THE COMMON APPLICATION

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WHERE TO START

- GO TO: HTTPS://WWW.COMMONAPP.ORG/

- CREATE AN ACCOUNT
  - CREATE YOUR USER NAME
  - CREATE YOUR PASSWORD

EXTENDED PROFILE

ANSWER GENERAL QUESTIONS ABOUT ACADEMIC LEVEL AND EDUCATIONAL GOAL TO ACCESS THE PROGRAM AND APPLICATION

Extended Profile

Please provide some additional information in order to set up your application.

* Indicates required field

Date of birth

* Were you born before January 1, 1998?

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No

College credits earned

* How many college credits will you have earned when you enroll at the college to which you are applying?

- ( ) 0 - 14
- ( ) 15 - 29
- ( ) 30 - 59
- (●) 60 or greater

Degree status

* Will you have earned an educational degree when you enroll at the college to which you are applying?

- ( ) I will have completed college classes without earning a degree
- (●) I will have an associates degree
- ( ) I will have a bachelor's degree or higher

Degree goal

* What is your degree goal for the program you are applying to?

- (●) Bachelor's degree
- ( ) Graduate or professional degree
- ( ) Non-degree or certificate

Save Changes

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* Indicates required field

Thank you for your interest!

European Union Data Protection

* Are you currently located in a European Union country, Iceland, Lichtenstein, Norway, or Switzerland?

- Yes
- No

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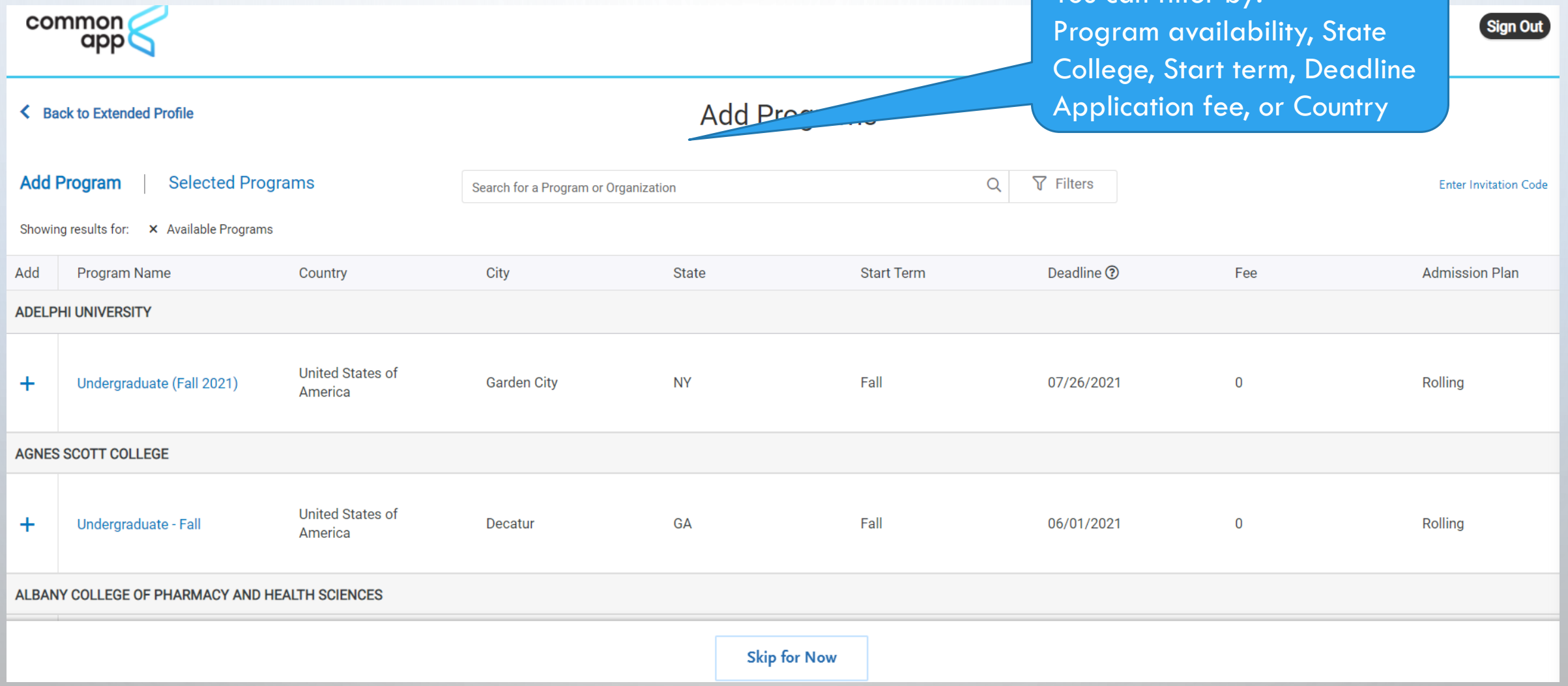
Select a Program



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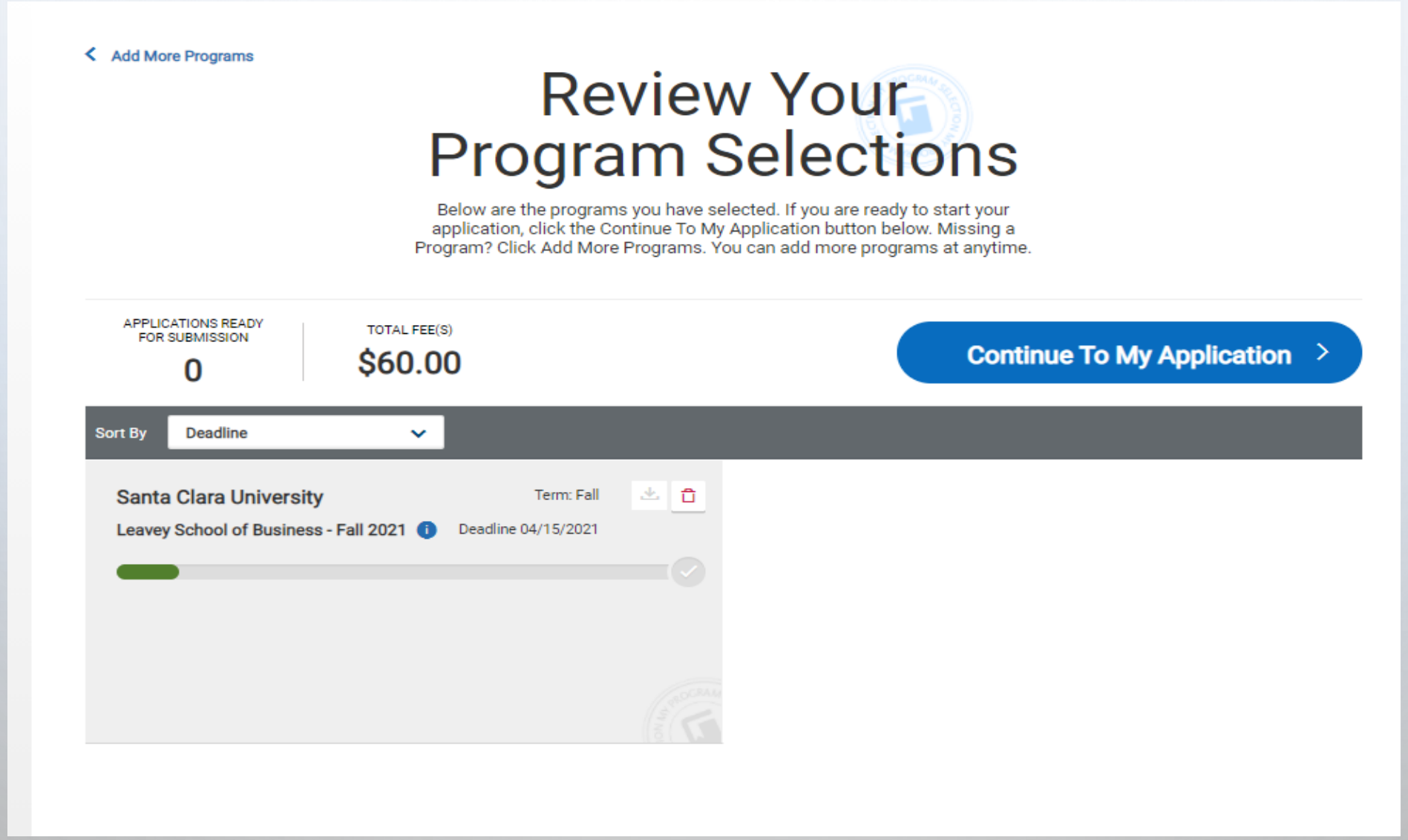

