

## State Schools: When Should I Apply?

### Apply Early

#### Rolling Notification

*The earlier the better*

Cal Poly  
Clemson^  
Georgia Tech^\*  
Indiana University^\*  
James Madison University^  
Miami of Ohio^\*  
Michigan State^  
Ohio State^\*  
Penn State^  
Purdue^  
Rutgers^  
SUNYs^\*  
U of Alabama  
U of Arizona^  
U of Colorado\*  
U of Connecticut^\*  
U of Delaware\*  
U of Florida^\*  
U of Iowa^  
U of Maine\*  
U of Massachusetts\*  
U of Missouri^  
U of Pittsburgh^  
U of South Carolina^  
U of Texas Austin  
U of Vermont^\*  
Virginia Tech^

#### Early Action

*Low acceptance rate,  
many deferrals*

U of Michigan^\*  
U of North Carolina^\*  
U of Virginia^\*  
U of Wisconsin\*

#### Early Action

*Only consider grades,  
rigor, test scores*

Auburn  
U of Georgia^  
U of New Hampshire\*

#### Early Action

*Apply by EA deadline,  
no advantage to earlier*

The College of NJ (Priority)^\*  
U of Maryland (Priority)^  
U of Minnesota^

### Regular Deadline

#### Regular Decision

*No advantage to applying early*

U of California Schools  
U of Washington^  
U of Oregon

*Please note that some  
schools have earlier  
deadlines for scholarship  
consideration, special  
programs, or if audition or  
portfolios are required.  
Check individual college  
websites for exact due dates  
and requirements.*

^ Coalition Application  
\* Common Application