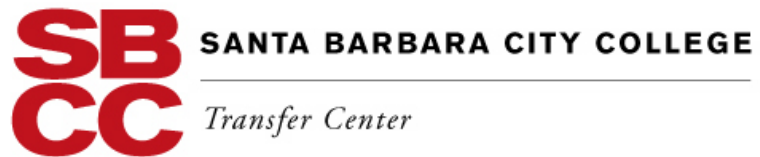



2009-10 USC Application





Fall 2009 Dates and Deadlines

October 15, 2008

- **Part I Application Deadline (USC's Part I application is optional)**

February 2, 2009

- **Transfer Application Deadline for Scholarship and Regular Consideration**

Note: Some Majors have Different Deadlines – See following slides
http://www.usc.edu/admission/undergraduate/apply/additional_req.html



Supplemental Applications & Materials Deadlines

School of Architecture

- **February 2, 2009: Portfolio Submission Deadline**
- <http://arch.usc.edu/Admissions/UndergraduateAdmissions>

Marshall School of Business

- **February 2, 2009, USC Application**
 - **March 1, 2009: Online Supplemental Application Deadline**
 - <http://www.marshall.usc.edu/assets/072/15476.pdf>
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Supplemental Applications & Materials Deadlines

- **School of Cinematic Arts** <http://cinema.usc.edu/admissions/applications/>
 - **Critical Studies Major – February 1, 2009** deadline for USC Admissions Application, School of Cinematic Arts Supplemental Application, and Supplemental Materials
<http://cinema.usc.edu/programs/critical-studies/application-procedures-cs.htm>
 - **Film & Television Production Major - February 1, 2009** deadline for USC Admissions Application, School of Cinematic Arts Supplemental Application, and Supplemental Materials
<http://cinema.usc.edu/programs/production/application-prod.htm>
 - **Writing for Screen and Television Major – December 1, 2008** deadline for USC Admissions Application, School of Cinematic Arts Supplemental Application, and Supplemental Materials
<http://cinema.usc.edu/programs/writing/application-procedures-writing.htm>
 - **Animation and Digital Arts Major- February 1, 2009** deadline for USC Admissions Application, School of Cinematic Arts Supplemental Application, and Supplemental Materials
<http://cinema.usc.edu/programs/hench-animation/application-procedures-hench.htm>
 - **Interactive Media Major - February 1, 2009** deadline for USC Admissions Application, School of Cinematic Arts Supplemental Application, and Supplemental Materials
<http://cinema.usc.edu/programs/interactive-media/application-procedures-interactive.htm>



Supplemental Applications & Materials Deadlines

- **Annenberg School for Communication**
February 2, 2009 – no supplemental application
<http://www.annenberg.usc.edu/Prospective/Undergraduate.aspx>
- **Dental Hygiene – February 2, 2009** http://www.usc.edu/hsc/dental/admissions/dhp_admissions.htm
- **Viterbi School of Engineering – February 2, 2009**
No supplemental application <http://viterbi.usc.edu/admission/transfer/>
- **Roski School of Fine Arts – Supplemental application and Portfolio required – February 2, 2009**
http://roski.usc.edu/admissions_undergraduate/
- **Davis School of Gerontology – February 2, 2009** - No supplemental application
<http://www.usc.edu/dept/gero/academics/undergraduate.shtml>
- **Thornton School of Music – December 1, 2008** (not a postmark date, applications and materials must be on site by deadline) – Supplemental materials/audition required
<http://www.usc.edu/schools/music/admission/>
- **Public Policy, Management, and Planning – February 2, 2009**
<http://www.usc.edu/schools/sppd/programs/undergraduate/bs/admission/index.html>
- **School of Theater – December 1, 2008** – Supplemental application/materials/audition required
<http://theatre.usc.edu/admissions/audition-information.html>



Deadlines

- ❑ Applications submitted or postmarked after the deadlines will typically be considered for the following semester.
 - ❑ In no case will the application materials be returned or the application fee refunded.
 - ❑ It is your responsibility to ensure that all of the materials required to complete your application are sent to USC by the posted deadlines.
 - ❑ Send everything in one packet.
 - ❑ Keep copies of all your documents for your own records.
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When Will You Hear?