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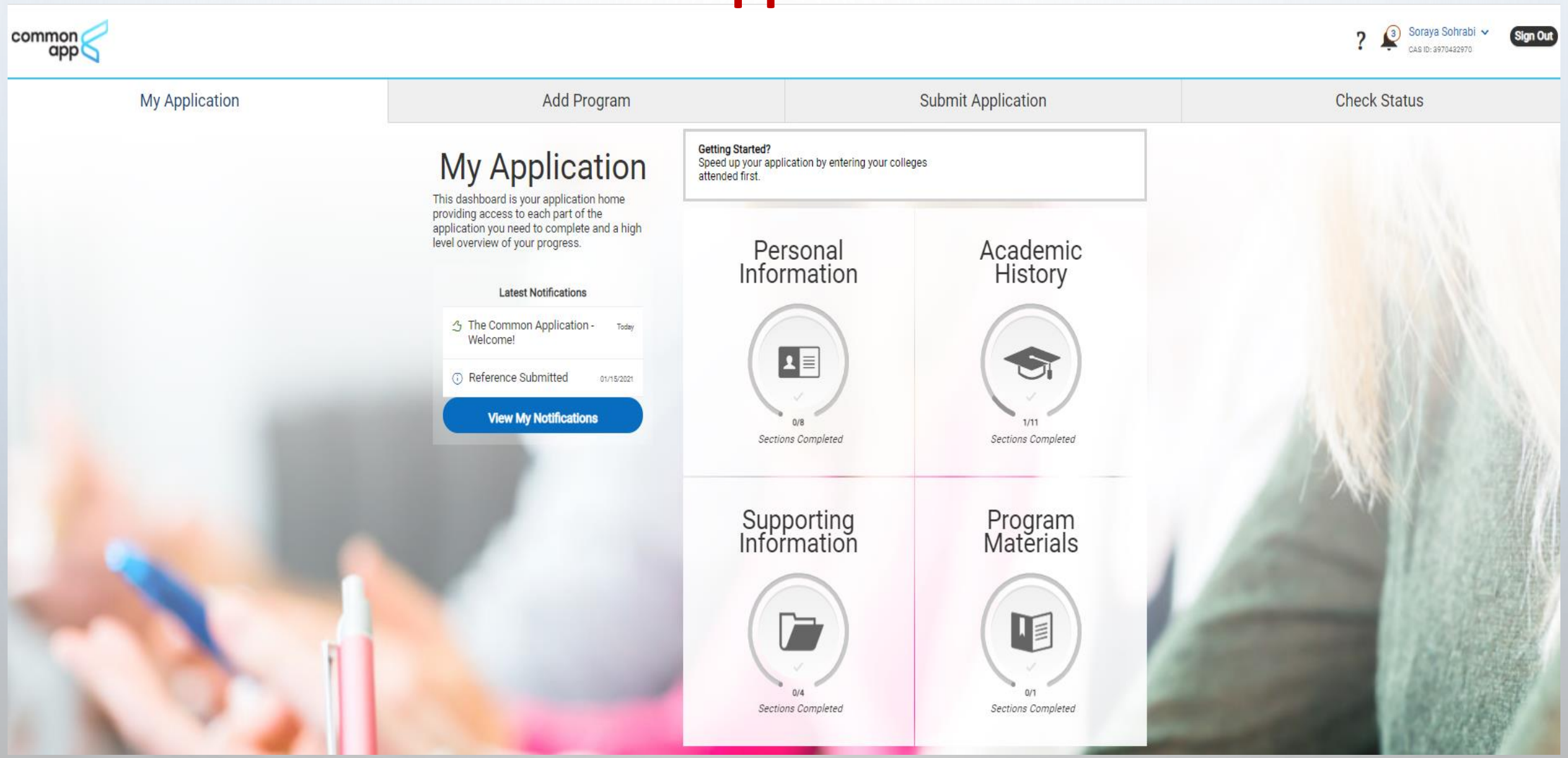

Updating Profile
Where to get help
Notification
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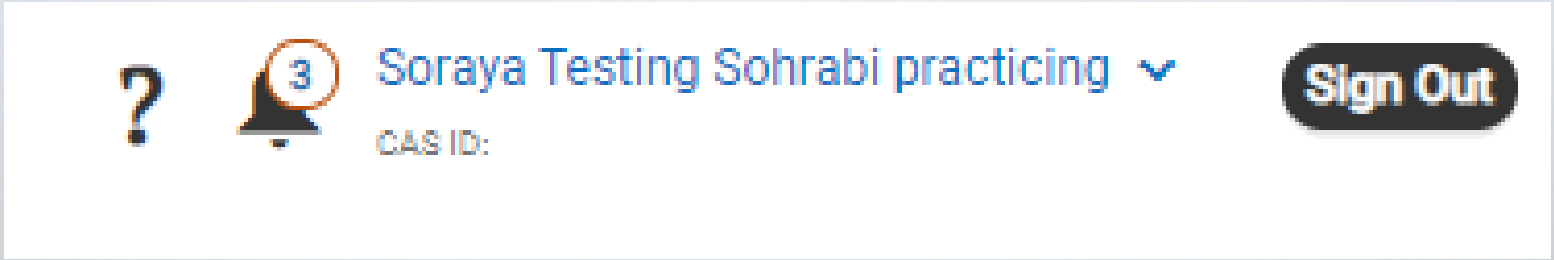
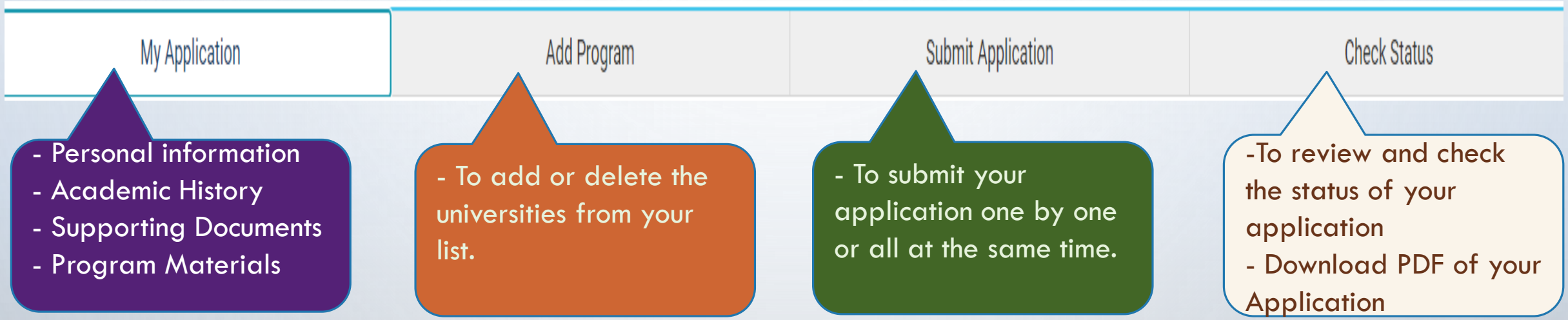


