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Application for Admissions

Required Documents

To apply to Conception Seminary College (CSC), please provide the following documents:

1) Application Form - Personal Information: form provided by CSC.

2) **Autobiography:** (900 - 1,200 words) covering the applicant's faith history, family history, work history, and educational history.

3) Photo of applicant: either in print or electronically (recent head shot preferred).

4) **Two Letters of Recommendation**: one from candidate's pastor and one from a person, other than family, who knows the candidate well.

5) **Official Transcripts:** issued directly to CSC, reflecting all academic work. Please note that these documents must be received before an applicant can be considered for admission. All documents – transcripts, General Educational Development (GED)/High School Equivalent (HSE) certificates, ACT Assessment Reports, other standardized test reports, World Educational Services (WES) evaluations, etc. – must be issued directly to CSC to be considered official. Official documents submitted to the diocese and later forwarded to CSC cannot replace the official documents that must be issued directly to the CSC.

* *Freshman applicants* must arrange to have official transcripts sent from the last high school attended. A partial transcript should be submitted if the applicant is still in school. Graduates from state-approved home school programs must provide either a diploma from a regionally-accredited high school or an official GED/HSE certificate as proof of equivalent academic achievement. If the applicant who has completed the home school program does not have either of these, but has taken the ACT test and earned a composite score of around 20, an official ACT report will be accepted in lieu of the high school diploma or GED/HSE certificate. Graduates from a state-approved GED/HSE program must provide an official GED/HSE certificate indicating satisfactory completion of program.

* *Transfer students* must provide official transcripts from all colleges or universities attended, even if no credit was earned. If the transfer student has completed less than one full year of college, he also must provide high school transcripts and an ACT/SAT Assessment Report. A partial transcript should be submitted if the applicant is still enrolled at the college/university.

* *International students* who have completed course work at an institution outside of the United States are required to arrange for special evaluation by an international evaluation agency. CSC recommends that the applicant submit his credentials to World Educational Services (WES) for a course-by-course evaluation before applying to the seminary college, so that the transfer work can be considered during the admissions process. Students who have already had international credits evaluated by a different agency should contact the Registrar's Office (*registrar@conception.edu*) to ensure that the evaluation is acceptable. Information concerning the evaluation process can found at *www.wes.org*.

6) **ACT/SAT Assessment Report:** issued directly to the college. The student should designate CSC (ACT code 2280; SAT code 6112) as an intended score recipient when the test is taken. If provision for this service was not made when the ACT/SAT examination was taken, a special request must be made to ACT/ SAT to authorize an official score transcript be sent to CSC.

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7) **Three Physical Examination Reports** (attached): the <u>Student Form: Medical Information</u> form filled out by the student, a <u>Physician's Form: Physical Exam</u> form completed by an examining physician, and the <u>Meningococcal Vaccination Requirement</u> form including drug screening and HIV testing completed by the applicant's health care provider. All three reports should utilize the CSC forms provided. HIV test results are often granted only to the individual. If this is the case, the candidate must provide a photocopy of the results to the Admissions Office, where they will be kept as confidential information.

8) Certificates of Baptism and Confirmation: issued by the parish where these sacraments were received.

9) **Interpretive Psychological Report:** by a licensed clinical psychologist for whom the applicant is required to complete a full battery of psychological tests. CSC's Department of Counseling Services has prepared *Guidelines for Psychological Evaluation* designed to inform the applicant, any sponsoring agent, and the evaluating psychologist of the specific requirements regarding the evaluation. The written interpretive report and test scores should be released and sent to the Director of Counseling Services at:

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10) **Criminal Background Check:** conducted through the applicant's sponsoring (arch)diocese or religious community and sent to CSC prior to admittance.

11) Letter of Sponsorship: issued by the applicant's (arch)diocese or religious community, including notice of canonical impediment status.

No canonical impediments to ordination must be present for admittance to the seminary unless duly dispensed by appropriate authority in accord with the norms of ecclesiastical law. *Codex Iuris Canonici* (Code of Canon Law, n. 1041) lists the following as impediments to receiving Holy Orders:

- Candidate exhibits some form of psychological insanity that expert consultation deems him unqualified to fulfill priestly ministry.
- Candidate committed apostasy, heresy, or schism.
- Candidate attempted illicit marriage.
- Candidate committed voluntary homicide.
- Candidate participated in an abortion or cooperated with the procuring of an abortion.
- Candidate mutilated himself or another.
- Candidate attempted suicide.
- Candidate simulated the office of priest or bishop.

All documents should be submitted no later than August 1 for admission for the fall semester, or December 1 for admission for the spring semester.

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Once the above documents have been received, the Admissions Committee will review the application. The members of the Committee may request on-campus interviews with the applicant before making a final decision. Upon completion of the review, the applicant will be informed of the Committee's decision.



