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**Instructions and information
for admitted students**

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**Yale College
Class of 2020**

1. Reply Online to Our Offer of Admission—by May 1

When you have come to a firm decision about where to attend college, please fill out the Reply Form on the Yale Admissions Status Portal (<https://apps.admissions.yale.edu/apply/status>). To accept our offer of admission and hold your place at Yale, you must reply no later than May 1, the national Candidates' Reply Date. An enrollment deposit is not required. If you decide to decline our offer of admission, please notify us as soon as possible out of consideration for students on the waitlist, and no later than May 1.

If circumstances beyond your control prevent you from notifying us of your decision by May 1, please contact us. For example, we will consider extensions to the reply date for students with pending financial aid applications. A request for an extension should be addressed to your area admissions officer (whose name can be found in the Staff Directory at admissions.yale.edu/staff).

2. Postponing Matriculation—by May 1

If you decide to postpone your entrance to Yale for a year, please let us know using the Reply Form mentioned above. Once you have done that you will be prompted to complete a brief questionnaire describing your gap year plans. If you have questions about the postponement process, you may contact Alisha Norton by email (alisha.norton@yale.edu) or phone (203.432.0203). If you wish to postpone matriculation, you must notify us by May 1.

3. Submit Your Housing and Advising Form—by May 5

Once you elect to attend Yale, within approximately one week you will receive an important email from the Yale College Dean's Office with instructions for activating your "Yale NetID". You will need this NetID to log into many Yale websites, including yale.edu/freshman, where you will find the Housing and Advising Form. Please submit the Housing and Advising Form no later than May 5th.

If you were admitted under the Early Action program and have already accepted Yale's offer, you should receive an email with your Yale NetID within the next week.

Please note that all freshmen and sophomores are required to live on campus unless married or at least 21 years old. Living on campus and participating in residential college life is an essential part of the educational program of Yale College.

4. Final Report Form—by July 10

If you are currently in school and have decided to attend Yale, please ask a school official to submit the Common Application 2015–2016 Final Report form as soon as your final grades have been recorded. Please submit the Final Report form no later than July 10. This form can be submitted online via the Common Application website, or it can be mailed to our office directly.

If you are in an A-level program and will not receive results until August, or if there is any other reason we should not expect a Final Report from your school by July 10, please inform Aaron Brockway via email before that date at aaron.brockway@yale.edu. (If you have already submitted your final grades, you do not need to do so again.)

Financial Aid

If you applied for financial aid, the status of your aid application is provided in the financial aid award notice enclosed with your admitted student packet and online with your decision letter. If your financial aid application is not yet complete, please submit any missing information to Student Financial Services as soon as possible.

Conditions for Withdrawal of Our Offer of Admission

The admissions committee reserves the right to withdraw an offer of admission under any of the following circumstances:

- if your academic performance shows a significant decline between the time of your admission and your secondary school graduation. Note that we review Mid-Year and Final School Reports carefully.
- if you do not graduate and receive a diploma by the end of this school year
- if your behavior brings into question your honesty, integrity, or character
- if any part of the application you submitted is shown not to be your own work and truthful
- if you hold a confirmed place at both Yale and at another institution after May 1. (You do have the right to remain on an active waiting list at another college or university.)

Note: If you have been admitted Early Decision at another institution, you must immediately withdraw your application at Yale.

Unusual Circumstances

If it is impossible for you to access our forms over the Internet, please contact Ginny Chenell at regina.chenell@yale.edu or by phone at 203.432.9310. We will work with you to complete the required forms. When leaving a voicemail, please be sure to speak clearly and provide your full name, address and date of birth. If possible, please include your application ID number (a nine digit number beginning with 9xxxxxxx).

Other Questions?

Please do not hesitate to call the Admissions Office if we can be of any help to you as you make your decision. The admissions officer who handled your application will be delighted to speak with you. Once again, congratulations on your admission to Yale!

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