APPLICATION SECTIONS



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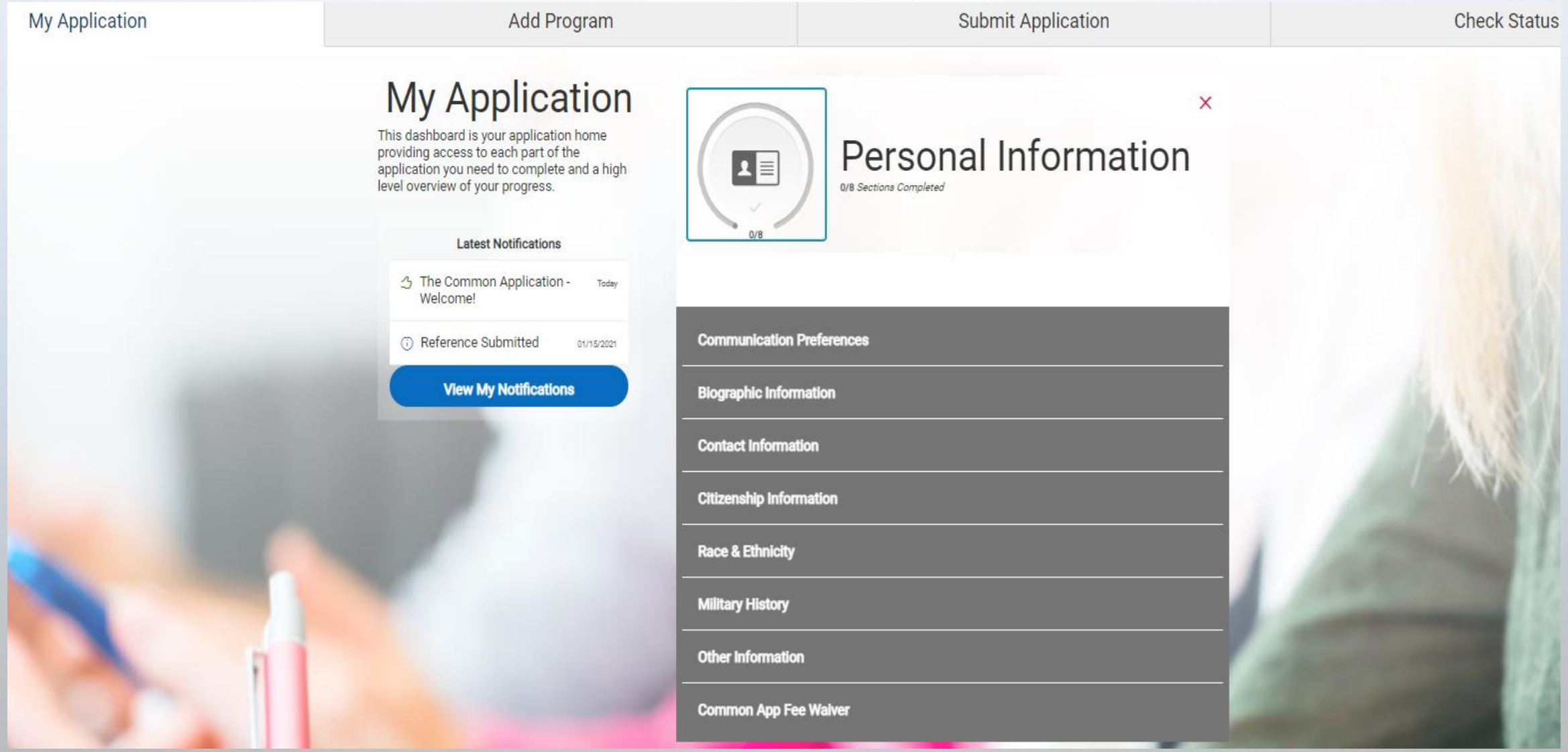

Communication Preferences

Select if your colleges and Common App can contact you. Click here for more information.

Once you submit your application, you cannot edit this section.

* Indicates required field

Communication from Colleges

* The colleges that I am considering for application may communicate with me by mail, email, phone or text message prior to submission of my application.

Yes No

Communication from The Common Application

* The Common Application may communicate with me by email, phone or text message about my account, information relevant to the college admissions process, and my college experience.

Yes No

Save and Continue

My Application | Add Program

Biographical Information

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Sections Completed

- Communication Preferences
- Biographic Information
- Contact Information
- Citizenship Information
- Race & Ethnicity
- Military History
- Other Information
- Common App Fee Waiver

Enter biographic information in this section. Click here for more information.

You can edit this section after you submit your application.

* Indicates required field

Alternate Name

* Do you have any materials under another name (for example a maiden name, middle name or nickname)?

Yes No

Preferred Name

* Do you have a name (first, middle) that you commonly use that differs from your legal name?

Yes No

Sex

* What is your sex?

Male Female

Gender Identity

If you would like the opportunity, we invite you to share more about your gender identity.

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Birth Information

* Date of Birth MM/DD/YYYY

* Country Select Country

* City

* State/Province Select State/Province

* County Select County

Save and Continue

Contact Information

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Sections Completed

- Communication Preferences ✓
- Biographic Information ✓
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Enter your contact information in this section. Some of the information has been carried over from details you provided when creating your account. Confirm that what appears here is correct; click the **Profile Section** link to make changes. Click here for more information.

You can edit this section after you submit your application.

Current Address

* Country / Territory: United States
* Street Address 1: 4200 Farm Hill Blvd
Street Address 2:
* City: Redwood City
* State/Province: California
* County: San Mateo County
* Zip/Postal Code: 94061-1030
Approximate Date through which current address is valid: MM/DD/YYYY
* Is this your permanent address?
Yes / No

