



2021 Colorado Free Application Day\$ Instructions

The main details:

- The 2021 Free Application Day\$ are October 19 - 21st.
- Begin filling out your admission application(s) **now!**
- While the admission application **must be submitted during this three-day period** to be eligible for the fee waiver, students are **encouraged to begin working on their application(s) now** so that they can submit their applications stress-free during Free Application Day\$. All online admission applications have the ability to save work in-progress.

Public Four-Year Colleges and Universities

Each public four-year college and university will have a unique fee waiver process.

- Some will ask you to submit codes,
- Others will ask you to select an answer from a dropdown menu, and
- Some have no special instructions.

Please read instructions carefully as you prepare to submit applications on **Tuesday, October 19, 2021 through midnight of Thursday, October 21, 2021**. For institutions using fee waiver codes, we have highlighted the codes in **red**.

| Institution Application Website <i>Click the hyperlink below</i> | Fee Waiver Instructions <i>How to apply for free on October 19 - 21, 2021 only.</i> |
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| Adams State University | Enter the discount code freeappday at the end of Adams State's online application form. |
| Colorado Mesa University | CMU application: The fee will automatically be waived when you submit your application. Common Application: Students will see the following prompt: Are you eligible for a CMU application fee waiver through one of the following? Choose Colorado Free Application Day (Colorado Residents only) in the dropdown. |

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| Colorado School of Mines | <p>Mines' Golden Application - for First-Year and Transfer Applicants: No special steps are required for Colorado residents to qualify for Colorado Free Applications days.</p> <p>Common Application - for First-Year Applicants: Within the Mines Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Do you have a school-specific fee waiver code? Select Yes and then enter CO FREE APP.</p> |
| <p>Colorado State University</p> <p>Freshmen/First-Year Application</p> <p>Transfer Application</p> | <p>Common Application - for Freshman/First-Year Applicants: Within the CSU Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Are you eligible for a CSU application fee waiver through one (or more) of the following affiliations? Choose Colorado Free Application Days (Colorado residents only) in the dropdown. No additional codes or actions are necessary as long as you submit your Common App AND CSU Member Questions on Oct. 19 - 25, 2021.</p> <p>CSU Application - for Transfer & Second Bachelor Applicants: No special steps are necessary for Colorado residents to qualify for Colorado Free Application Day; your fee will automatically be waived when you submit your application on Oct. 19 - 25, 2021.</p> |
| <p>Colorado State University Global</p> | <p>When requested, enter the promo code FREEAPPDAY during the application process. Once entered, the application fee will automatically be waived.</p> |
| <p>Colorado State University Pueblo</p> | <p>Enter the code FreeAppDayCO on the Fee Waiver page of the application.</p> |
| <p>Fort Lewis College</p> | <p>First-year students: Enter the code COLORISES when submitting an online application through the FLC website or via the Common App.</p> |
| <p>Metropolitan State University of Denver</p> | <p>MSU Denver Roadrunner application (open to all students): No special steps are necessary for Colorado residents to qualify for Colorado Free Application Day; your fee will automatically be waived when you submit your application on October 19 - 21.</p> <p>Common Application (for freshman/first-year and transfer applicants): Within the MSU Denver Questions section, you'll see this required prompt:</p> <p>1) Do you intend to use one of these school-specific fee waivers? Choose Colorado Free Application Day in the dropdown.</p> <p>Your fee will be waived as long as you submit your completed Common App and MSU Denver Member Questions on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021.</p> |
| <p>University of Colorado Boulder</p> <p>Freshmen/First-Year Application</p> | <p>Common Application (for first-year, freshmen applicants): Within the CU Boulder Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Do you intend to use one of these school-specific fee waivers? Choose Colorado Free Application Days (Colorado residents only) in the dropdown.</p> |

