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General Information

GENERAL INFORMATION

Please read the "Admissions Information" and "Application Instructions" sections carefully before completing and forwarding your admissions application to Lock Haven University.

Lock Haven University operates on "rolling admission." This means that completed applications are reviewed as they are received and decision letters are released as soon as possible. The application process normally takes 4-8 weeks. You should apply as early as possible.

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To be considered for admission, you must graduate from an accredited high school or hold a high school diploma equivalency certificate (G.E.D.). School records and recommendations should reflect that you possess a strong academic background and the personal interests, character, personality, and attitude to be successful at Lock Haven University. You should also complete the SAT or the ACT and have these scores sent to the university. Although letters of recommendation and personal essays are not required, they will be considered in the application review process if they are provided.

TRANSFERS

Transfer students who have completed 12 or more transferable credits are evaluated on the basis of their college-level work. Students who have completed fewer than 12 transferable credits will be asked to submit high school records and standardized test scores.

INTERNATIONAL

Contact the Institute for International Studies for specific instructions regarding application procedures or visit www.lhup.edu/international-studies/.

ACT 101 / EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM - E.O.P.

ACT 101/E.O.P., a state-funded pre-college, summer program with continuous assistance during the academic year, offers an opportunity for students who have the potential for success, but have special academic and economic needs.

Students who demonstrate economic and educational disadvantages can benefit from the ACT 101/E.O.P. program which provides additional services to qualified students from Pennsylvania. Applicants who want to be considered for ACT 101/E.O.P. assistance should file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by March 1.

FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS

For more information about Financial Aid and Scholarships, please request the LHU Financial Aid booklet or visit www.lhup.edu/financial-services. All students enrolled or accepted into a degree program are eligible to apply for financial aid.

STUDENTS REQUESTING DISABILITY SERVICES

Although this information cannot be considered in the admissions process, students requesting learning or physical disability services are required to submit a psychological evaluation to the Office of Disability Services (ODS), Russell Hall, Lock Haven University, Lock Haven PA 17745.



Admissions Information

GENERAL ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

The Office of Admissions at Lock Haven University processes applications until the point that capacity is reached for any semester. It is important for students to complete the application process early in the fall of their senior year. Normal processing time for applications is four to eight weeks, depending on the time of year.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all materials required for evaluation are received in the Office of Admissions. Having requested that a transcript or other materials be sent does not ensure that they have been received in the Office of Admissions. Delays may occur at sending institutions and materials are periodically lost in transit. If you do not hear from us within six weeks, please contact the office to check the status of your application. Application evaluation is completed only after all required materials are received and processed.

FRESHMEN

Academic Eligibility

Academic eligibility is determined based upon several variables. The most important factors are:

- Academic courses
- Rank in class and grade point average
- Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT)

To be considered a freshman, a student must submit transcripts that include the junior year in high school. Each application is evaluated when the necessary documentation arrives. Students are then notified of their status. Those students who are denied admission may request reconsideration after completion of an additional semester of work that shows a significant improvement in class rank or upon earning significantly higher scores upon a subsequent testing of the SAT or ACT. This must come as a written request from the student. Students who are denied admission may also reapply as a transfer student once they have successfully completed 12 transferable credits at another regionally-accredited college or university. Certain academic programs have specific requirements that may be higher than those required for general admission. Students who do not meet the requirements for a specific program, but who meet the general requirements for the university will be given the option to be considered as an exploratory studies (undeclared) major.

For students applying for the 2010-2011 academic year, we will consider the critical reasoning (verbal) and math scores only. The writing score will not be

used in the admission decision process. The highest score from each section will be used to render the admission decision.

Freshman Holds

The academic background of some students is such that the university will decide to defer a decision until additional materials are received. These would include new SAT/ACT scores or transcript showing grades from at least one additional marking period. While a deferral does not represent a denial, the student should not assume that admission will automatically be granted when new materials are received. Significant increases in rank, grades, and/ or test scores are sometimes required. Students whose records are "on hold" should expect a final decision from the Office of Admissions when updated materials are received and processed.

TRANSFER

Academic Eligibility

Eligibility as a transfer student is based upon the college level work which has been completed. Students who have completed fewer than 12 transferable credits (non-remedial) must also submit high school or G.E.D. credentials and official SAT or ACT scores. Certain academic programs have specific requirements, which may be higher than those required for general admission. Students who do not meet the requirements for a specific program, but who meet the general requirements for the university, will be given the option to select another major.

Transfer Holds

The academic background of some students is such that the university will decide to defer a decision until one additional semester of work is completed. Students whose records are on "hold" should expect a final decision from the Office of Admissions when updated materials are received and processed.

CONFIRMATION DEPOSITS

The student must confirm an offer of admission by sending in the required non-refundable deposit by the specified deadline. The student can request an extension of the confirmation date by writing the Director of Admissions. Entering freshmen are required to reside in the residence halls with the exception of those students who are residing in the home of their parents or guardians, which must be within a fifty-mile radius of Lock Haven University. Capacity in the residence halls may be reached before the entering class is filled. In this event, freshmen may be placed in expanded housing. Transfer students may enroll, but may be required to find off-campus housing. Call for further information.