- All Transfer applicants who submit a complete application by the deadline will be mailed an admission decision or a request for Spring 2009 semester grades by June 1, 2009.
 - USC does not employ an early decision program.
 - Only notification from the Office of Admission constitutes an offer of admission.
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Information for Applicants with Disabilities

- ❑ **USC offers equal access to its degree programs to academically qualified applicants with physical, psychological or learning disabilities.**
 - ❑ **Applicants must meet entrance requirements. There is no special admission process for students with disabilities.**
 - ❑ **Students who want information about their disabilities to be considered in the review process are encouraged to submit professional diagnostic reports and test scores and/or a personal statement with their application.**
 - ❑ **Special administration scores for standardized tests are accepted.**
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Application Fee

- **Part I Application: \$10**
Part II Application (if Part I was filed): \$40
Part II Application (if Part I was not filed): \$65
- **These fees apply to all applicants, regardless of state of residency or citizenship status.**
- **If paying the application causes a financial hardship, applicants may apply for a fee waiver by obtaining a letter verifying financial hardship from their high school or college counselor. Fee waivers are also available to students applying online.**



Fee Waiver Eligibility

- **The following students are eligible for waiver of the application fee:**
 - **USC employees and children/dependents of USC employees**
 - **NAI program participants**
 - **Students for whom the fee is a financial hardship.**
 - ***A counselor or administrator will need to verify this status.***
 - ***This option is not available to international students.***
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Start Your Application

<https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/>

□ First-time to site: click on “Begin Here”

USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer

https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/

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Undergraduate Application

First Time Visitor
Preview Fall Essay

Fall 2009 Applicants

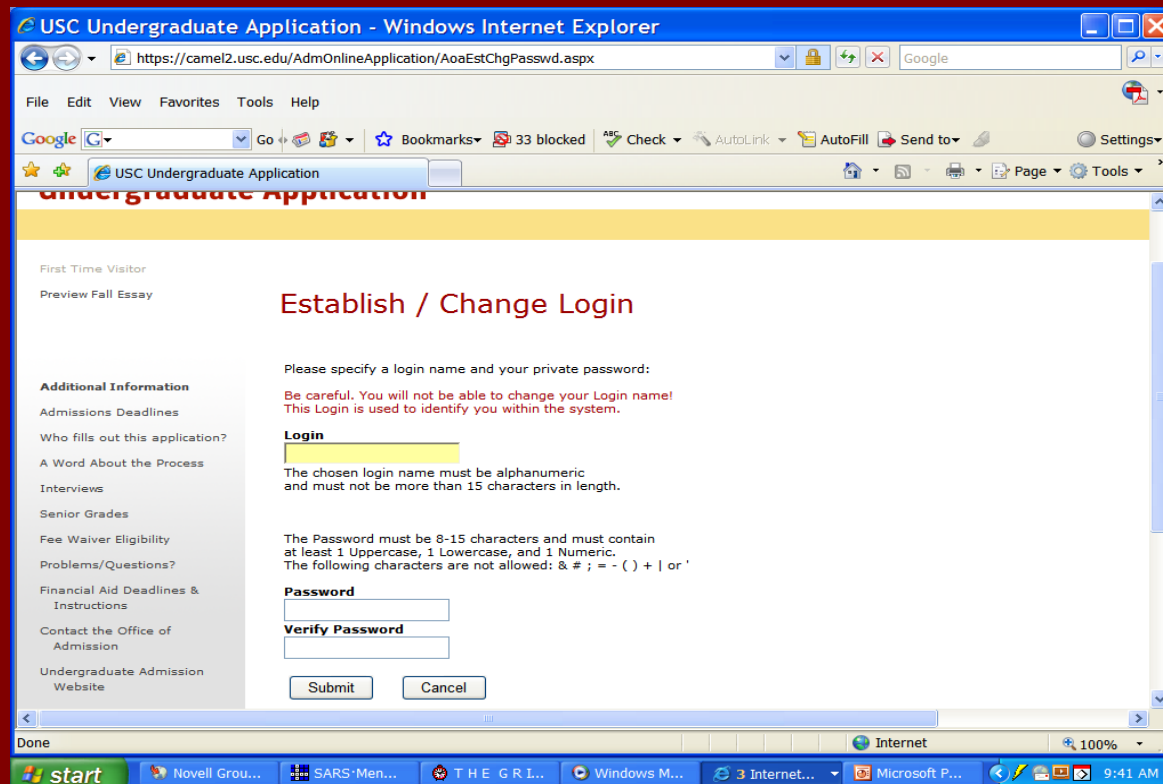
Thank you for your interest in applying to USC. Our online application is designed to streamline and simplify the admissions process. The step-by-step instructions will guide you through the application from start to finish.