Application Form - Personal Information

Name:			
First Preferred name:	Middle	SSN	Last
Applying for the Grall Spring Language, Culture & Church (LC	Semester of 20		to the following program:
Current mailing address:			
City:	C	State:	Zip:
Phone (home): (cell)	:	E-mail:	
Birth Date: / / Birth			
Present (Arch)Diocese:		Present Parish:	:
(Arch)Diocese or Religious Community sp	onsoring you:		
Priest recommending you:			
Address:City:	State	:Zip:	Phone:
 Have you ever been married? □Yes □No Was it sacramental (married in the Catholic Has the marriage been annulled? □Yes Have you ever been a novice or professed : If yes, please provide name: Have you ever attended a seminary? □Yes 	□No If the marriag (official docur member of a relig	ge was annulled, th nentation and evid gious institute?	he candidate must produce the Acta dence for the canonical decision).
If yes, please provide name:			
Please list current or previous occupations Employer	below: Occupation		Dates
Are you a U.S. Citizen? □Yes □No If no, 0	Country of Citize	nshin:	
Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Force	5		
Who is responsible for paying your college			
Would you like more information about fin	nancial aid? □Yes	s □No	
Ethnicity: Non-resident Alien Hispanic Black/African American Native Hawai Other/No Response		der □White □2	

Application Form - Personal Information

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Have you taken the ACT Assessment? \Box]	No 🗆 Yes If yes, did you	have it sent to CSO	C (code 228	0)? □Yes □No	
Have you taken the SAT Assessment? \Box N	No 🗆 Yes If yes, did you	have it sent to CSC	C (code 6112	2)? □Yes □No	
High School Attended:		Year Grad	uated:		
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:		
Please list ALL colleges you have attended Name of Institution	d regardless of length of Location	stay (even if no wo Dates		npleted): Degree	
How many children are in your family?	How r	nany are older tha	n you?		
Father: \Box Living \Box Deceased Full name:				_Age:	
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:		
Occupation:	Marital Status:	Re	ligion:		
Mother: □Living □Deceased Full name:_				_Age:	
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:		
Occupation:	cupation: Marital Status: Religio				
<u>OR</u> Guardian: □Living □Deceased Full na	ame:			_Age:	
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:		
Occupation:	Marital Status:	Re	ligion:		
I understand that, in compliance with Conception Seminary College has ado retention, and release of stude is available fro I also understand that fai	pted certain policies and nt records. I understand m the Office of the Regis	guard the persona procedures govern that a statement o trar upon request. sted information n	l rights of it ning the col of these poli nay result	lection, use,	
Signature of Applicant		Dat	te		

Conception Seminary College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin in the administration of any of its programs or policies.

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Student Form: Medical Information

The student must provide this information for admission to Conception Seminary College.

Enrollment will be postponed until all necessary immunizations are brought up-to-date and this entire form is complete.

Student's Name:					
Date of Birth:	Phone:		Email:		
Address:	Cit	ty:	<u></u> Si	tate:	_Zip:
Emergency Contact Na	ame:				
Relationship to studen	ıt:		Phone:		
Address:	Cit	ty:	S [_]	tate:	Zip:
			nunizations		('
Conception Seminal	ry College must have im	mu	nization records to meet		_
Diphtheria/Tetanus {I	DTP or DTaP}		Date given (Month/Day/Yea 1)	•	e given (Month/Day/Year)
	f five shots, you need to hav	<i>e</i>	2)	5)	
a booster at least every te	en years.)		3)	Booster	
					(if applicable)
Haemophilus Influen					
(Need a series of three or	5		1)	')	
depending on bro	and given.)		2)	4)	(if applicable)
Hepatitis B {HepB}					(1) upplicuole)
(Need a series of three or	four,		1)	3)	
depending on bro	and given.)		2)	4)	(if applicable)
					(if applicable)
Measles, Mumps, Rul	bella {MMR}				
	MMR injections after the a	0	•		
you will need an MMR	before starting your freshm	an y	jear.)	2)	
Meningococcal {MCV	}				
	required unless the first dos	se wi	as administered	1)	
at age 16 years or older,	in which case only one dose	e is 1	required.)	2)	(if applicable)
					(if applicable)
Polio {IPV}					
(Need a series of at least)	four.)		1) 2)	3)	
			2)	4)	
Varicella (Chickon Po	x} Have you had the Chicke	m D	$ar? \Box Ves \Box No$		
(If no, two doses of varice	- 0	.11 1 (1)	2)	
			/	_)	

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Signature of Applicant

Student Form: Medical Information

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Allergies/Medications

Do you have any food allergies?
Yes No If yes, explain:

Are you allergic to wheat or unable to consume wine? □Yes □No Are you allergic to any medication? □Yes □No If yes, explain: ______

Are you currently taking any medication? □Yes □No If yes, explain: ______

Prescribing doctor: _____ Phone: _____

Hospitalizations

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Have you ever been hospitalized?
Yes No If yes, explain:

Do you have any other health problems?

Yes
No If so, explain: ______

Family Medical History														
Family	Year of Birth		alth atus		Illness Place an X in the appropriate box if you or a relative have had				Death If applicable, indicate cause of death and age					
	MM/DD/YYYY	Good	Poor	Asthma	Cancer or Tumor	Diabetes	Heart Trouble	High Blood Pressure	Mental Disorder	Arthritis	Stomach Trouble	Stroke	Cause of Death	Age at time of death
Yourself														
Father														
Mother														
Siblings														

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Physician's Form: Physical Exam Enrollment will be postponed until form is complete. Please explain all positive findings in detail.