Phone

To make changes to your phone number, go to the Profile Section

* Preferred Phone Number: Type
Alternate Phone Number: +16503063493 Mobile

Email

To make changes to your email, go to the Profile Section

* Email: sohrabi@smccd.edu Work

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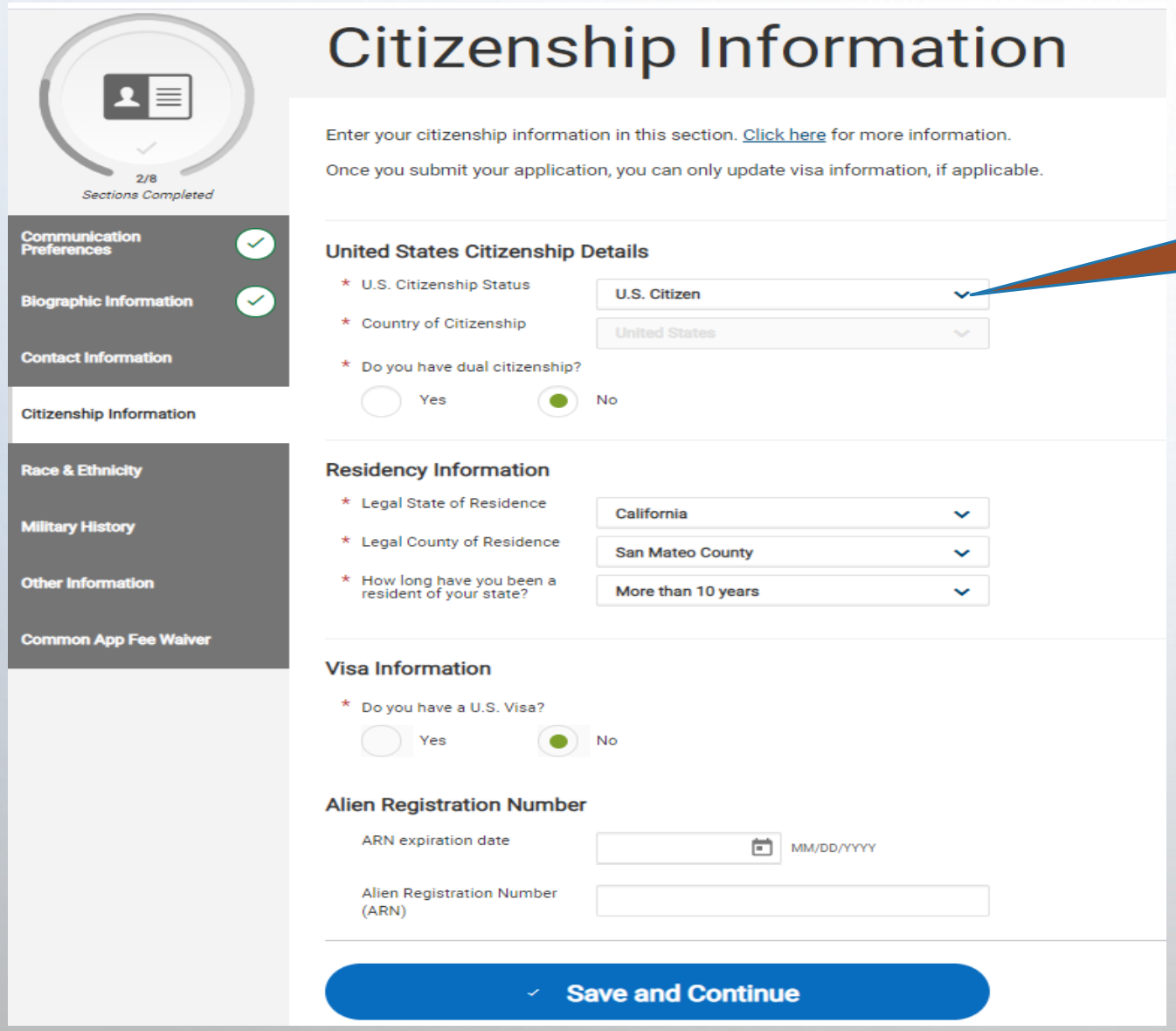
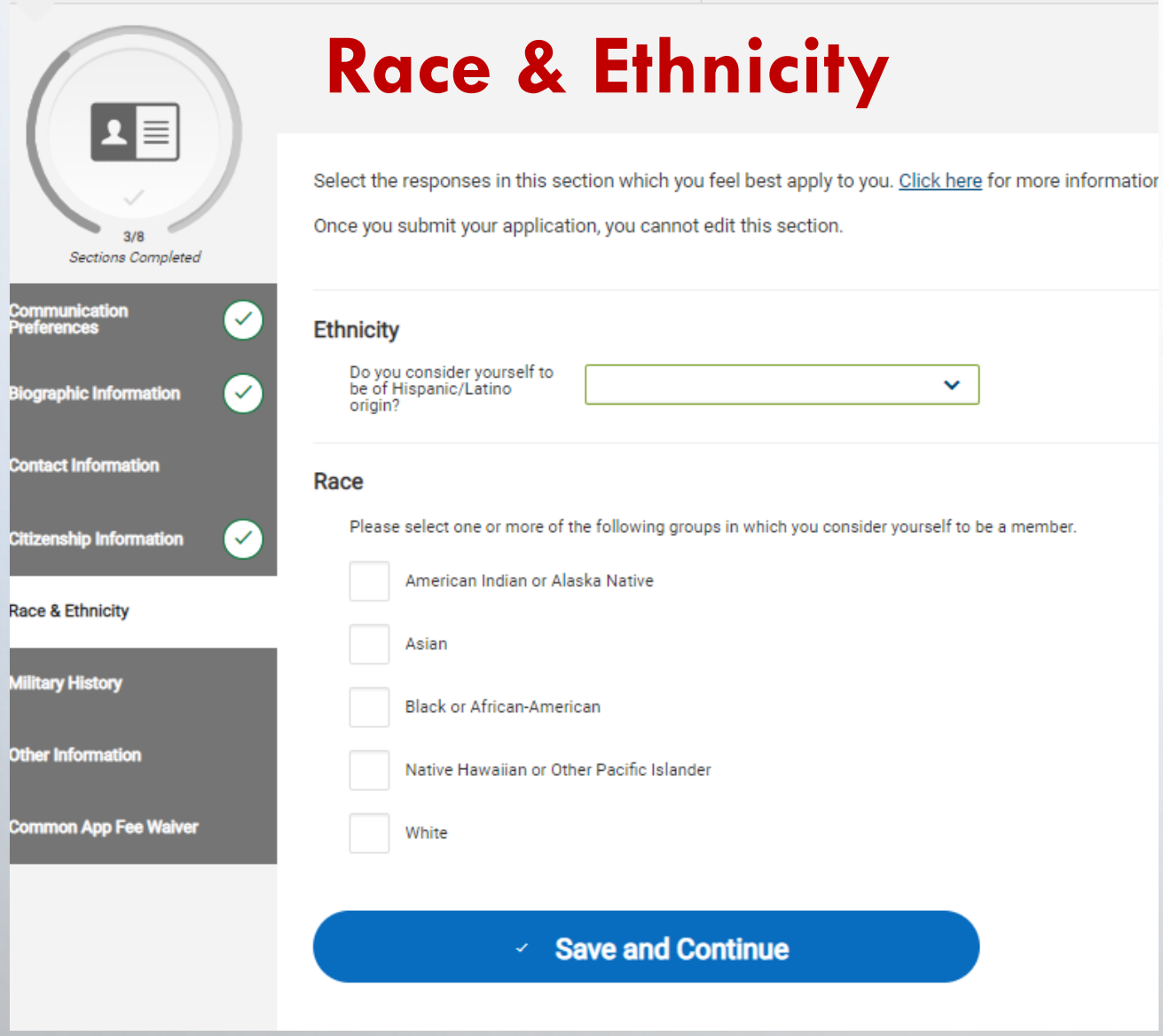
Residency Information



- U.S. Citizen
- Permanent Resident
- Temporary Resident
- Visa Type
- None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Race & Ethnicity
Select the responses in this section which you feel best apply to you. Click here for more information
Once you submit your application, you cannot edit this section.
Ethnicity
Do you consider yourself to be of Hispanic/Latino origin?
Race
Please select one or more of the following groups in which you consider yourself to be a member.
American Indian or Alaska Native
Asian
Black or African-American
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
White
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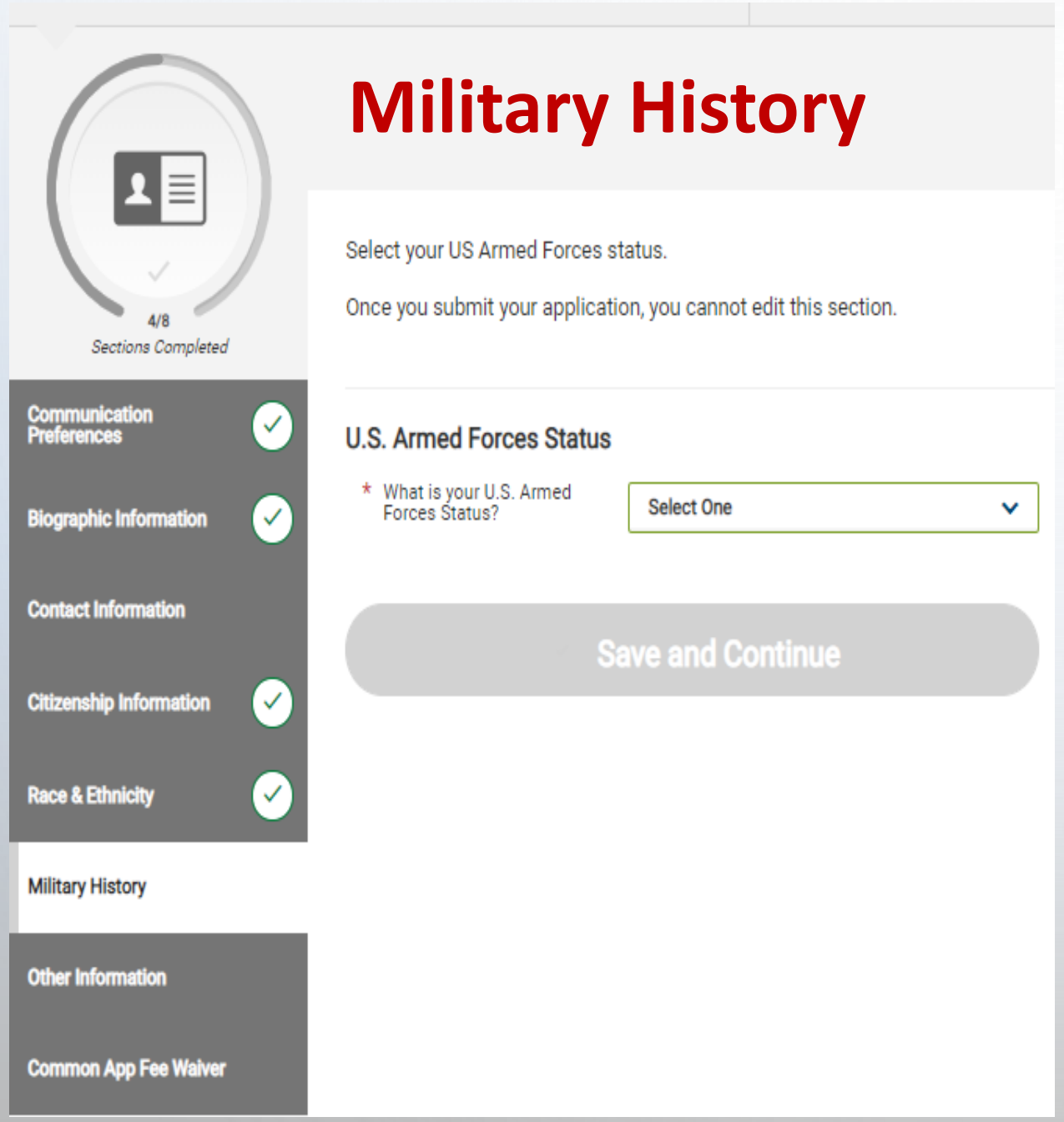