Is this your first visit?
If this is your first time applying to USC online.
[Begin Here](#)

Already started your application?
Please login here if you have already started your application.
User ID:
Password:

Admission Deadlines
Several important dates that you may want to keep in mind.
[Click here for more info](#)

Create Your Account...



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https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaEstChgPasswd.aspx

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Establish / Change Login

Please specify a login name and your private password:

Be careful. You will not be able to change your Login name!
This Login is used to identify you within the system.

Login

The chosen login name must be alphanumeric and must not be more than 15 characters in length.

The Password must be 8-15 characters and must contain at least 1 Uppercase, 1 Lowercase, and 1 Numeric.
The following characters are not allowed: & # ; = - () + | or ' .

Password

Verify Password

Done

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- ❑ You will not be able to change your Login name!
This Login is used to identify you within the system.

Complete Profile Information Form

- Name
- Birth date
- Permanent and Local Address
- Phone number
- Email address
- FAX number
- Then click “Submit”

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer". The address bar displays "https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaWebProfile.aspx". The browser's menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Favorites", "Tools", and "Help". The toolbar contains various icons for navigation and utility. The main content area is titled "Profile Information" and contains a form with the following sections:

- Complete the information below to update or start your file with USC.**
- Your Name:**
 - * Last (Family):
 - * First:
 - Middle:
- Maiden/other name(s) you use:**
 - Last (Family)
 - First
 - Middle
- USCID (if known):**
If you have been assigned a USC ID number, please enter it here.

The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows the Windows Start button, several open applications (Novell Groupware, SARS Men..., T H E G R I..., Windows M...), and the system tray with the date and time (9:48 AM).

Your Profile Information

The image displays two screenshots of a Windows Internet Explorer browser window showing the USC Undergraduate Application profile information page. The browser address bar shows the URL: <https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaWebProfileConfirm.aspx>.

The page title is "Your Profile Information". A message at the top states: "If there are any mistakes, [return to the form](#). Correct the information and click the "Submit" button."

The profile information is as follows:

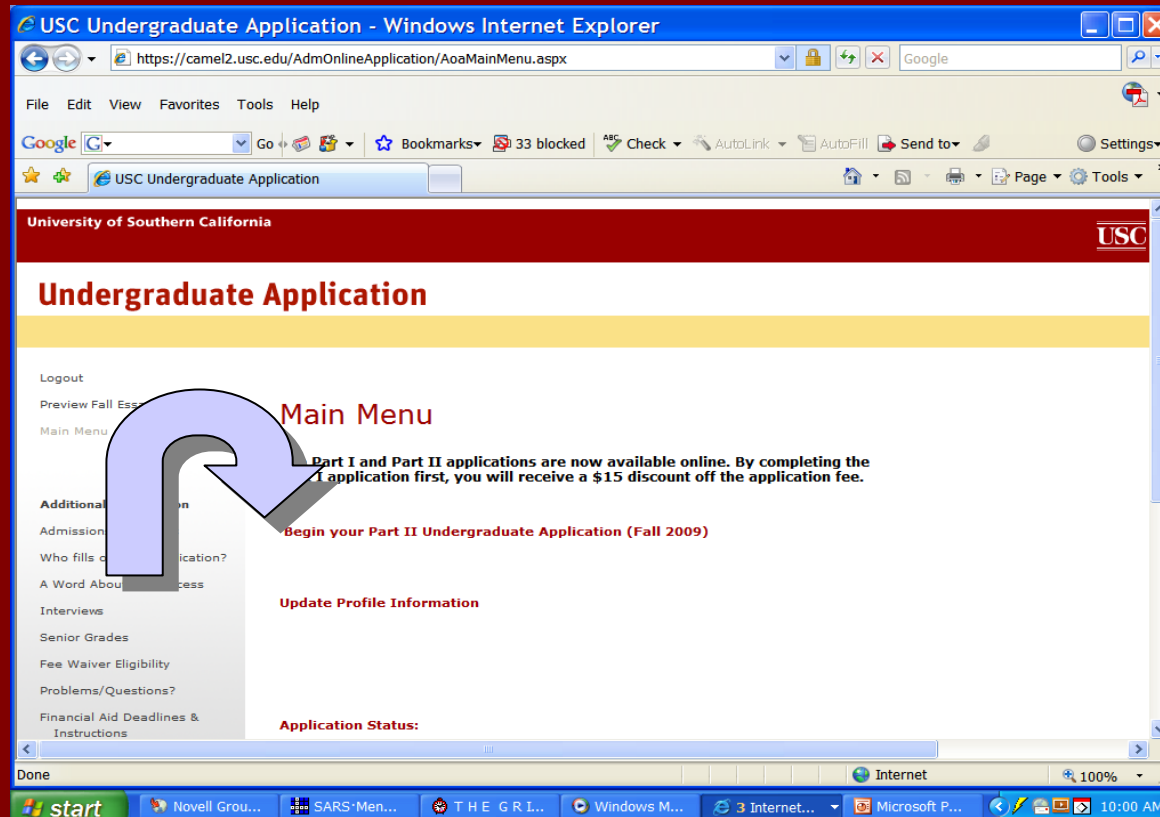
- Your Name: **Baxter Maya**
- Maiden/other name(s) you use:
- Birthdate: **03/03/1983**
- Mailing Address: **5353 Carpinteria Ave
Carpinteria, CA 93013
United States of America**
- Local Address: **5353 Carpinteria Ave
Carpinteria, CA 93013
United States of America**
- Phone Number:
- Mailing Address: **5353 Carpinteria Ave
Carpinteria, CA 93013
United States of America**
- Local Address: **5353 Carpinteria Ave
Carpinteria, CA 93013
United States of America**
- Phone Number: **805-729-3333**
- Foreign Phone Number: **You have not supplied this information.**
- Other Phone Number: **You have not supplied this information.**
- Email Address: **baxter@cox.net**
- Fax Number: **You have not supplied this information.**

At the bottom of the page, there is a button labeled "Information OK...Proceed".

- ❑ Review the information to confirm it's accuracy.
- ❑ Click "Information OK...Proceed" to continue

