



APPLYING TO NYU ABU DHABI

NYU Abu Dhabi looks at a student's entire application, including grades, test scores, extracurricular work, recommendations, personal statements, etc. An application cannot be evaluated without the submission of all parts; there is no single most important element.

1. Complete and Submit the Common Application (commonapp.org)

Search for and select **New York University** in the College Search tab. In the Questions section of My Colleges, you will be able to select your preferred NYU campus (New York City, Abu Dhabi, or Shanghai).

2. Assign Recommenders

In the My Colleges tab, you will need to assign a counselor or adviser to submit your school forms and transcripts as well as a teacher to submit a recommendation. If you apply for Early Decision (ED), you must also assign a parent to complete the ED agreement.

Note: Each recommender must complete all of their forms online or all off-line. Please do not submit recommendations or transcripts by paper if they have already been submitted online. If your recommender does not wish to submit forms online, you can assign him or her and leave the email blank, which will prompt you to download the required forms for each person.

If your recommenders need to mail any documents, they should address them to

NYU Abu Dhabi Admissions
665 Broadway, 11th Floor
New York, NY 10012-2337 USA

3. Submit Standardized Test Score(s)

For all approved exam options, visit the NYU Office of Undergraduate Admissions Testing Requirements webpage or see the reverse of this page.

- All scores must be submitted as official reports directly from the testing agency (if possible) or from a student's school counselor with an official stamp.
- It is only necessary to submit one standard exam score to fulfill the testing requirements, and it is suggested that you **submit the exam that best represents your academic ability**. Students are not encouraged to send additional test scores from other exam options.
- TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE Academic scores may be submitted as additional support of an applicant's English ability but **do not** satisfy the exam requirements.
- The NYU code for SAT and TOEFL scores is 2562; for ACT scores, it is 2838. All other exam scores should be mailed directly to the address below or be submitted online by your counselor.

4. Pay the Application Fee

Applicants to NYU Abu Dhabi are expected to pay a nonrefundable \$70 (USD) application fee, which can be paid online. If you require a fee waiver, email your request, full name, and Common Application ID number to nyuad.admissions@nyu.edu.

5. Submit a Financial Support Application

If you would like to be considered for financial support at NYU Abu Dhabi, you must submit the CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE at collegeboard.org. For complete information about financial support at NYU Abu Dhabi, visit the Financial Support section of nyuad.nyu.edu/admissions.

Plan Ahead

Applicants who are considered finalists for admission may be invited to participate in NYU Abu Dhabi Candidate Weekend. If you are invited and do not live in the United Arab Emirates, you will need a passport that is valid for international travel for at least a year. Learn more about Candidate Weekend in the Candidate Weekend section under Admissions on the NYU Abu Dhabi website.



TESTING REQUIREMENTS FOR NYU ABU DHABI

New York University seeks talented students from every corner of the globe. Applicants are expected to demonstrate their talents and mastery of subject matter to support their applications and marshal their best case for admission to NYU. As a result, NYU has one of the most flexible testing policies of any college or university. For a current list of all exams that satisfy the standardized test requirements, please see the Testing Requirements page under Instructions for Freshman Applicants in the How to Apply section of admissions.nyu.edu. Test scores and exam results **must** be officially submitted by the appropriate deadline. Applicants must submit results from **one** of the following:

- The SAT Reasoning Test
- The ACT
- Three SAT Subject Test scores
- Three Advanced Placement (AP) exam scores
- The International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma scores
- Three IB higher-level exam scores (if you are not an IB Diploma candidate)
- Results from a nationally accredited exam that is considered locally to signify the completion of secondary education and is administered independently of the student's school (examples include British A-levels and Indian CBSE results)

Note: If you have a question as to whether an examination offered in your country meets NYU's testing requirements, please email nyuad.admissions@nyu.edu.

SAT Subject Test, AP, and Individual IB Exam Scores

Students who choose one of these testing options must submit the following:

- **One** in literature or the humanities
- **One** in math or science
- **One** test of the student's choice in any subject

Predicted Results

If final examination results are not available at the time of application, predicted results may be submitted. Predicted results are subject to additional verification and may only be submitted **by a school official** via one of the following methods:

- Naviance/Common Application website
- Mailed on official school letterhead in a sealed and signed envelope
- Emailed from a clearly identifiable school email address to admissions.ops@nyu.edu

Note: If predicted results are submitted in place of final results, NYU reserves the right to withdraw an offer of admission if final results are not within close range of the predicted results.

Academic Accomplishments

Students are welcome to submit evidence of national or international academic accolades that they feel may further support their application.

English Language Testing

Students applying to NYU Abu Dhabi and not NYU's campuses in New York City or Shanghai are not required to submit an English language proficiency test. The NYU Abu Dhabi Admissions Committee will seek evidence of strong written and verbal skills through the application and Candidate Weekend.

Standard Exam Exemption Form

Students who live in countries whose national examination is not on the NYU-approved testing list may apply for a Standardized Testing Requirement Exemption. Visit the Standardized Tests page under Instructions for Freshman Applicants at admissions.nyu.edu for this form and instructions on its completion.

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Contact Us:

nyuad.nyu.edu/admissions

Application Deadlines:

Early Decision I—November 1
Early Decision II—January 1
Regular Decision—January 1