



When we admit a class of students to MIT, it's as if we're choosing a 1,000-person team to climb a very interesting, fairly rugged mountain—together.

We obviously want people who have the training, stamina, and passion for the climb. At the same time, we want each to add something useful or intriguing to the team, from a wonderful temperament or sense of humor, to compelling personal experiences, to a wide range of individual gifts, talents, interests, and achievements.

We are emphatically not looking for a batch of identical perfect climbers; we are looking for a richly varied team of capable people who will support, surprise, and inspire each other.





Early Action (EA) Deadline: **November 1**
Regular Action (RA) Deadline: **January 1**

Application Checklist & Important Dates

Due ASAP

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Set up your MyMIT account at my.mit.edu | 1 | Page 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Submit Part 1 of your application | 2 | Page 6 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ask your teachers for recommendations | 4 | Page 10 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ask your school counselor to complete the Secondary School Report | 4 | Page 10 |

On or before November 1 for EA or January 1 for RA

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Submit Part 2 and all other required application materials | 3 | Page 8 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Submit art, maker, music, and/or research portfolios (optional) | 7 | Page 16 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contact MIT coach(es) and/or ROTC (optional) | 7 | Page 16 |

November for EA or December for RA Test Dates

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Last standardized tests that will be considered in selection committee | 5 | Page 12 |
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January / February

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete the February Updates and Notes Form on your MyMIT account | 7 | Page 16 |
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Before February 15

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Submit all financial aid materials | 8 | Page 18 |
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