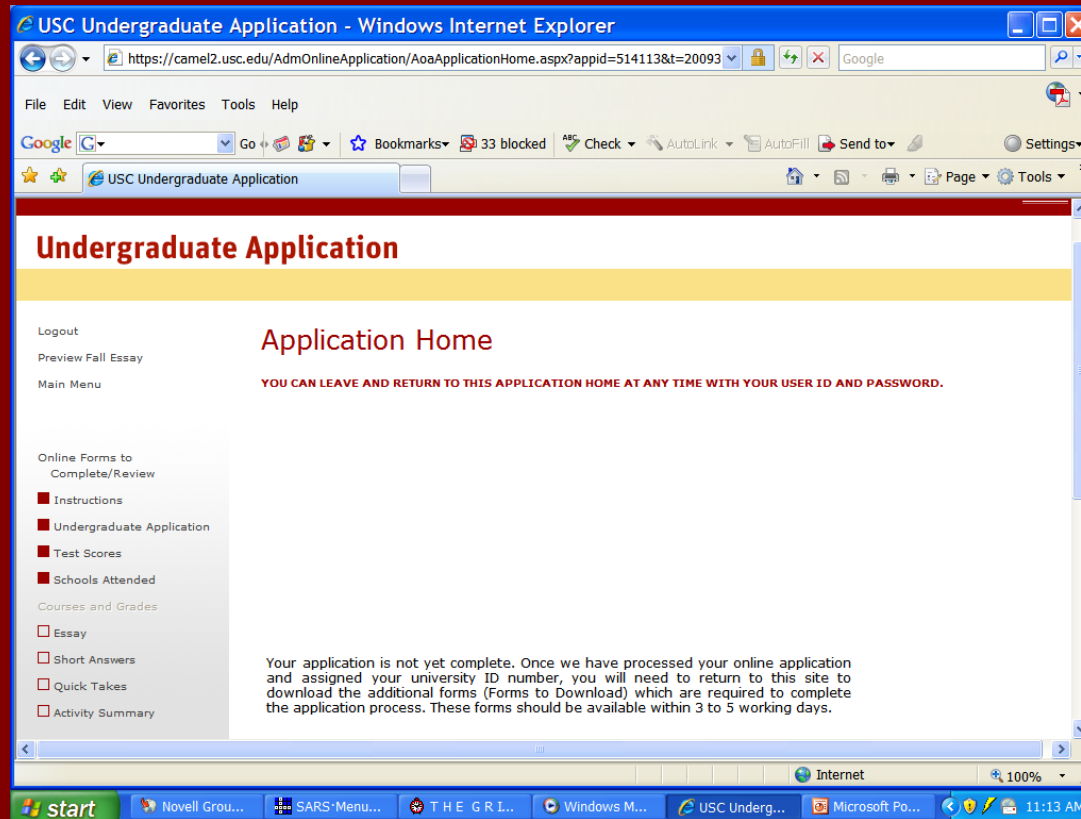
Main Menu -

<https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/Default.aspx>



- ❑ Click on “Begin your Part II Application (Fall 2009)”
- ❑ After you submit your application you can check on the status from this page.

