

## **APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

## FOR FALL 2026 ADMISSION

☐ TAP Application	Fill out the entire <u>application</u> . Make sure you click through all the pages until you reach the confirmation page.
☐ TAP Information Session	The applicant and all parents/guardians must attend a TAP Information Session and Campus Tour no more than one year before submitting their application. Schedule a campus visit here. Upload the Certificate of Attendance that you receive at the end of the tour.
Resume	Upload your resume. List your work or volunteer experiences, job training at school, internships, and any clubs or extracurricular activities you have done.
☐ Video	<ul> <li>Upload a 1-3 minute video where you tell us:</li> <li>Your name</li> <li>Why you want to join TAP at UC</li> <li>What you want to learn at the University of Cincinnati</li> <li>Your future goals (like getting a job)</li> <li>Your favorite social or fun activity</li> <li>Anything else you want to share about yourself</li> </ul>
Official Transcript	Send your official transcripts from high school and any college or training programs you have attended.
<b>■</b> Behavior Records	Upload all behavior records from any school you have attended. If you don't have any behavior records, upload a letter from your school stating you don't have a behavior record.
<ul><li>Special Education Documents</li></ul>	Upload the signed copies of the most recent IEP, 504 Plan, and/or ETR you have.
<ul><li>Psychoeducational Evaluation</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Upload a report from the last two years that includes:</li> <li>Full-scale IQ</li> <li>Achievement testing</li> <li>Cognitive ability</li> <li>Social and emotional testing</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Guardianship</li><li>Documentation</li></ul>	If someone has legal guardianship or power of attorney over you, upload the official paperwork. If this doesn't apply to you, skip this step.
☐ Parent Forms	Readiness Survey and Personal Support Form will be sent when the application is turned in and must be filled out by your parent(s) or guardian(s).
Recommendations	Ask 2 people (not family members) who have known you for at least one year to complete a recommendation form and letter. The recommendation form will be emailed to them from the application system.
Application Fee	Pay the \$65 non-refundable fee. <u>Pay online here.</u>
APPLICATION TIMELINE	

**August 1, 2025** TAP Application Opens

September-October TAP Information Sessions

October 24, 2025 Early Action Applications Due

early December 2025 On-Campus Interviews for Eligible Applicants

late December 2025 Early Action Decision Emailed to Applicants

January 23, 2026 Regular Decision Applications Due

**February-March** On-Campus Interviews for Eligible Applicants

late March 2026 Decision Sent to Applicants

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