Application Instructions

Please read carefully before proceeding to application.

Please complete the enclosed application and return to the Office of Admissions as soon as possible. You may also apply online by visiting the "apply" section of our website: www.lhup.edu/admissions.

Online Application Fee: \$25 Paper Application Fee: \$40

OVERVIEW

- 1. Your social security number will be your identification number. If you do not have one, please contact your local Social Security Office.
- 2. Your application must be signed before it can be officially processed. Electronic application will follow a different procedure. Please follow the instructions at the end of the electronic application.
- 3. Completed applications are reviewed as received, and you will usually be notified of our decision within four to eight weeks of submitting an application. In some cases, additional information may be required, such as senior grades and senior year SAT or ACT scores.
- 4. The \$40.00 application fee must be received before review can begin. The fee for electronic applications is \$25.00.

FRESHMEN

- 1. Take the completed application and non-refundable processing fee to your high school guidance office. Request that a secondary school transcript and test records (SAT or ACT) be sent by your guidance counselor with your application and fee. Written recommendations are optional. Transcripts should include your senior course schedule and junior class rank.
- 2. The admissions staff may request mid-year grades before taking final action on your application.
- 3. Have the results of the SAT or ACT sent directly to the Office of Admissions. Test scores received on an official high school transcript are acceptable.

TRANSFERS

- 1. Submit official transcripts of ALL college-level course work you have attempted. Official transcripts must be mailed directly from the issuing institution to the Office of Admissions. If you are currently enrolled at another college or university, please be sure to list courses currently in progress on the application, and have a final transcript sent upon the conclusion of the semester of study.
- 2. Transfer students who provide an official transcript verifying completion of 12 transferable credits or more will not be required to submit a high school transcript or test scores for a decision on admission.
- 3. Individual interviews may be scheduled most days Monday-Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Please bring a transcript for each college/university attended to the interview so that an unofficial credit evaluation may be completed.

HOME SCHOOLED STUDENTS

Lock Haven University welcomes applications from students who have been home schooled. Please review the guidelines under the freshmen/transfer sections as well as the following information:

1. Home schooled applicants should submit a transcript of all secondary level course work from state/commonwealth recognized home education diploma program or your home

school district (samples of completed course work are also recommended).

- 2. All home schooled applicants are required to submit at least one set of SAT or ACT scores. Home schooled students must also include two or more letters of recommendation from someone outside of the home.
- 3. If an official high school diploma is not awarded by an accredited agency, home-schooled applicants must submit an official copy of the General Education Development Exam (GED) transcript and the GED scores from all five sections of the test. This information must be mailed directly from the Department of Education of the state issuing the diploma.
- 4. Personal interviews with an Admissions staff member are required for home schooled applicants.

OTHER APPLICANTS

If you have been out of school for more than two years, you may fall into the "non-traditional" category. Non-traditional students should follow the freshmen or transfer admissions guidelines with the following modifications:

- 1. Any student who has been out of high school for 3 or more years is not required to submit their SAT or ACT scores to apply for admission.
- Any student who has not been continually enrolled in college since high school graduation is required to submit a resume of activities since high school graduation.
- The Admissions staff will consider past academic accomplishments and work experience in their admission review process.
- 4. The Admissions staff encourages a personal interview on campus to fully address and accommodate your circumstances.

CAMPUS VISITS

We encourage and welcome you to visit the Lock Haven University campus. Information Sessions given by an admissions counselor and tours guided by a student occur Monday through Friday at 10:15 a.m. Saturday visitation are available on most weekends when fall and spring classes are in session.

You may request to discuss individual concerns with an admissions counselor Monday - Friday. Appointments should be arranged in advance at 570-484-2027. Weekend programs such as Open Houses, campus tours, and other special programs are offered. Visitation options and dates are available online at: www.lhup.edu/admissions/visit/

QUESTIONS

Questions and concerns about admission should be directed to: Office of Admissions, 570-484-2027. Fax: 570-484-2201. E-mail: admissions@lhup.edu. Website: www.lhup.edu. For additional information regarding other offices at Lock Haven University, call 570-484-2027.

FINANCIAL AID

Please request our Guide to Financial Aid brochure or contact Student Financial Services, 123 Russell Hall at 570-484-2344 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION

You may apply to Lock Haven University electronically by visiting www.lhup.edu/admissions. Click on Applying to LHU.

Undergraduate Application

You may apply online at www.lhup.edu/admissions for a reduced fee of \$25.

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Please read application instructions before completing this form.

