

2012-2013 Application New Freshman Index

Factor	Possible Score
GPA	40.00
ACT	36.00
Years of Seminary	3.00
Seminary Recommendation (all or nothing)	.75
Bishop's Endorsement (all or nothing)	3.00
Stake President's Endorsement (all or nothing)	1.50
Extracurricular Activities	7.00
Geographical Area	1.50
Small School	.75
First Generation	.50 and 1.50
Special Interest	1.00
AP or IB	3.00
Priority	<u>1.00</u>
Total Index Points Possible	100.00

1. **GPA:** take the unweighted GPA (as determined by BYU) and multiply by 10
2. **ACT:** actual ACT composite score or SAT equivalent on the *Critical Reading* and *Math* sections
3. **Years of Seminary:** add .75 for each seminary year completed
4. **Seminary Recommendation:** add .75 if *Recommended*; no points for *Recommend with Reservations* or *Do Not Recommend*
5. **Bishop:** add 3.0 points if endorsed with a *Yes*; no points for *Yes, with Reservations* or *No*
6. **Stake President:** add 1.50 points if endorsed with *Yes*; no points for *Yes, with Reservations* or *No*
7. **Extracurricular Activities:** points are accrued according to the guide for Part 6; note that each category does not accumulate TOTAL points – points are awarded only for the highest point value marked in each category; total is capped at 7.0
8. **Geographical Area:** add 1.50 points for Alaska and for locales east of Colorado
9. **Small School:** add .75 points if the graduating class is composed of 100 students or less
10. **First Generation:** add .50 points if BOTH parents have no more than *Some College* as the highest education level; add 1.5 points if BOTH parents have no more than *High School Graduate* as the highest education level.
11. **Special Interest:** add 1.0 for male applicants
12. **AP or IB:** add .25 for each AP or IB class for each enrolled semester (one class for one year = .50 points)
13. **Priority:** add 1.0 point if the applicant meets the December 1 Priority Deadline

2012-2013 Application Transfer Index

Factor	Possible Score
Transfer EGPA	40.00
Institute	1.00
Mission	2.00
LDS	1.00
Geographic	1.00
First Generation	1.00
Total Index Points Possible	46.00

1. **Transfer EGPA:** take the reconfigured total college GPA and multiply by 10
2. **Institute:** add 1.0 point if transferring from another CES school; or, add .25 pts for each institute class taken, capped at 1.0 point
3. **Mission:** add 2.0 points if applicant served a complete, full-time LDS church mission
4. **LDS:** add 1.0 point if a member of the LDS church
5. **Geographic:** add 1.0 point for high school locations in Alaska and east of Colorado
6. **First Generation:** add 1.0 point if BOTH parents have no more than *High School Graduate* as the highest education level