

Application Instructions

Applicant Status

You are a Freshman applicant if you are currently in your last year of high school, or have recently graduated and have not taken any college courses. If you have taken any college courses after graduating from high school, please apply using FTCM's Application for Transfer Admission.

Early Decision Plan

Applicants who wish to study at FTCM may apply under the Early Decision Plan so their application may be considered earlier.

Please check the appropriate box in the Applicant Status section and return your completed form along with all supporting credentials (including transcripts, SAT or ACT scores, and recommendation) by January 1. Any application for institutional scholarship and aid should also be submitted by January 1.

Under our Early Decision Plan, if you are offered your first-choice major and choose to enroll at FTCM, you must submit a non-refundable \$500 acceptance of admission deposit by February 15 and withdraw your applications with all other colleges/universities at that time. Applicants who are accepted to an alternate (second- or third-choice) major may request to be released from the conditions of the Early Decision Plan.

Early Decision applicants who are not accepted will, in most cases, be asked to submit midyear senior grades and will be reviewed a second time as part of the Regular Decision group of applicants.

Regular Decision Plan

Most applications for admission to FTCM are reviewed under our Regular Decision Plan.

Under this plan, freshman applicants for fall semester entry who have submitted all required application materials by March 1 will have their admission notification mailed by early April.

Freshmen who apply for fall semester admission after March 1 are considered on a space-available basis, and will receive notification three to four weeks after their application is submitted.

Any application for institutional scholarship and aid should also be submitted by March 1. Applications after this date will only be considered based on the availability of scholarship and aid fund.

All freshman applications for spring semester entry are reviewed on a rolling basis, but priority will be given to applications (including any application for institutional scholarship and aid) received by November 15. Notification letters will be mailed three to four weeks after the application is submitted.

Institutional Financial Aid

FTCM offers need and merit-based institutional scholarships and aid to promising students*. Need-based aid is awarded on a competitive basis to students with demonstrated financial need, satisfactory academic and moral standing.

Merit-based scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to students with good academic standing, moral standing, extracurricular participation and other merit indicators.

Applicants for the College's Institutional Scholarship and Financial Aid must be currently enrolled or intending to apply as a full-time student. Degree-seeking part-time or non degree seeking students who wish to apply can contact Student Financial Services (SFS). Institutional scholarships and financial aid are awarded on an annual basis, and do not renew automatically.

There are separate application forms for institutional scholarships and financial aid. Applicants applying for the fall semester may complete and submit the applications by March 1. Applicants applying for admission for the Spring semester need to complete and submit the applications by December 1.

**Except Honor level Academic Scholarship, the combined need and merit financial award package will typically not exceed 75% of tuition.*

Program Selection

Please select from one of the majors offered at FTCM, as listed on page 4 as your first-choice major. If you do not meet the admission requirements for your first-choice major, or if there are no more spaces, you may be offered admission to an alternate major if you have selected one.

If you do not feel ready to select a specific major, but would like to pursue a degree at FTCM, please write College Exploration Program under program selection.

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Dance Program Admission Requirements

Applicants for the undergraduate dance program (BFA in Dance) are expected to have a minimum of two years' experience with ballet, classical Chinese dance or another form of dance training. All applicants must go through a pre-screening by submitting with the application package a 15-minute video file of the applicant performing ballet, classical Chinese dance and/or another dance form. The video must be made within six months of the date of application. The recording must be unedited and clearly labeled with the applicant's full name and a list of the repertoire performed therein. Applicants who pass the pre-screening may be invited on campus for a live audition if deemed necessary. The live audition focuses on a combination of dance movements and lasts for approximately three hours.

Applicants may be asked to perform movement combinations under the instruction of a panel of judges. Those who demonstrate a strong technical base during the initial part of the audition will be asked to perform one or two solos, each up to two minutes in length. Each applicant should prepare two contrasting solos with musical accompaniment prerecorded by the applicant. Applicants are advised to bring a backup copy of their music (audio file). Based on the panel's review of the solo(s), applicants may be invited to perform a brief repertory sequence that will be taught and coached.

Academic Transcripts

This application packet includes a Secondary School Transcript Request Form. You should take this form to your high school guidance office to be completed and returned to FTCM with an official copy of your transcript in a sealed school envelope.

Required Admission Tests

All freshman applicants and transfer applicants who are not required to submit test scores establishing English-language proficiency (as explained in the following section) are required to submit the results of either the SAT (Reasoning Test only) or the ACT (with Writing).