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Mailing instructions: Separate at perforation and take to your Guidance Counselor with your \$40 processing fee. Then mail application and fee in the enclosed envelope to : Office of Admissions, Lock Haven University, Lock Haven, PA 17745

Undergraduate Majors

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Accounting	ACCT	Pre-Professional	HLTH/PPR
Applied Computer Science		Pre-Physical Therapy	HLTH/PPT
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Athletic Training	HLTH/ATH	Latin American Studies	INTL/LAT
Biology	BIOL	Math	MATH
 Cellular/Organismal 	BIOL/CEL	(with concentrations in):	
DNA Analysis Methods Factory/Environmental	BIOL/DAM	Actuarial Science	MATH/ACT
 Ecology/Environmental Marine Biology	BIOL/ECL BIOL/MAR	Biomathematics Middle/Elementary	MATH/BMTH
Biology / Chemistry	BLCM	Education 4-8	MLED
 Medical Technology 	BLCM/MED	Music	MUSI
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Pre-Medicine Pro Pharmany	BLCM/PMED	Marketing Philosophy	MUSI/MKT PHIL
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Business Administration	DEGITAL VET	• Ethics	PHIL/ETH
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General Science • Water & Environment	GEOL/GSED GEOL/WATE	Business Administration/ Management Information	
Health & Physical Education	OLOL/WAIL	Systems	BUSA/MIS
Teaching Option	HPED	Criminal Justice	CRJS
Sports & Phys Ed. in	LIDED/OOD	Nursing *	NURS
Correctional Institutions	HPED/COR	Nanotechology	NANO
Health Science Applied Health Studies	HLTH HLTH/AHS	(with concentrations in): • Biology	NANO/BIO
Community Health	HLTH/COM	Physical Science	NANO/PHS

Community Health

Physical Science

Minors

A minor is a program in a particular discipline taken in addition to a major. A minor will enrich students' educational experience through study of disciplines or subject matter related to a major, provide additional skills useful to educational or career goals, or broaden educational background in an additional field of knowledge.

Alternative Education Anthropology Aquatics Art (History, Studio) Biology **Business** Chemistry Coaching Communication Community Health Dance

Pre-K - 4/Early Childhood Education

Economics Education:

• Pre-K - 4 / Early Childhood Education

Reading

Special Education

English

Environmental Studies

French Geography Geoscience German

Health, Community

History

International Studies

Journalism (see Communication Media) Latin American Studies

Leadership Studies

Management (see Business)

Mathematics

Middle School Mathematics

Music

Nanotechnology Philosophy **Physics** Political Science Psychology

Recreation Management

Sociology Spanish

Special Education

Sport & Exercise Psychology

Theatre

Women's Studies

*offered at the Clearfield Campus only.

Lock Haven University Phone numbers for Academic Departments **Fast Facts**

Affiliation: Pennsylvania State System of Higher

Education (1983)

 Main Campus, Lock Haven, PA Locations:

· Clearfield Branch Campus

Clearfield, PA

Main Campus Size: 165 acres

On-Campus Housing: 6 co-ed residence halls,

one apartment complex

Enrollment (Main Campus):

• 4,700 undergraduate students

230 graduate students

Male/Female Ratio: 43:57

Student/Faculty Ratio: 21:1 Out-of-State Students: 9%

Minority Students: 11%

Degrees Offered:

Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, Associate of Applied Science, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Master of Education, Master of Liberal Arts, Master of Health Science/Physician Assistant.

Extracurricular Activities:

- 16 NCAA Divisions II sports
- 2 NCAA Division I sports
- Over 100 clubs & organizations

Admissions: Rolling, recommended deadlines

- June 1 for fall
- December 1 for spring

College of Education & Human Services	
Health & Physical Education	570-484-2104
Health Sciences	570-484-2878
Middle/Elementary Education 4-8	570-484-2208
Nursing	814-768-3450
Recreation Management	570-484-2104
Secondary Education	570-484-2208
Special Education & Pre-K-4/Early Childhood Education	

College of Arts & Sciences

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Art	570-484-2143
Biological Sciences	570-484-2048
Accounting, Business Administration, Applied	
Computer Science & Information Systems	570-484-2974
Chemistry	570-484-2048
Communication & Philosophy	570-484-2174
Criminal Justice	570-484-2119
English	570-484-2174
Geology, Physics, Engineering, Nanotechnology	570-484-2048
History, Political Science,	
International Studies & Foreign Languages	570-484-2163
Mathematics	570-484-2235
Music & Theatre	570-484-2143
Psychology	570-484-2235
Sociology, Anthropology & Social Work	570-484-2974
Sport Administration	570-484-2104
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Use these phone numbers for questions about...

Academic Development & Counseling	570-484-3333
Athletics	570-484-2102
Billing, Fee Payments	570-484-2344
Bookstore	570-484-2460
Career Services	570-484-2181
Clearfield Campus	814-765-0559
Financial Aid	570-484-2344
Graduate Programs	570-484-2027
Honors Program	570-484-2053
Housing, Meal Plans, Orientation	570-484-2317
Infirmary	570-484-2276
Library	570-484-2545
PA Program	570-484-2929
ROTC	570-484-2299
Scholarships	570-332-8900
Student Affairs	570-484-2022
Transcripts, Credits, Schedule	570-484-2006

Undergraduate Costs (2012-2013 Academic Year)

Tuition, Room/Board, Fees \$15,294.80** (in state) \$22,832.80** (out of state)

** Only applies to U.S. citizens. Costs are subject to change.



Lock Haven University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or age in its programs and activities.

For more information, contact:

Office of Admissions **Lock Haven University** Lock Haven, PA 17745 (570) 484-2027

Or e-mail us at admissions@lhup.edu

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