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____ Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____ Place of Birth _____
mo day year

Citizenship: U.S.A. Non-U.S. Citizen Permanent Resident Permanent Resident Number _____

Dual Citizenship: _____

Mailing Address, if applicable _____
street

_____ city state country zip code

Mailing Address Phone (_____) _____

OPTIONAL

Responses to these questions do not affect your chances for admission. They are used for institutional purposes to track our effectiveness in attracting a range of women with diverse backgrounds. If you choose to answer these questions, regardless of your answer to the first question, please answer both questions.

- 1) Are you of a Hispanic or Latino ethnic background? (A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.) Yes No
- 2) Select 1 (one) or more of the following which best describe your racial background.
 - American Indian or Alaska Native (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America, including Central America, and who maintains a tribal affiliation or community attachment.)
 - Asian (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian Sub-continent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.)
 - Black or African American (A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.)
 - Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.)
 - White (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.)
 - Non-Resident Alien (A person who is not a citizen of the United States, who is in this country on a TEMPORARY basis, and does not have the right to remain indefinitely. Resident Aliens should also select one or more of the above.)

BOARDING SCHOOL OR COLLEGE INFORMATION

Boarding School or College (if applicable) _____ to _____
years attended

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School _____ to _____
Grades 9-12 school address years attended

_____ to _____
school address years attended

School Phone (_____) _____ Guidance Counselor _____

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

I will complete a high school degree at/through public HS private HS homeschooling GED
Under which system does your school operate? semester trimester quarter

FAMILY INFORMATION

Please complete applicable information on all family members.

Check one: Mother Stepmother Guardian
 Living Deceased _____ (year)

Name _____
 Prefix/Suffix _____
 Citizenship _____
 E-mail _____
 Daytime Phone _____
 Evening Phone _____
 Place of Employment _____
 Occupation _____
 Title _____
 Home Address [if different from yours]

 Home Phone [if different from yours]

 College (if any) _____
 Degree _____ Year _____
 Professional/Graduate School _____
 Degree _____ Year _____

Check one: Father Stepfather Guardian
 Living Deceased _____ (year)

Name _____
 Prefix/Suffix _____
 Citizenship _____
 E-mail _____
 Daytime Phone _____
 Evening Phone _____
 Place of Employment _____
 Occupation _____
 Title _____
 Home Address [if different from yours]

 Home Phone [if different from yours]

 College (if any) _____
 Degree _____ Year _____
 Professional/Graduate School _____
 Degree _____ Year _____

Are your parents married? separated? divorced? With whom do you live? _____
 Who is your legal guardian? _____ Relationship _____

List the names and ages of siblings and colleges attended.

List other household members enrolled in college, college they will attend and year of graduation.

maiden name	SBC class	relationship to you
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

List any relatives/friends who attended Sweet Briar.

name	address	phone	<input type="checkbox"/> No Contacts in U.S.
_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Students who are not U.S. citizens are not eligible for Need-based Aid.

I am a candidate for financial aid. yes no
 The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was filed/will be filed on _____
 I am a candidate for VTAG (Virginia Tuition Assistance Grant) for Virginia state residents. yes no
(Note: If you are a legal resident of Virginia who will be enrolled full time [12 hours per semester, fall and spring], you qualify automatically for the VTAG, irrespective of your eligibility for need-based assistance.)
 I am eligible for the Tuition Exchange Program through my parent's place of employment. yes no
 My parent(s) works at Sweet Briar and I am eligible to receive Tuition Remission at Sweet Briar. yes no
 I am eligible for Veteran's benefits. yes no
 I am eligible for the Yellow Ribbon Program through the Post-9/11 GI Bill. yes no
(If you are eligible for the Yellow Ribbon Program, please submit to us your Certificate of Eligibility from the Department of Veterans Affairs so that we can begin working with you and the VA on next steps.)
 I plan to: live on campus. live at home.
(Note: Only students from Amherst County, Nelson County or Lynchburg City are eligible to attend Sweet Briar as day students.)

**APPLICATION
ESSAY**

We are very interested in learning more about you as an individual, and we have chosen essay topics intended to help us get to know you better. In addition to learning about you, we also will be using this essay to evaluate the strength of your writing ability and your readiness to be successful in the academic program at Sweet Briar.

ESSAY QUESTIONS: Choose one from the list below (suggested length is 2-3 typed pages)

1. If you could invite any four women (alive or from history) to dinner, who would they be and why?
2. 50 years from now your local newspaper writes an article about you, your accomplishments, your life. Write that article.
3. Tell us what you do for fun and why that activity is enjoyable/meaningful for you (what makes it fun for you).
4. Identify a significant choice you've made or ethical dilemma you've faced and share with us its impact on you.
5. Describe for us something you've kept for years and why that thing has specific meaning for you.

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (You may attach additional pages if necessary.)

- How did you first learn about Sweet Briar? _____

- What is the most important factor in your general college decision? _____

- What excites you most about attending Sweet Briar? _____

- What is your greatest concern as you consider attending Sweet Briar? _____

- Please list other colleges to which you are applying. _____

OTHER REQUIRED INFORMATION

- Have you ever been found responsible for any sort of disciplinary violation (academic or behavioral) at an educational institution you have attended that resulted in your probation, suspension, removal, dismissal or expulsion from that institution? yes no
- Have you even been convicted of a misdemeanor, felony, or other crime? yes no

If you answered yes to either or both questions, please attach a separate sheet of paper that gives the approximate date of each incident and explains the circumstances surrounding the incident.

**SWEET BRIAR
HONOR PLEDGE**

Sweet Briar women do not lie, cheat, steal, or violate the rights of others. Therefore, I pledge to uphold all standards of honorable conduct. I will report myself and others for any infraction of this pledge.

My signature affirms that the information contained in my application is factually correct, that I am a female, and that this application, including my essay, is my own work.

REQUIRED

Signature _____ Date _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Please feel free to attach any additional information you would like to be considered in your application.

PLEASE SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION WITH A NON-REFUNDABLE APPLICATION FEE OF \$40 IN U.S. DOLLARS. YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED COMPLETE UNTIL ALL INFORMATION IS RECEIVED.