



Application Checklist

In order to complete your Interlochen Arts Academy application, you'll need to provide the materials listed below. Visit our [How to Apply](#) page for more detailed information. All applications are submitted online.

To start your application:

- ☐ Register for an account within the Interlochen Education Community at interlochen.org/apply
- ☐ Create a student and parent account

Be sure to include in your application:

- ☐ Student and family contact information
- ☐ Contact information for a school principal or guidance counselor
- ☐ Official or unofficial transcripts from the last three years of school
- ☐ Optional SSAT test scores
- ☐ Your audition or portfolio materials—requirements vary by arts area
- ☐ English language testing results (for international applicants only)

If you are interested in merit- or need-based financial assistance, you must also complete the Clarity financial aid application.

Important Dates

Submit your application by one of our pre-assessment deadlines to receive feedback and make sure you meet all of the application requirements. If changes are needed, you'll be able to update your app by the deadline.

Many of our majors reach capacity, and the best way to ensure your enrollment into your program of choice, and be considered for financial aid, is to apply during our early decision period.

Nov. 1
Pre-Assessment Deadline

Nov. 15
Early Action App Deadline

Dec. 10
Pre-Assessment Deadline

Jan. 15
Early Decision App Deadline