Student's Name:		Date of Birth:			
Address:	City:	State:Zip:			
Weight:	Mouth/Throat:	Extremities:			
Height:		Back/Spine:			
Skin:	Chest/Lungs:	Neck:			
Head:	Heart:	Rectum:			
Eyes:	Abdomen:	Nervous System:			
Nose:	Genitalia:	Restrictions:			

PLEASE INDICATE THE DATES OF THE FOLLOWING TESTS AND IMMUNIZATIONS

<u>TB skin test or x-ray</u> is required within the past year ~ Please attach a copy of the results.

□ Positive □ Negative TB skin test date: _____

□ Positive □ Negative Chest X-ray date: _____

Have you ever had a positive skin test for TB? \Box Yes \Box No

Have you ever taken medication for a positive TB skin test? \Box Yes \Box No

As a part of the application process, the diocese requests the candidate have HIV testing and drug screening and the results forwarded to Conception Seminary College (CSC).

HIV/AIDS test: Positive Negative Date:

After the candidate receives results of HIV test, the candidate must submit a photocopy of results to CSC. (All HIV test results are considered confidential information by CSC.)

Drug Screening: Positive □Negative Date: <u>Verify immunizations</u> to meet Missouri requirements: DTP or DTap (booster every 10 years) Yes No **Yes No** MMR ☐Yes ☐No ☐Yes ☐No MCV Hib Yes No Yes No HepB IPV **Yes No** Varicella or Evidence of Chicken Pox Signature of MD/DO: _____ Date:

MD/DO Name: _____ Phone: _____ Address: _____City: ____State: __Zip: ____

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Meningococcal Vaccination Requirement

The student may not move in to the residence halls until this requirement is completed.

Student's Name: _____

FILL OUT SECTION 1 <u>OR</u> SECTION 2

<u>SECTION 1</u> ~ To be completed by a health care provider:

(Documentation from a physician showing receipt of vaccine or copy of the immunization record is also acceptable.)

The above named received meningococcal vaccine on:

 Date: MM/DD/YYYY

 Provider's Name:

 Address:

 State:
 Zip:

Signature of Health Care Provider

<u>SECTION 2</u> ~ <u>Vaccine Waiver requesting an exemption from the requirement</u>: 2A <u>or</u> 2B to be completed by the individual or parent/guardian (for those younger than 18 years of age).

2A - {For individuals **18 years of age or older**} - I am 18 years of age or older. I have received and read the information in the brochure provided by Conception Seminary College explaining the risks of meningococcal disease and am aware of the effectiveness of the vaccine. I am aware that meningococcal disease is a rare but life-threatening illness. I understand that Conception Seminary College policy requires that students be vaccinated against meningococcal disease or sign a waiver. With this waiver, I seek exemption from the vaccination requirement. I voluntarily agree to release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Conception Abbey, Conception Seminary College, its officers, employees and agents from any and all costs, liabilities, expenses, claims or causes of action on any account of any loss or personal injury that might result from my decision not to be immunized against meningococcal disease.

Printed Student Name

Signature of Student

Date

or 2B - {For individuals UNDER 18 years of age} - I am the parent/guardian of _____

_______. I have received and read the information in the brochure from Conception Seminary College about meningococcal disease and am aware of the effectiveness of the vaccine. I acknowledge that the disease is rare but life-threatening. I understand that Conception Seminary College policy requires that students be vaccinated against meningococcal disease or sign a waiver. With this waiver, I seek exemption from the vaccination requirement. I voluntarily agree to release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Conception Abbey, Conception Seminary College, its officers, employees and agents from any and all costs, liabilities, expenses, claims, demands or causes of action on account of any loss or personal injury that might result from my decision not to have the above-named individual immunized against meningococcal disease.

Printed Parent/Guardian Name	Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

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____ Date of Birth: _____

Date

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Gaming, Social Media, and Internet Screening

(Please list ALL accounts, including multiple accounts.)

Student's Name:				
Social Media Site,	Lleornamo	Use/Purpose	Last accessed	Fraguanau
App, or Website	<u>Username</u>	<u>Oseff uipose</u>	Last accessed	Frequency
Amazon				
BeReal				
eBay				
Etsy				
Facebook				
Facebook Messenger				
Hulu				
Instagram				
LinkedIn				
Microsoft Teams				
Netflix				
Pinterest				
Quora				
Reddit				
Skype				
Snapchat				
Telegram				
TikTok				
Twitch				
Twitter				
WeChat				
WhatsApp				
YouTube				
VSCO				
Other				
Gaming Site	<u>Username/Gamertag</u>	<u>Use/Purpose</u>	Last accessed	Frequency
Fortnite (Epic Games)				
Google Play				
Minecraft				
Origin (EA Play)				
PlayStation Network				
Roblox				
Steam				
Xbox (Microsoft)				
Other				
Other				
Other				