Options Are:

- None
- Currently Serving*
- Previously Served*
- Current Dependent

* Need to also answer your military branch, date served and whether you are honorable or dishonorable discharged.

Other Information

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Sections Completed

- Communication Preferences ✓
- Biographic Information ✓
- Contact Information
- Citizenship Information ✓
- Race & Ethnicity ✓
- Military History ✓
- Other Information
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Enter your responses to these additional questions. Click here for more information.

Once you submit your application, you can only update Disciplinary Action to change your response from **No** to **Yes**.

* Indicates required field

Language Proficiency

* What is your First Language? — Select Language

+ Add Another Language

Family Educational Background

* Did either of your parents receive a bachelor's degree or higher?

Yes No

Social Security Number

Your designated programs may require your SSN for institutional or federal financial aid forms.

SSN

Future Plans

* Career Interest

Other Career Interest

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* Highest degree you intend to earn

Impact of COVID

Additional Information

Community disruptions such as COVID-19 and natural disasters can have deep and long-lasting impacts. If you need it, this space is yours to describe those impacts. Colleges care about the effects on your health and well-being, safety, family circumstances, future plans, and education, including access to reliable technology and quiet study spaces. For more information, check out our FAQ. Do you wish to share anything on this topic?

Yes No

* Do you wish to provide details of circumstances or qualifications not reflected in the application? *(You may wish to revisit this question once you have reviewed the rest of your application.)

Yes No

Disciplinary Action

* Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at any educational institution you have attended from the 9th grade (or the international equivalent) forward, whether related to academic misconduct or behavioral misconduct, that resulted in a disciplinary action? These actions could include, but are not limited to: probation, suspension, removal, dismissal, or expulsion from the institution.

Yes No

Other Circumstances

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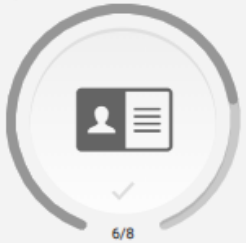
Common App Fee Waiver



- Communication Preferences ✓
- Biographic Information ✓
- Contact Information
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- Race & Ethnicity ✓
- Military History ✓
- Other Information ✓
- Common App Fee Waiver

Select whether you feel your financial circumstances might qualify you for an application fee waiver. Some colleges may request further documentation to support your fee waiver. Click here for more information.

You can edit this section after you submit your application.

* Indicates required field

Common App Fee Waiver

* Our member colleges want to make sure that application fees do not pose a barrier for any student who wishes to apply for admission. Do you feel that your financial circumstances might qualify you for an application fee waiver?

(•) Yes ( ) No

* You must meet at least one of the following indicators of economic need to qualify for an application fee waiver.

Select all that apply:

- [ ] I am eligible to receive a federal Pell grant
- [ ] My annual family income falls within the Income Eligibility Guidelines set by the USDA Food and Nutrition Service
- [ ] My family receives public assistance
- [ ] I live in federally subsidized public housing, a foster home or am homeless
- [ ] I can provide a supporting statement from a school official, college access counselor, financial aid officer, or community leader
- [ ] I am enrolled in a federal, state, or local program that aids students from low-income families (e.g., TRIO programs such as Upward Bound)

I certify that I understand and meet the eligibility requirements to request an admission application fee waiver.

* Fee Waiver Signature:

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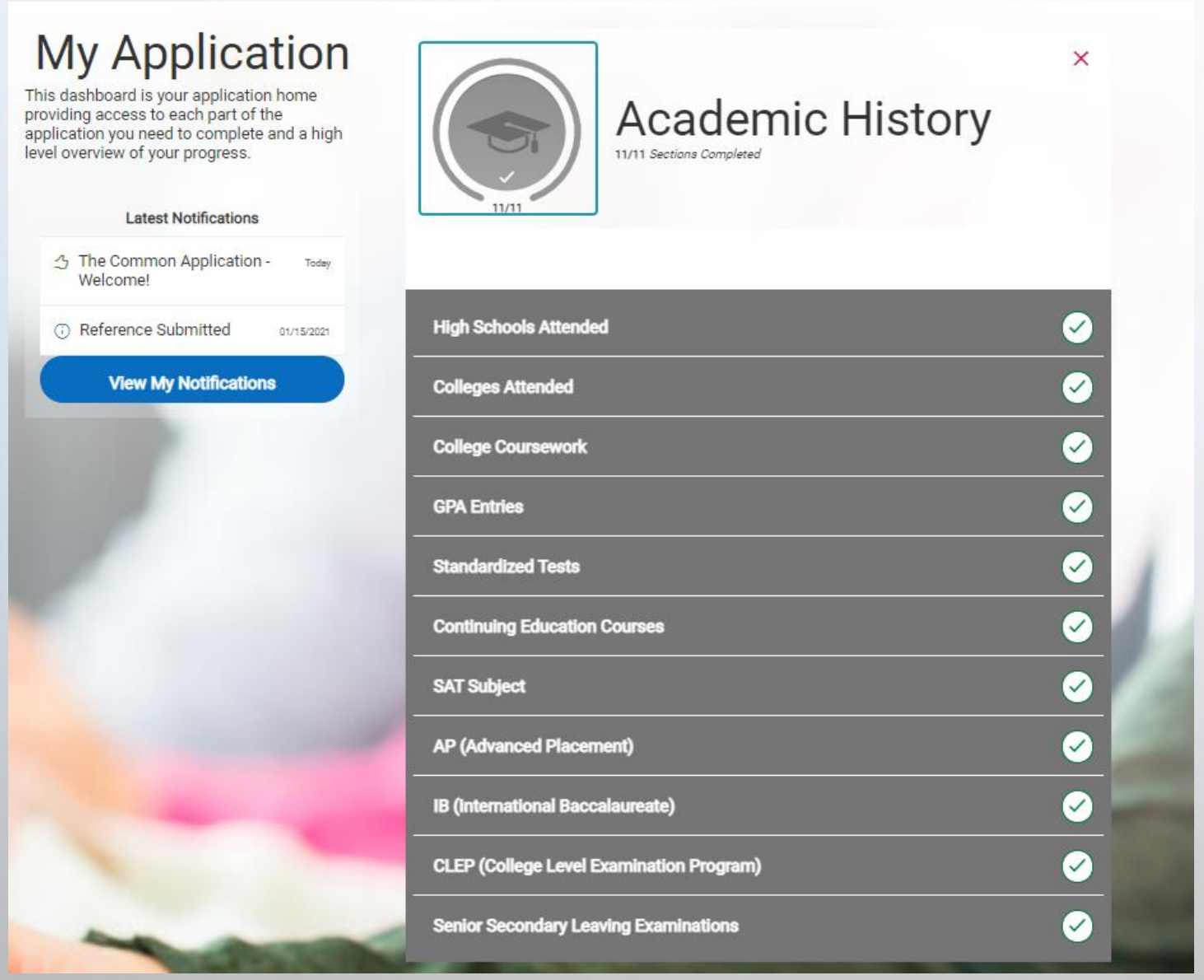
The application fees can may be waived if you meet at least one of the indications listed on this page.