Application Home

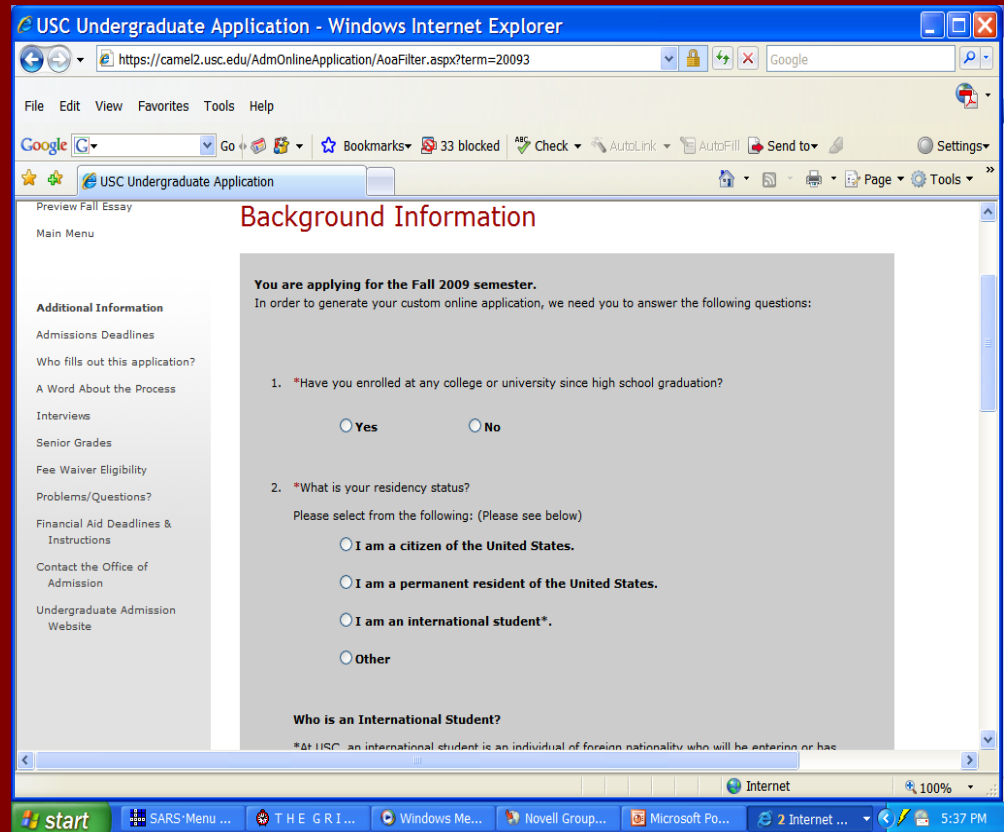


- You can leave and return to this application home at any time with your User ID and password.

Background Information

On this page you will provide the following information:

- Have you enrolled in a college after high school graduation?
- What is your residency status?
- Were you born in the United States?
- Select your intended major and alternate major (optional).
- Pre-professional emphasis (optional)



The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the USC Undergraduate Application website. The address bar shows the URL: <https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaFilter.aspx?term=20093>. The page title is "USC Undergraduate Application". The main content area is titled "Background Information" and contains the following text:

You are applying for the Fall 2009 semester.
In order to generate your custom online application, we need you to answer the following questions:

- *Have you enrolled at any college or university since high school graduation?**
 Yes No
- *What is your residency status?**
Please select from the following: (Please see below)
 I am a citizen of the United States.
 I am a permanent resident of the United States.
 I am an international student*.
 Other

Who is an International Student?
*At USC an international student is an individual of foreign nationality who will be entering or has

The left sidebar contains a "Main Menu" with the following links: Preview Fall Essay, Admissions Deadlines, Who fills out this application?, A Word About the Process, Interviews, Senior Grades, Fee Waiver Eligibility, Problems/Questions?, Financial Aid Deadlines & Instructions, Contact the Office of Admission, and Undergraduate Admission Website.

Undergraduate Application

On this page you will provide the following information:

- ❑ Gender
- ❑ Marital Status
- ❑ Ethnic origin
- ❑ Birthplace
- ❑ USC transferable GPA and units
- ❑ Report any misconduct that led to suspension or expulsion from a school
- ❑ Arrest record
- ❑ Language spoken in home
- ❑ Father's & Mother's name, employment information, and educational history
- ❑ Family members attendance at USC
- ❑ 1st generation in family to attend college
- ❑ If parents or Spouse are employed by USC.

USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer

https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaApplication.aspx

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Main Menu

Undergraduate Application

Click below to review your Background and Profile information for accuracy.

[Background Information](#)

[Profile Information](#)

[Application](#)

*Gender. Please select from the following list: Female Male

*Marital Status. Please select from the following list: Married Single

Are you Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina? Yes No

Ethnic Origin. Please select from the list below:
To make multiple selections, please hold down the CTRL or Control key while clicking on the choices.

Return to Application Home

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Test Scores

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer". The address bar displays the URL "https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaTestScores.aspx". The page content includes a navigation menu on the left with options like "Logout", "Preview Fall Essay", and "Main Menu". The main heading is "Undergraduate Application" followed by "Test Scores". Below this, there are tabs for "Summary", "SAT", "ACT", "SAT Subjects", "AP", and "TOEFL". The "SAT" tab is active, showing a table with four rows of input fields for "Date(mm/yyyy)", "Score", and "Subject".

	Date(mm/yyyy)	Score	Subject
1.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="- Select -"/>
2.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="- Select -"/>
3.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="- Select -"/>
4.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="- Select -"/>

□ See following slide for information on who needs to report test scores.



Who is required to send Test Scores?

□ **SAT and ACT**

USC requires scores from either the SAT or the ACT (with the optional Writing test) from: transfer students who have accumulated fewer than 30 transferable semester units since finishing high school.

□ **AP Exam Results**

Transfer applicants who have taken Advanced Placement (AP) examinations are encouraged to provide those results.