SAT/ACT Waiver: Applicants who are unable to take the SAT or ACT may include a written request for an SAT/ACT waiver at the time of application. If granted a waiver, the applicant will be administered an alternative academic background assessment exam.

English Language Proficiency

All applicants, except those in the categories below, must present proof of English language proficiency:

- Applicants whose primary language is English and who have graduated from a high school that uses English as the language of instruction.
- Applicants who have earned at least three semester credits of freshman English composition at colleges or universities accredited by U.S. Department of Education recognized accrediting agencies with a GPA of at least 2.5 (on a scale of 4.0).
- Applicants who have studied for at least three years in a high school or college that uses English as the language of instruction.

English proficiency is preferably demonstrated through an official score on the TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language). It may also be proven through performance on other tests and exams such as IELTS, SAT (Evidence-based Reading and Writing section), ACT, or a combination of LEXILE (reading) and ACCUPLACER (writing).

International Students

International applicants follow the regular admissions procedure.

Important Email Instruction

The Office of Admissions will use email to communicate with you frequently during the admission process. Please make sure you provide the correct email address, and check it frequently. We suggest that you add admissions@mt.feitian.edu and sfs@mt.feitian.edu to your safe-sender list so you don't miss any email communications from these accounts.

Undergraduate Programs

B.S. in Biomedical Science

The Bachelor of Science (BS) in Biomedical Science (BMS) program at Fei Tian College - Middletown seeks to prepare qualified and aspiring students for careers in the health and medical fields, graduate studies in the life sciences or the medical sciences, and to fill the growing local, regional and national need for healthcare professionals. This program offers two concentrations:

General Science

The General Science concentration includes additional courses in biochemistry, microbiology, immunology, physics and neurosciences.

Integrative Health Science

The Integrative Health Science concentration offers courses in nutrition, kinesiology, epidemiology, naturopathy, Traditional Chinese Medicine and other healing disciplines in addition to basic science courses related to biomedical science.

B.S. in of Data Science

The Bachelor of Science (BS) in Data Science program seeks to provide students with a solid foundation in data analysis and data management methods and skills, as well as experience in the practical applications of data science to prepare students for careers or advanced studies in data analysis or a related field. This program offers two concentrations:

Precision Health

Precision Health is an emerging field that takes a big data approach in an attempt to precisely identify individual needs and conditions to enhance health and wellness through disease prediction and prevention.

Creative Industries

Creative economy refers to industries in which the creative element is central to what is being produced, for example, advertising, film and television, broadcasting, publishing, architecture, design, music, visual arts, sports analysis, and performing arts.

BFA in Dance

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Dance program seeks to instill a solid foundation and an excellent educational experience to prepare qualified and aspiring students for careers or advanced studies in Classical Ballet and Classical Chinese Dance or a related field. The two concentrations are:

Classical Ballet

Classical Chinese Dance

BFA in Arts Management

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Arts Management program at Fei Tian College–Middletown seeks to produce students who have fundamental knowledge of arts management, adequate proficiency in one arts specialization (performing arts or fine arts), as well as a clear understanding of art aesthetics, leadership, and their impact on society. There are two Art forms to choose from:

Fine Arts

Performing Arts

BFA in Fine Arts and Design

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Fine Arts and Design program at FTC–Middletown seeks to produce students with a solid grasp of fundamental techniques, skills and concepts in the visual arts as well as an understanding of art aesthetics, history, theory and management. The program prepares students for careers in drawing, painting, graphic design or advanced studies in related areas. There are two concentrations:

Oil Painting

The oil painting concentration adopts the classical painting techniques and traditions. It incorporates a systematic approach to this invaluable artistic legacy of the West, the best features of the intensive Atelier training environment within a rigorous academic setting.

Graphic Design

The graphic design concentration provides the same foundation in classical drawing and painting techniques, as well as traditional aesthetics principles. At the same time, students will learn modern design technologies, tools and software.

Exploration Program

Applicants who are unsure of which major they want to pursue may choose to enroll in the college Exploration Program. Please note that some courses have prerequisites requirements and/or placement tests.

College Exploration Program

Students will be able to study up to 2 semesters of courses before they have to declare a major of study. The College Exploration Program will allow students to study general education courses offered at FTCM and sample courses from science, dance, music and fine arts.

FTCM does not discriminate and provides equal opportunity to all qualified individuals regardless of race, color, ancestry, age, sex, national origin, pregnancy or childbirth, disability or military veteran status.