PART 2 - ACADEMIC HISTORY



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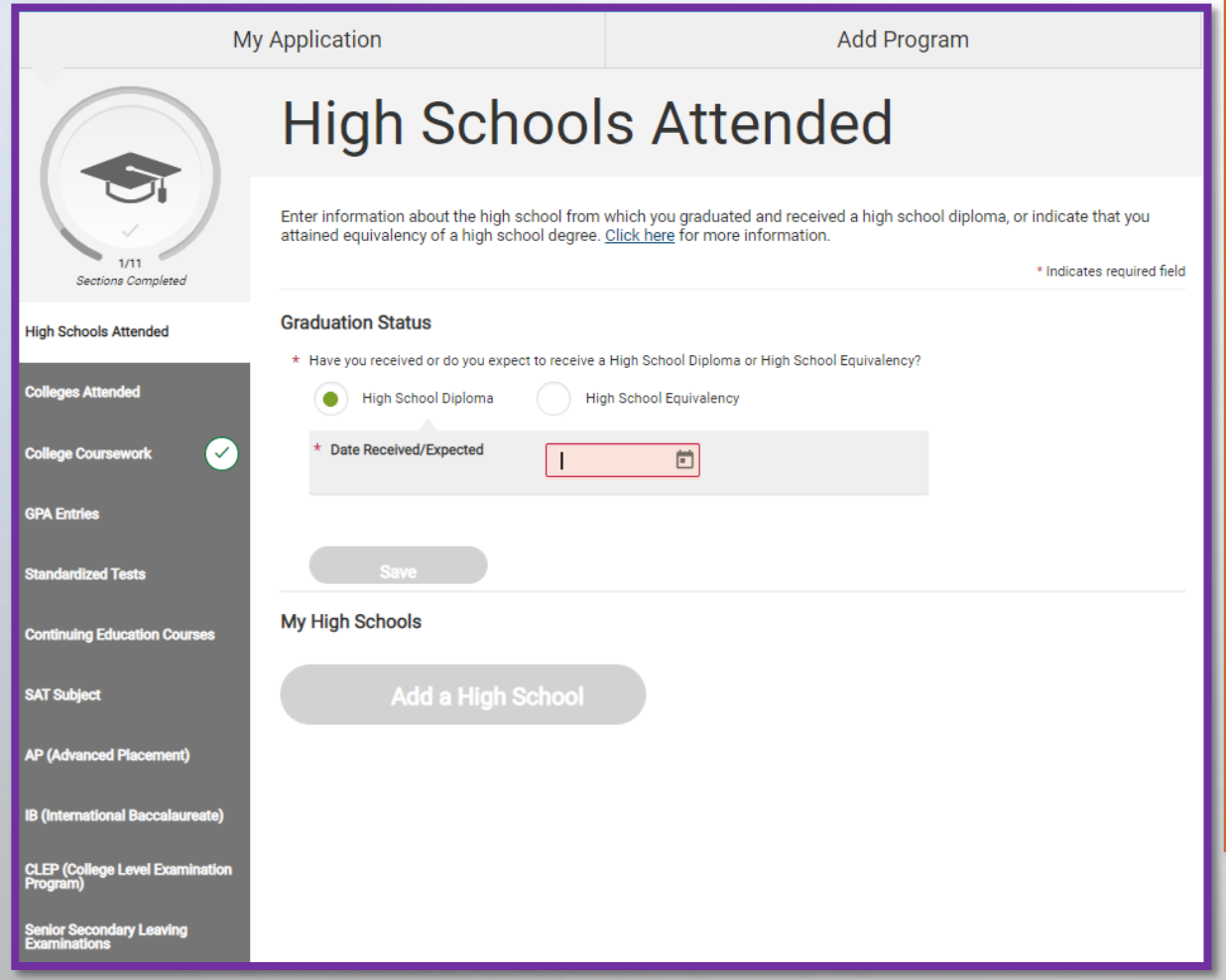
