

Tennessee State University - Admissions, Housing & Fees Guide (2025)

General Admissions Information

Office of Admissions, Tennessee State University

3500 John Merritt Blvd, Nashville, TN 37209-1561

Contact: admissions@tnstate.edu

Freshman Admission Requirements

Submit an online application, pay a \$25 non-refundable fee, submit official high school transcripts, and provide ACT (19) or SAT (900) scores.

Required coursework includes:

- 4 years of English
- 4 years of Math
- 4 years of Science
- 3 years of Social Studies
- 2 years of a Foreign Language

Transfer Student Admission

Submit an application, official transcripts from all colleges attended, and maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 for out-of-state students.

Placement exams required if no prior college-level English and Math courses.

Re-Admit Student Admission

Students returning after academic suspension or transfer must submit official transcripts and meet TSU's retention standards.

Contact: admissions@tnstate.edu

Transient & Special Student Admission

Students wishing to take courses for personal or professional development must submit an application, \$25 fee, and official transcripts.

Tuition & Fees Overview (2024-2025)

Tuition rates set by the Tennessee Board of Regents. Special discounts for out-of-state students

include:

- 250-Mile Radius Discount
- Scholar Tuition Rates
- eRate for online courses

More details at tnstate.edu/bursar

Financial Aid & Scholarships (2024-2025)

Students must submit FAFSA for financial aid eligibility.

Contact finaid@tnstate.edu for scholarships, loans, and Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) appeals.

Residency Classification & Appeals (2025)

Students classified as out-of-state may submit a Residency Appeal Form.

Contact admissions@tnstate.edu

Housing & Residence Life (2025)

Housing applications open for Fall 2025 and Summer 2025 terms.

First-time freshmen must apply by ****February 1, 2025****.

Returning students and transfer students apply by ****March 3, 2025****.

Details at tnstate.edu/housing.

Residence Housing Contact Information: <https://www.tnstate.edu/housing/staff.aspx>

Summer Housing & Intern Housing (2025)

Summer housing applications open ****April 1, 2025****.

Students must be enrolled in summer courses.

Intern housing applications require proof of employment from an advisor or supervisor.