

APPLY TO MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY

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Application Deadlines:

Early Action	December 31
Regular Decision	March 1

Notifications:

Early Action	by February 15
Regular Decision	by April 1

ADMISSION INFORMATION

MMA seeks motivated and academically qualified students who are looking for educational and professional challenges. If you are ambitious, curious, and goal-oriented, Maine Maritime Academy may be the college for you.

TO APPLY

Visit us online at mainemaritime.edu

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

First-time Freshmen:

- Completed online application
- An official high school transcript with list of senior year courses
- SAT or ACT test results
- Letter of recommendation from principal, guidance counselor or teacher

Transfer Students:

- Above items
- Transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended
- Letter of recommendation from college official or professor

Veteran Applicants:

- Above items
- DD-214 (certificate of discharge)
- Letter of recommendation from supervisor
- SMART (Navy/Marine Corps) or AART (Army) military transcript

Early Action is for the student seeking early notification of acceptance to MMA. All application materials must be postmarked by December 31. Early Action applicants whose academic profile requires more information for evaluation will be deferred to Regular Decision.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Admissions Office
Maine Maritime Academy
Castine, Maine 04420
(800) 464-6565
admissions@mma.edu

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

Minimum academic prerequisites for admission consideration are:

1. English - 4 years
2. Lab Physics or Chemistry - 1 year
3. SAT or ACT scores
4. Math - 4 years
 - Algebra I & II
 - Plane Geometry
 - Senior Math*

**Note: Trigonometry, Advanced Math, Functions/Trigonometry (FST), Pre-Calculus, or Calculus. Statistics is not considered.*

Applicants should demonstrate an above-average academic ability and potential through:

- Academic transcripts
- Academic recommendations
- Standardized tests
- Extracurricular activities
- Community service

MMA reserves the right to:

- Close applications earlier than posted due to the number and quality of applications.
- Refuse enrollment deposits and suspend acceptances after May 1 due to enrollment limitations.

FINANCIAL AID

Students desiring financial assistance must submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible after January 1 of the application year, but no later than April 15. Applications are available online at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

“People in and outside of industry told me that Maine Maritime Academy is the place to go for the best hands-on training.” —John D.

CAMPUS VISIT

The campus visit is the most important step in the college selection process. As always, you are invited to visit MMA during the school week. Just call the Admissions Office to make an appointment. Limited complimentary overnight accommodations for you and your family are available on campus on a first-come, first served basis.

ATTEND A CAMPUS OPEN HOUSE

Join our faculty, students and staff for an informative and enjoyable open house at one of the most unique college campuses you will ever visit.

Fall 2013

- Saturday, September 28, 2013
- Saturday, December 7, 2013

Spring 2014

- Saturday, April 5, 2014

PRESENTATIONS

- Athletics
- Engineering
- Engineering Technology & Operations
- Marine Biology & Science
- International Business & Logistics
- Marine Transportation & Vessel Operations
- Navy ROTC
- The Regiment
- Small Craft Design & Small Craft Systems
- Student Life

COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH

AFTERNOON EVENTS

- Training Ship *State of Maine*, Tug, Schooner *Bowdoin*, & Research Vessel Tours
- Marine Sciences & Engineering Lab Tours
- Deck Simulator Demonstration
- Personal Interviews with faculty & staff
- Campus & Residence Hall Tours
- Financial Aid Presentations

Campus Bookstore is open from Noon to 4:00 p.m.

Call to confirm your attendance:

(800) 464-6565

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Is MMA a private institution?

MMA is a public college, created by an act of the Maine Legislature in 1941. As a public college, tuition is comparable to other state universities and colleges.

What are your academic offerings?

We have majors in the disciplines of business, logistics, engineering, engineering technology, marine biology, marine science, and maritime transportation.

Are women accepted?

Women have attended MMA since the 1970s, enrolling in all of our disciplines and competing in our women's Division III athletics programs.

Is MMA a rigorous military school?

MMA academics are rigorous. The college offers both independent and uniformed lifestyles, mostly depending on major. Between 50-60% of our students are in the uniformed regimental training program, which promotes personal development, leadership, and management skills.

Is there a required military obligation?

Not at all. Only 2-3% of MMA graduates opt to take a commission in the Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard through commissioning programs.

Do you have strict entrance requirements?

Like most colleges, we require a traditional college prep course of study with satisfactory academic performance.

Do I need a congressional appointment?

No, the application process is similar to that of other state colleges.

Are you located on a "base"?

Our beautiful campus is located in the safe surroundings of Castine village. No gates, no fences.

Do students get jobs after graduation?

MMA graduates enjoy one of the highest professional placement rates of any college in the U.S.

"I'm convinced that the strong points of my undergraduate experience were the well-rounded education, technical hands-on experience, and the availability of practical sea time. That's what made us competitive in the job market."
—Jeremy W.