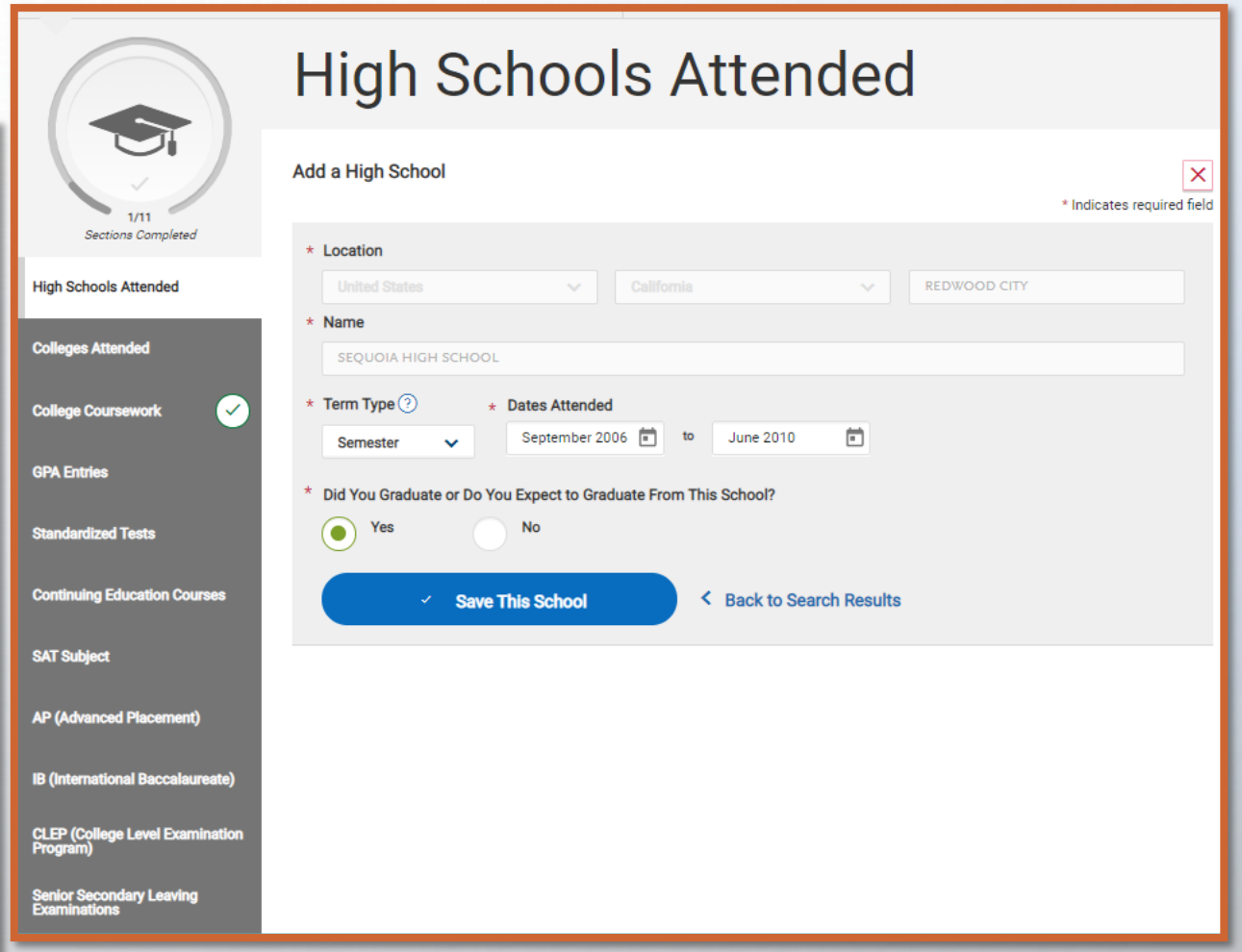
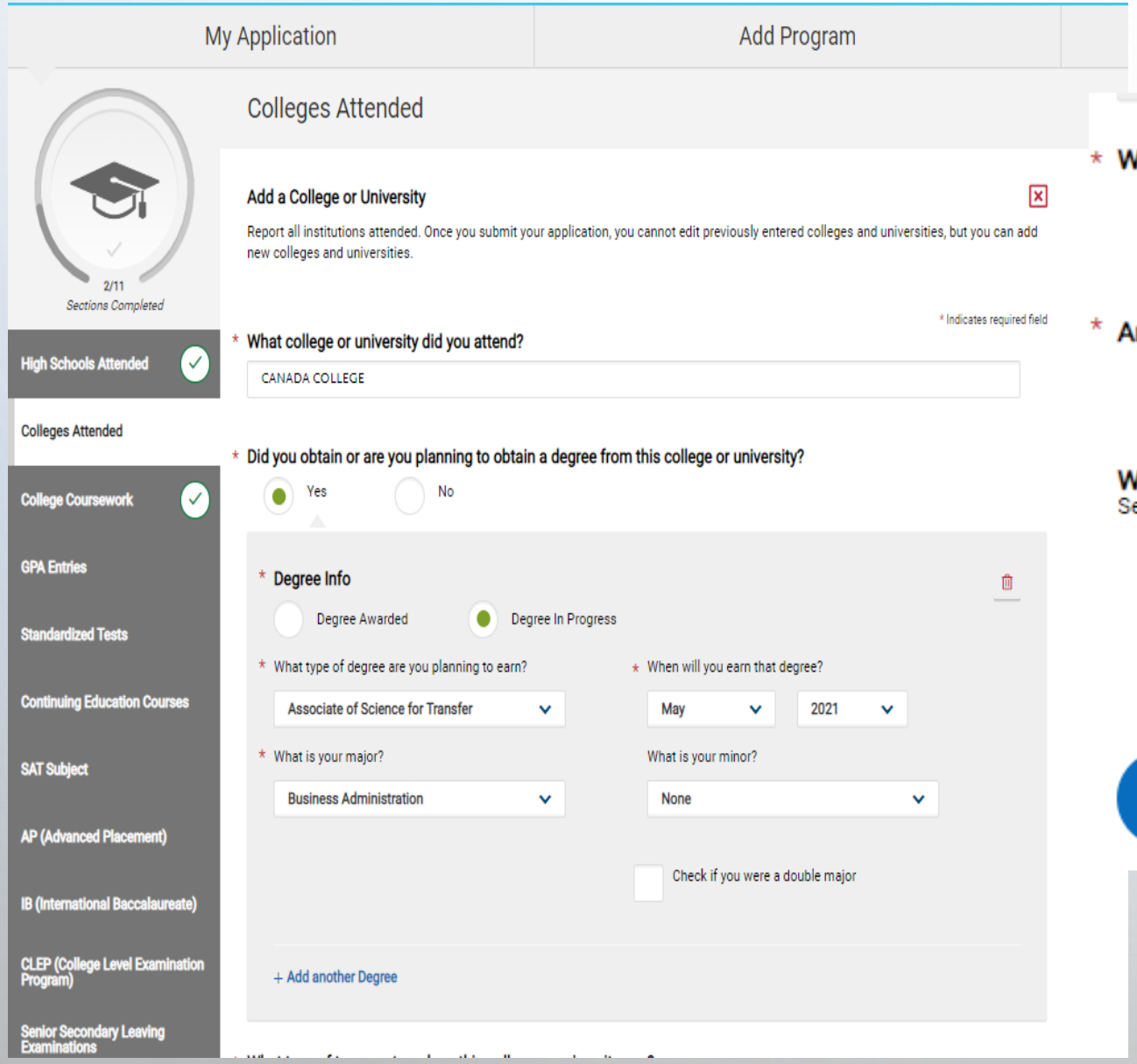
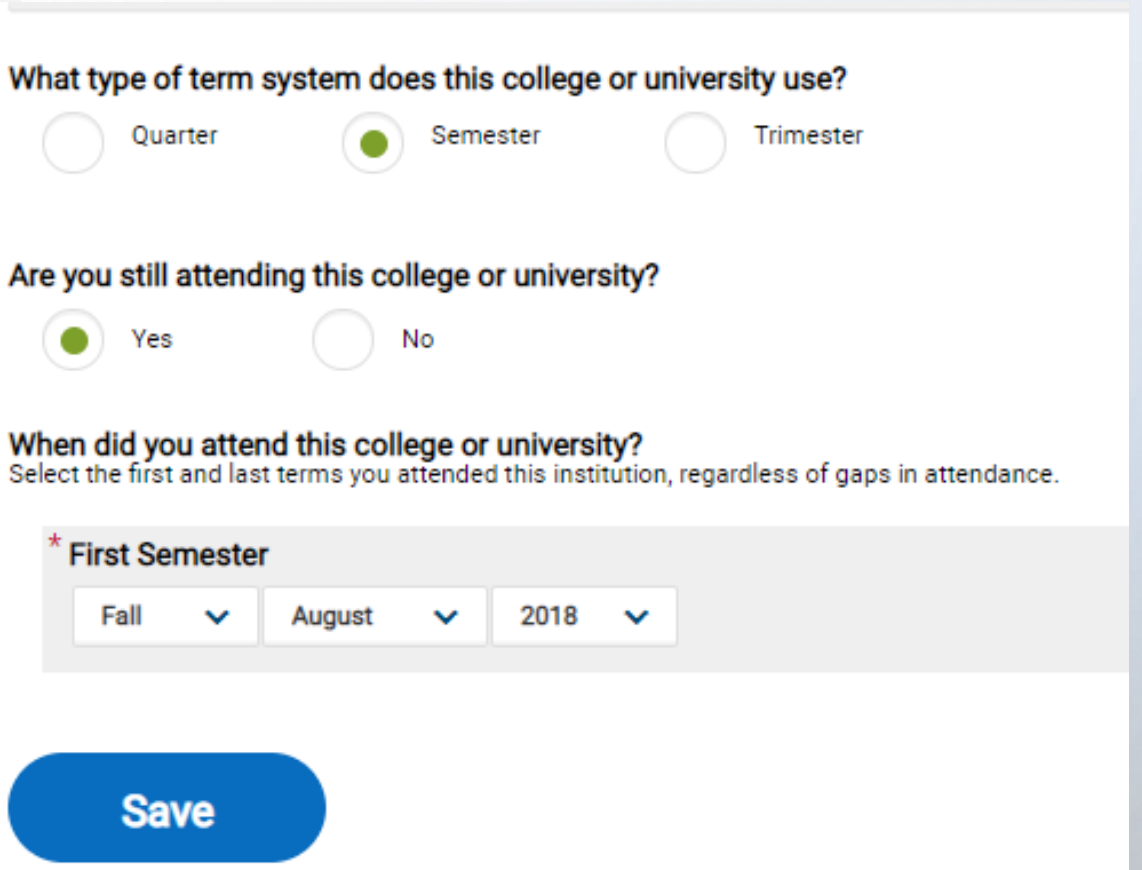