□ **TOEFL Results**

International transfer applicants must take the TOEFL unless they have successfully completed, or are currently taking, a college course equivalent to USC's freshman English composition (WRIT 130).

School History

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https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaSchoolHistory.aspx

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School History

[Add a High School](#)
[Add a College or University](#)

CEEB Code	School Name	City	State	Country	Dates of Attendance
Edit 120174	Kealakehe High School	Kailua Kona	HI	US	09/1999 - 06/2003 Remove
Edit 004690	Santa Barbara City College	Santa Barbara	CA	US	08/2003 - 05/2009 Remove

This is a complete list of all secondary schools and colleges/universities that I have attended.

Provide the following information for all high schools and colleges attended:

- CEEB Code; School Name; City; State; Country; and Dates of Attendance

Essay

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https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaEssay.aspx

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Online Forms to Complete/Review

- Instructions
- Undergraduate Application
- Test Scores
- Schools Attended

Courses and Grades

- Essay
- Short Answers
- Quick Takes

Please enter / paste your essay into the text area below:

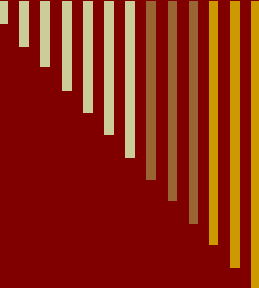
* If you are pasting from a word processor to your web browser, please be aware that many browsers cannot handle special characters or formatting, e.g. ô, ø, ö, ñ, é. Also, many browsers do not support smart quotes, a regular feature in many word processors. Please check before pasting.

Please write an essay, approximately 500-700 words (typically one page) in length on one of following topics. Check the box for your topic.

The 18th century French philosopher Denis Diderot said, "Only passions, great passions can elevate the soul to great things." Describe one of your passions and reflect on how it has contributed to your personal

Done

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- **Essay Question** - Please write an essay of approximately 500-700 words (typically about two double-spaced pages) on one of following topics:
 - The 18th-century French philosopher Denis Diderot said, “Only passions, great passions, can elevate the soul to great things.” Describe one of your passions and discuss its contribution to your personal growth.
 - Thomas Edison failed many times before successfully inventing the modern electric light bulb. He said, “If I find 10,000 ways something won’t work, I haven’t failed. I am not discouraged, because every wrong attempt discarded is another step forward.” Reflect on an accomplishment you achieved in an unlikely way.
 - Newton’s First Law of Motion states that an object in motion tends to stay in motion in the same direction unless acted upon by an external force. Tell us about an external influence (a person, an event, etc.) that affected you and how it caused you to change direction.



Short Answers

- **Short Answers** - Please answer questions 1 through 3. Question 4 is optional.
 - 1. Tell us about an activity that is important to you, and why.
 - 2. Describe your academic interests and how you plan to pursue them at USC. (Transfers only: Please be sure to address your first- and second-choice major selections.)
 - 3. Why are you planning to transfer to USC?
 - 4. If there is any information you believe is relevant to our consideration of you as an applicant that is not already contained in your application, feel free to explain on an additional sheet.



Quick Takes

- Quick Takes - Please respond to each of the following in one sentence or less. (A single word may suffice.) Have fun.
 - Three words that describe you
 - Favorite leisure activity
 - Favorite food
 - Last book you read for pleasure
 - Role model
 - Best movie of all time
 - Favorite musical performer/band/composer
 - Favorite quote
 - Most prized possession
 - Dream job
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Activity Summary

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer". The address bar displays the URL "https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaActivitySummary.aspx". The page content includes a navigation menu on the left with options like "Logout", "Preview Fall Essay", "Main Menu", and "Activity Summary" (which is selected). The main content area is titled "Activity Summary" and contains the following text:

Undergraduate Application

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- Schools Attended

Courses and Grades

- Essay
- Short Answers
- Quick Takes
- Activity Summary

Activity Summary

This is our resume form in which you summarize your various activities and awards. Our intent is to learn about how you spend your time in your school, or in your community. But do provide an estimate of how much time you typically spent on each item (e.g., Math Club, grades 9-11, 2 hours/week).

