



Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. How does the University of Pennsylvania make admissions decisions?**

All applications are reviewed by committees of multiple admissions officers. The evaluation process is thorough and considers all required materials, both academic and non-academic.
- 2. Can I appeal my decision?**

No. After careful deliberation, all decisions are final, and there is no appeals process.
- 3. If I decide to take a gap year, may I reapply next year?**

Yes, you may reapply to the University of Pennsylvania for the next academic year. Taking a gap year should not be an admission strategy and should only be taken for educational and growth opportunities.
- 4. Does the University of Pennsylvania accept transfer students?**

Yes, the University of Pennsylvania welcomes transfer applications for fall entry, and requires that applicants complete one to two years of college work prior to enrollment. Please check the [Transfer Applications page](#) for complete details.