

Freshman Waivers

Students who qualify for a fee waiver based on one of the criteria below will be given an opportunity to certify their eligibility on the ApplyTexas or Coalition applications and will not be required to provide additional documentation of need in most cases. However, Texas A&M University reserves the right to verify the information provided on the application and may request additional documentation in some instances. Once the application has been submitted and access to the Applicant Information System (AIS) has been provided by Texas A&M (allow 2-3 business days from date of submission), applicants should check AIS to verify the application fee is marked as received. If documentation is required, applicants will see an information icon noting such.

- Student is eligible for ACT or SAT/College Board fee waiver
- Student is enrolled in a TRIO program (Upward Bound)
- Student is eligible for federal free/reduced lunch program
- Student is in foster care or homeless
- Student is a ward of the state or an orphan
- Student lives in federally subsidized public housing
- Student's family receives public assistance

Applicants may request a fee waiver or provide documentation of need if requested by Admissions by uploading one of the following documents:

- An SAT/College Board/ACT Application Fee Waiver Request Form (must have the **applicant's** signature and the **counselor's** signature where applicable)
- A NACAC Admissions Application Fee Waiver Request Form (must have the **applicant's** signature and the **counselor's** signature where applicable)
- A memo on school letterhead, signed by the high school counselor, verifying the student is on the federally funded free/reduced lunch program