APPLICATION CHECKLIST

First-Year Students
- Complete the paper application, apply online at www.simpson.edu or apply at www.commonapp.org — no application fee required
- Complete the applicant section of the Counselor Recommendation/High School Report Form and give this form to your counselor
- Send your ACT/SAT scores to Simpson College (Simpson’s codes: ACT 1354, SAT 6650)
- Send your official high school transcript to the Simpson College Office of Admissions

Transfer Students (Students who have graduated from high school and have earned college or university credit)
- Complete the paper application or apply online at www.simpson.edu — no application fee required
- Send official transcripts from each previous college or university attended
- Send official high school transcript and ACT/SAT scores*
  *required of applicants with fewer than 36 postsecondary graded, transferable college credits at the time of application.

APPLICATION PROCESS
Simpson College accepts applications and grants acceptance to qualified students on a rolling basis, beginning in the early fall and continuing on a space-available basis. All information submitted for admission consideration becomes the property of Simpson College and this document becomes part of your permanent record at Simpson. Please complete in full.

All communication concerning admission should be directed to:
Office of Admissions and Financial Assistance
Simpson College
701 North C Street, Indianola, Iowa 50125
Telephone: (515) 961-1624 or 800-362-2454, extension 1624. Fax: 515-961-1870
E-mail: admis@simpson.edu
Website: www.simpson.edu

Notice of Nondiscrimination:
Simpson College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, creed, religion, disability, genetic information, veteran or veteran disability status, sexual orientation, gender identity or any other legally protected characteristic in admission, access to, treatment or employment in, its programs and activities.
APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Personal Information

Legal name (please print or type) ________________________________ Male Female

First name you prefer ____________________________ Maiden Former name (if applicable)

Permanent address ____________________________________________________________

City/state/zip ________________________________________________________________

Home telephone ( ________ ) __________________________ Student cell phone ( ________ )

As we work with you throughout the admissions process, what is the best means of communicating with you? (check all that apply)

❑ E-mail ❑ Home phone ❑ Cell phone ❑ Text message (if text, please list cellular provider)

E-mail address ______________________________________________________________

Current mailing address (if different from above) __________________________________

City/state/zip ________________________________________________________________

Current mailing address and telephone (if not permanent) effective until __________________________

Citizen of U.S. ❑ Yes ❑ No Origin of birth __________________________

Date of birth __________________________ Social Security number __________________________

U.S. Permanent Resident Visa ❑ Yes ❑ No If yes, resident alien registration number: __________________________

Optional Personal Information:

Religious preference __________________________

Marital status: ❑ single ❑ married Spouse name __________________________

Are you Hispanic or Latino ❑ Yes ❑ No

Please check one or more of the following:

❑ American Indian or Alaska Native ❑ Asian ❑ Black or African American ❑ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander ❑ White

Other than English, are you fluent in any other language? ❑ Yes ❑ No

What is the primary language spoken in your home? __________________________

Admission and Financial Assistance Information

Planned enrollment date __________________________

I will be a ❑ Full-time student ❑ Part-time student ❑ Undecided

I will file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine my eligibility for state and federal assistance ❑ Yes ❑ No

I am interested in auditioning or submitting a portfolio for the following scholarships (audition/portfolio required for consideration):

Music major ❑ Yes ❑ No Music activity ❑ Yes ❑ No Art major ❑ Yes ❑ No Theatre ❑ Yes ❑ No

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**Family Information**

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**Names of brothers and sisters**

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**List names of relatives and friends who attended or are attending Simpson:**

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**How did you become interested in Simpson? Please check all that apply.**

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**What are your primary reasons for considering Simpson College? Please check all that apply.**

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**Education Information**

Current or most recent high school attended:  
Name ___________________________  
City/state ________________________  
Month/year to month/year _________  

Attendance dates: ________________

List all other high schools you have attended:  
Name ___________________________  
City/state ________________________  
Month/year to month/year _________  

Attendance dates: ________________

Name of high school counselor ____________________________

Counselor’s e-mail address _____________________________

Check achievement tests taken  
❑ ACT ___________________________  
Composite score ________________  
Date of test _________________

❑ SAT ___________________________  
Critical Reading score ___________  
Mathematics Score _______________  
Date of test _________________

Date of high school graduation ________________

Are you currently attending high school and enrolled (or previously enrolled) in college-credit courses?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

Name of college ___________________________  
Location ________________________________

Credits earned ___________________________  
Attendance dates ________________

Month/year to month/year _________

Advanced placement courses  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

Names of courses ____________________________

Credits earned ____________________________

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**Transfer Students**

Please complete if you have graduated from high school and are presently enrolled or previously enrolled at a college.