Please list items in the following order:

1. Offices held and activities and organizations in which you have participated (athletics, debate, academic decathlon, community service, cultural and religious organizations, etc.):

2. Honors and awards received (list title), including National Merit Semi-Finalist, National Achievement, Westinghouse, Girls/Boys State, Alpha Gamma Sigma, etc.:

- Activities
- Honors & Awards
- Work Experience
- Summer programs/conferences
- Special experiences, background, unusual hobby
- Explain gaps in education
- List courses and unit values of the courses you are enrolled in this semester.

- This is the resume form in which you summarize your various activities and awards. USC's intent is to learn about how you spend your time in your school, or in your community.

Application Home

USC Undergraduate Application - Windows Internet Explorer

https://camel2.usc.edu/AdmOnlineApplication/AoaApplicationHome.aspx

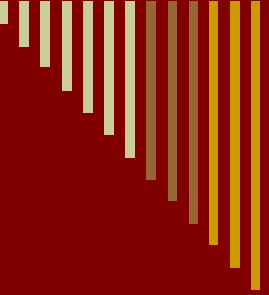
Application Home

YOU CAN LEAVE AND RETURN TO THIS APPLICATION HOME AT ANY TIME WITH YOUR USER ID AND PASSWORD.

Your application is not yet complete. Once we have processed your online application and assigned your university ID number, you will need to return to this site to download the additional forms (Forms to Download) which are required to complete the application process. These forms should be available within 3 to 5 working days.

Forms to Download (Show) Download/Print Application (Show)

- After you have submitted your application and USC has processed your online application and assigned your university ID number, you will need to return to this site to download the additional forms (Forms to Download) which are required to complete the application process. These forms should be available within 3 to 5 working days.



How to confirm receipt of application materials such as SAT scores, transcripts, etc...

Contact the Office of Admission by e-mail or by telephone at (213) 740-1111 (weekdays)

Application Status Check

http://www.usc.edu/admission/undergraduate/apply/status_check.html

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window. The title bar reads "USC Undergraduate Admission - Application Status Check - Windows Internet Explorer". The address bar contains the URL "http://www.usc.edu/admission/undergraduate/apply/status_check.html". The browser's menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Favorites", "Tools", and "Help". The toolbar shows "Go", "Bookmarks", "33 blocked", "Check", "AutoLink", "AutoFill", "Send to", and "Settings". The page content features the USC logo and the heading "Undergraduate Admission". A navigation bar includes links for "PREPARE FOR USC", "LEARN ABOUT USC", "VISIT USC", "APPLY TO USC", "FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS", and "CONTACT US". The main content area is titled "Application Status Check" and includes instructions for Freshmen, Transfer Students, and International Students. A sidebar on the left lists navigation options: "Freshmen", "Transfer Students", "International Students", "Dates & Deadlines", "Your Admission Counselor", "Apply Now", and "Application Status Check". The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the Start button and several open applications, including "SARS Menu", "THE GRI...", "Windows Me...", "Novell Group...", and "2009-10 US...". The system clock indicates the time is 6:48 PM.

USC Undergraduate Admission - Application Status Check - Windows Internet Explorer

http://www.usc.edu/admission/undergraduate/apply/status_check.html

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Undergraduate Admission

PREPARE FOR USC | LEARN ABOUT USC | VISIT USC | **APPLY TO USC** | FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS | CONTACT US

Application Status Check

Freshmen

Transfer Students

To check the status of your application, click [here](#).

International Students

Log on to the Undergraduate Application website with the User ID and Password you created when you completed the online application.

Dates & Deadlines

Your Admission Counselor

Apply Now

Application Status Check

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Transfer Center Drop-In Advising Hours, SS 140

November 3rd – December 19th

Mon: 10am-1-pm & 3-5pm

Tues: 10am-1-pm & 3-5pm

Wed: 10am - 5pm

Thur: 8:30am-4 pm

Fri: 8:30am – 12pm
