



Considering Graduate/Professional School

Making the decision to attend graduate school involves careful planning and preparation. Application procedures and deadlines can vary by institution.

Below are some things to consider:

- Graduate degree program(s) you are interested in applying to
- Which institutes have your program(s) of interest
- Which type of graduate admissions exam(s) will you need to take
- When and where to take graduate admissions exam(s)
- Each institution's application deadline, your specific admissions exam(s) registration deadline and testing policies.
- Financial aid resources
- Registration with national application services.
- School visits and job fairs
- Sending Transcripts, Letters of Recommendation, Application Essays/Personal Statements, Interviews, Portfolios, Auditions and any other requested materials.

Graduate School Admissions Exams

Depending on the field of study you choose to enter, each program may require a different admissions exam. Here is a list of some common examinations:

- General Programs – GRE (Graduate Record Examinations)
- MBA Programs – GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test)
- Law School – LSAT (Law School Admissions Test)
- Medical School – MCAT (Medical College Admissions Test)
- Pharmacy School – PCAT (Pharmacy College Admissions Test)

Make sure to research the required exams for your desired program and institution.