Are you presently enrolled at a college or university?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

If yes, please list the college/university, dates of attendance and the number of credits earned:

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Have you previously been enrolled at a college or university?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

If yes, please list the college/university, dates of attendance and the number of credits earned. Please have an official transcript sent from each institution as soon as possible.

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Are you earning an AA degree?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No  
Are you earning an AS degree?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

Are you a Phi Theta Kappa member?  
❑ Yes  ❑ No

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Honors and Activities

I have participated in the following extracurricular activities:

☐ Band
☐ Baseball
☐ Basketball
☐ Cheerleading
☐ Choir
☐ Cross Country
☐ Debate
☐ Drama
☐ Drill/Dance team
☐ Environmental/Sustainability Group
☐ Football
☐ Golf
☐ Gymnastics
☐ Multicultural activities
☐ National Honor Society
☐ Newspaper
☐ Orchestra
☐ Religious groups
☐ Rugby
☐ Soccer
☐ Softball
☐ Speech
☐ Student government
☐ Sustainability Group
☐ Swimming
☐ Tennis
☐ Track & Field
☐ Volunteer/Service activities
☐ Wrestling
☐ Writers' group
☐ Yearbook
☐ Others

Please list any academic or extracurricular recognition, honors or awards you have received—including leadership positions you have held. You may attach another sheet if necessary:

_______________________________________________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________________________________________

I am interested in participating in the following college activities:

☐ Baseball
☐ Basketball
☐ Cheerleading
☐ Cross Country
☐ Debate
☐ Drill/Dance team
☐ Environmental/Sustainability Group
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☐ Others

Additional Information

At Simpson, we take pride in knowing our students. We want to become better acquainted with you beyond your academic transcripts and test scores. Please answer one of the following (in approximately 250 words):

• Why are you interested in attending Simpson?
• Discuss an activity, interest, experience or achievement in your life that has been meaningful to you.
• Describe a time when you received advice that had a positive influence on your life.

Please attach a separate sheet or email your response to admiss@simpson.edu. Be sure to include your name and contact information.

Other Required Information

Have you ever been under any disciplinary action at any high school or college you have attended whether related to academic or behavioral misconduct that resulted in your probation, suspension or expulsion from the institution or convicted of a misdemeanor, felony or other crime?
☐ Yes  ☐ No

If you have answered yes, please attach a detailed description and letter of explanation.

If after you have submitted this application, new circumstances alter your answer to this question, you must notify the Office of Admissions.

If I am admitted to Simpson College, I will abide by and uphold college rules and regulations to the best of my ability. I understand that failure to report accurate and complete information may result in an evaluation or withdrawal of the acceptance decision and that the $200 enrollment deposit is nonrefundable after May 1 of the year in which I plan to enroll as indicated on this application. I also understand that all application materials, required academic information and recommendations become the property of Simpson College.

Signature __________________________________ Date ______________________
**Majors**

Accounting  
Actuarial Science  
Art Education  
Athletic Training  
Biochemistry  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Computer Information Systems  
Computer Science  
Criminal Justice  
Economics  
Economics and Finance  
Elementary Education  
English  
Environmental Science-Biology  
Exercise Science  
Forensic Science/Biochemistry  
French  
German  
Global Management  
Graphic Design  
History  
Integrated Marketing Communication  
Interdisciplinary Studies  
International Relations  
Management  
Marketing  
Mathematics  
Mathematics-Honors  
Multimedia Journalism  
Music  
Music Education  
Music Performance  
Neuroscience  
Philosophy  
Philosophy-Applied  
Physical Education K-8  
Physical Education 5-12  
Physics  
Physics with Engineering Option  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Religion  
Spanish  
Sociology  
Sports Administration  
Studio Art  
Theatre Arts

**Minors/Programs**

Accounting  
Art  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Coaching  
Computer Information Systems  
Computer Science  
Criminal Justice  
Economics  
English  
Environmental Science  
Exercise Science  
Forensic Science  
French  
German  
History  
Human Resources  
Integrated Marketing Communication  
Latin American Studies  
Management  
Mathematics  
Multimedia Journalism  
Music  
Philosophy  
Physical Education  
Physics  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Religion  
Secondary Education  
Social Work  
Sociology  
Sports Administration  
Spanish  
Sustainability Studies  
Theatre Arts  
Women's Studies

**Pre-professional Programs**

Dentistry  
Engineering  
Law  
Medicine  
Nursing  
Optometry  
Pharmacy  
Physical Therapy  
Theology/Ministry  
Veterinary Medicine