Salem College welcomes your application. When we receive your completed form, you will be assigned a personal admissions counselor who will work closely with you throughout the application process. Until then, if you have any questions, you may reach admission or financial aid counselors at admiss@salem.edu or 336-721-2621.

- Salem does not provide full scholarship or tuition grants to any students. Please be prepared to partially finance your education.
- Applicants who are non-native speakers of English will be required to submit either TOEFL or SAT I/ACT scores. TOEFL materials may be obtained by writing to TOEFL, PO Box 6151, Princeton, NJ 08541-6151.
- Applicants who wish to establish transfer credit for course(s) earned outside the US should contact www.wes.org to secure a "course-by-course" evaluation of all credentials.

**INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS ON F/J VISAS**

While the Office of Undergraduate Admissions is pleased to learn of your interest in Salem, we can offer limited financial assistance to non-immigrant students. If you and your family can contribute toward your educational expenses, and if the academic program you are interested in is offered at Salem, we welcome your application.

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Salem's admission process is designed to enroll highly motivated students with strong academic ability who can benefit from and contribute to the College community. The Committee on Admissions considers each application individually. We base each admission decision on a number of factors: academic achievement, extracurricular activities, individual talents, and community service, among others.

Although we do not require a personal interview for admission, we would like to meet you. We encourage you to visit the Salem campus, meet with a staff member in our Admissions Office, talk with our professors and students, sample a class, and tour the campus. As we get to know more about you, we hope you will become better acquainted with Salem.

SECONDARY SCHOOL PREPARATION
To be considered for admission to Salem, you must have at least 16 high school academic units. We require the following distribution of courses:
- English—4 credits
- Foreign language—2 credits
- History—2 credits
- Mathematics—3 credits
  Algebra I, II, and Geometry
- Science—3 credits
- Electives—3 credits in college preparatory courses

TO APPLY FOR FRESHMAN ADMISSION
Freshman applicants should present the following credentials:
- A completed Application for Admission (Parts I and II, included in this package). You may also use the Common Application or submit your application electronically. (See instructions on this page.) We encourage students to submit Part I as soon as possible to begin the application process; Part II may be sent under separate cover.
- A $30 nonrefundable application fee payable to Salem College, accompanying your completed application.
- An official copy of your current secondary school transcript with English translation. Please ask your guidance counselor to send this to the Salem College Office of Admissions.
- Official scores from either the SAT, ACT or TOEFL.
- Recommendations from two teachers who know you and your abilities well. The forms are included in this package. Please give the form and a stamped envelope addressed to the Office of Admissions, Salem College, Winston-Salem, NC 27108, to each of your teachers.
- Certification of Finances
- International Student Financial Aid Application
- All applicants for the School of Music’s Bachelor of Music degree must audition. One of the teacher recommendations must be from a music teacher.

APPLICATION DEADLINES
Although there is no formal admission deadline, we encourage you to apply early in the fall of your senior year. Within three weeks of receiving your completed credentials, Salem will inform you of a decision. Therefore, the sooner you apply, the sooner we can give you an answer.

TRANSFER ADMISSION
If you wish to transfer to Salem from another college or university, you should meet the general freshman entrance requirements. In addition to those credentials, you must submit:
- An official transcript from each college attended evaluated by WES.
- A catalog from each college previously attended with completed courses clearly marked.
- A statement of good standing from the Dean of Students of each college previously attended. Transfer applicants must have a minimum grade point average of 2.0 (based on a 4.0 scale) for all previous college work.

FINANCIAL AID
Salem admits students based on their demonstrated achievements and then works with each family individually to help make Salem affordable. Information about financial aid is included in this package.

DIGITAL AND OTHER WAYS TO APPLY
As alternatives to using the enclosed application, students may apply to Salem in several ways:
- On the World Wide Web: You may file the application on Salem’s home page (www.salem.edu), or through the Common Application (www.commonapp.org), the Princeton Review (www.review.com), Peterson’s (www.petersons.com), CollegeLink (www.collegelink.com), or, for North Carolina residents, the College Foundation of North Carolina (www.cfnc.org).

INTERVIEWS AND TOURS
To arrange an informational interview with a member of the admissions staff, please call before your planned visit. Interviews and campus tours are available weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Student-guided tours are scheduled at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. when the College is in session. If you would like, we can also arrange for you to meet with a member of the faculty and attend a class.
Legal name ________________________________________________________________

Home address ____________________________________________________________

Phone number and street _____________________________________________________________________________________________

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Please respond to one of the following topics or submit a sample of your written work that represents you well. (Suggested length: 300-500 words)

1. Briefly discuss one activity or achievement that has had the most meaning to you and describe why.

2. Discuss how a particular book, play, or film has influenced you.

3. Evaluate a significant academic or intellectual experience that has broadened your perspective in some way.

   How did this experience change the way you think? Suggested length: 300-500 words.