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| <p>Transfer Application</p> | <p>You will then see another required field: Please provide your University of Colorado Boulder fee waiver code here. Enter FreeAppDaysCO in the field provided. Your fee will be waived as long as you submit your completed Common App and Member Questions on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021.</p> <p>CU Boulder Transfer Application: No special steps are necessary for Colorado residents to qualify for Colorado Free Application Days; your fee will automatically be waived when you submit your application on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021.</p> |
| <p>University of Colorado Denver</p> | <p>Milo's App (open to all applicants): On the application page titled Welcome, enter FreeAppDayCO in the application fee waiver code box. As long as you submit on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021 and you are a Colorado resident, you will see the payment waived in your application portal within 24 hours.</p> <p>Common Application (first-year, freshmen applicants only): Within the University of Colorado Denver Member Questions section, answer these two questions like this: Do you intend to use a school-specific fee waiver? Answer: Yes Please provide your University of Colorado Denver fee waiver code here. Answer: FreeAppDayCO Your fee will be waived as long as you submit your completed Common App and Member Questions on Oct. 19 – 21, 2021.</p> |
| <p>University of Colorado Colorado Springs</p> | <p>Common Application (for first-year/freshmen and transfer applicants): Within the University of Colorado Colorado Springs (UCCS) Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Do you intend to use one of these school-specific fee waivers? Choose Colorado Free Application Day (Colorado residents only) in the dropdown.</p> <p>You will then see another required field asking for your fee waiver code here. Enter FreeAppDayCO in the field provided and your fee will be waived.</p> <p>UCCS Institution-specific application: Go to www.uccs.edu/apply and select either "First Year Students" or "Transfer Students", then select "UCCS-specific application". Within the application, when prompted to select a payment method, select the option to "pay by mail" and we will waive the fee in our system.</p> |
| <p>University of Northern Colorado</p> | <p>UNC Bear Application: Within the 'Fee Waiver' section, answer these two questions like this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do you have a University of Northern Colorado app fee waiver code: Answer: Yes, I have a fee waiver code • Enter a valid UNC app fee waiver code: Answer: FREEAPPDAYCO <p>Common Application: Within our University of Northern Colorado Member Questions section, answer these two questions like this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do you have a University of Colorado app fee waiver code? Answer: Yes, I will enter a waiver code • Enter a valid University of Northern Colorado fee waiver code. Answer: FREEAPPDAYCO |

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| Western Colorado University | <p>Western Application: On the application page titled 'Fee Waiver', indicate that you have a fee waiver code and then enter freeappdayco in the waiver code box. As long as you submit on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021, you will see the payment waived in your application portal.</p> <p>Common Application (for Freshmen applicants only):</p> <p>1) Within the Western Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Do you intend to use one of these school-specific fee waivers? Choose freeappdayco in the dropdown menu.</p> <p>2) You will then see another required field: Please provide your Western fee waiver code here. Enter freeappdayco in the field provided. Your fee will be waived as long as you submit your completed Common Application and Member Questions on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021.</p> |
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Participating Private Colleges and Universities

Institution Application Website
Click the institution name

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| Colorado Christian University Freshman/First-Year Application CCU Online | <p>When you get to the payment screen, use promo code CCUAppDay to waive the application fee.</p> |
| Colorado College | <p>No application fee required; applying is free year-round!</p> |
| <p>Regis University</p> <p>Freshmen/First-Year Application Common Application Transfer Application</p> | <p>No application fee required; applying is free year-round!</p> |
| <p>University of Denver</p> | <p>Common Application: Within the University of Denver Member Questions section, you'll see this required prompt: Do you intend to use a school-specific fee waiver? Choose Yes in the dropdown. You will then see another required field: Please provide your University of Denver fee waiver code here. Enter DUFreeAppDay in the field provided. Your fee will be waived as long as you submit your completed Common App and Member Questions on Oct. 19 - 21, 2021.</p> |

Public Two-Year Community Colleges and Technical Colleges

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[Aims Community College](#)

No application fee required; applying is free year-round!

[Arapahoe Community College](#)

No application fee required; applying is free year-round!

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| Community College of Aurora | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Community College of Denver | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Colorado Mountain College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Colorado Northwest Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Emily Griffith Technical College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Front Range Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Lamar Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Morgan Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Northeastern Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Otero Junior College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Pickens Technical College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Pikes Peak Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Pueblo Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Red Rocks Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Technical College of the Rockies | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Trinidad State Junior College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |
| Western Colorado Community College | No application fee required; applying is free year-round! |

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| Private, Occupational Schools | Some of our private, occupational schools are also participating. Contact them directly to learn more. |
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