

**HARDSHIP PETITIONS**

There are established procedures for consideration of qualified applicants who would be faced with extreme hardship if not admitted. Prospective hardship petitioners should write the Admissions Office regarding specific policies governing hardship admission.

**UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

First-time freshman eligibility is governed by an eligibility index. The index is computed using the high school grade-point average on all course work completed in the last three years of high school, not counting physical education and military science; and the ACT composite, or the SAT total score.

Registration forms and test dates for either test may be obtained from school or college counselors, from the addresses below, or from the campus testing offices. For either test, submit the registration form and fee at least one month prior to the test date.

**ACT Address**

American College Testing Program, Inc.  
 Registration Unit, P.O. Box 168  
 Iowa City, Iowa 52240

**SAT Address**

The College Board  
 P.O. Box 592  
 Princeton, New Jersey 08541

**First-Time Freshman Applicants**

**California High School Graduates and Residents**

If you graduated from a California high school or are a legal resident for tuition purposes, you need a minimum eligibility index of 741 (ACT) or 3072 (SAT). The following table illustrates grade point averages and scores needed to qualify for admission. If your high school GPA is above 3.2, you are exempt from the test requirement.