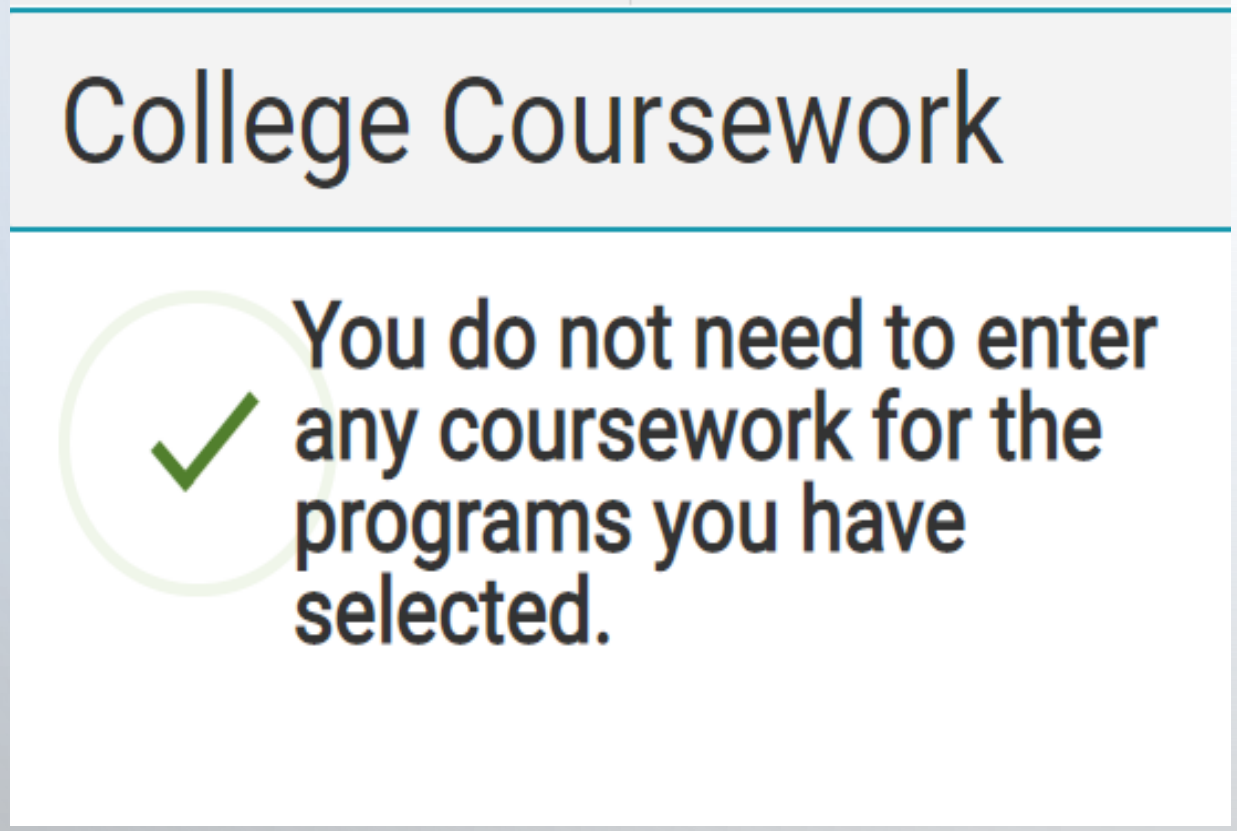
College Information





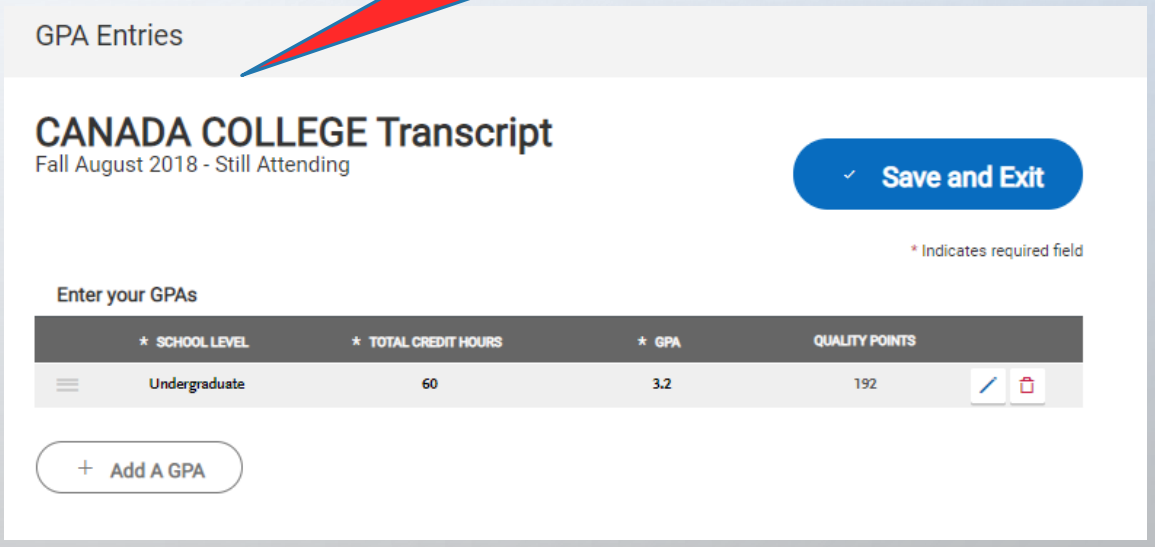
COLLEGE COURSEWORK

Depends on the University, you may or may not require to list coursework from your transcript(s)

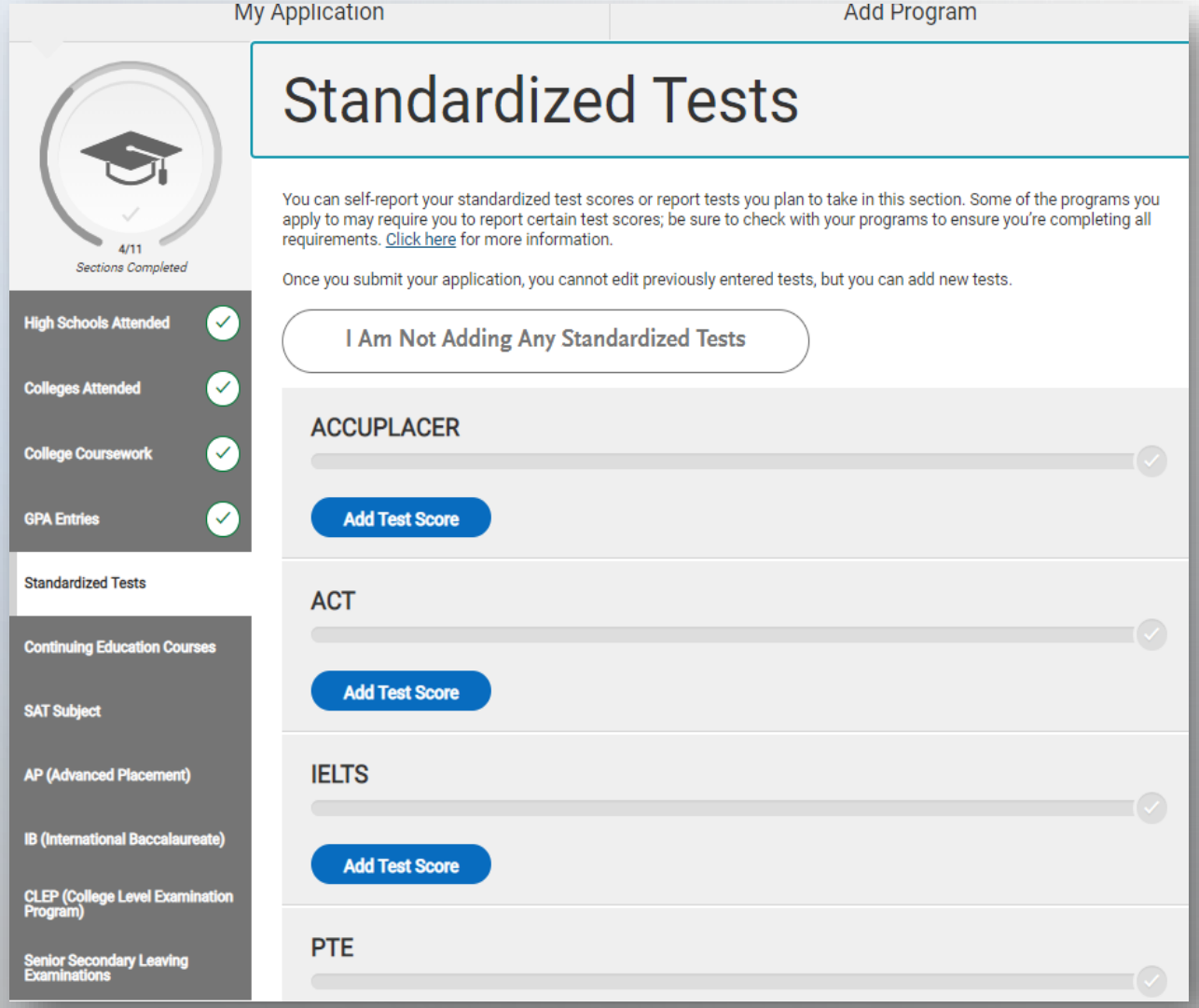


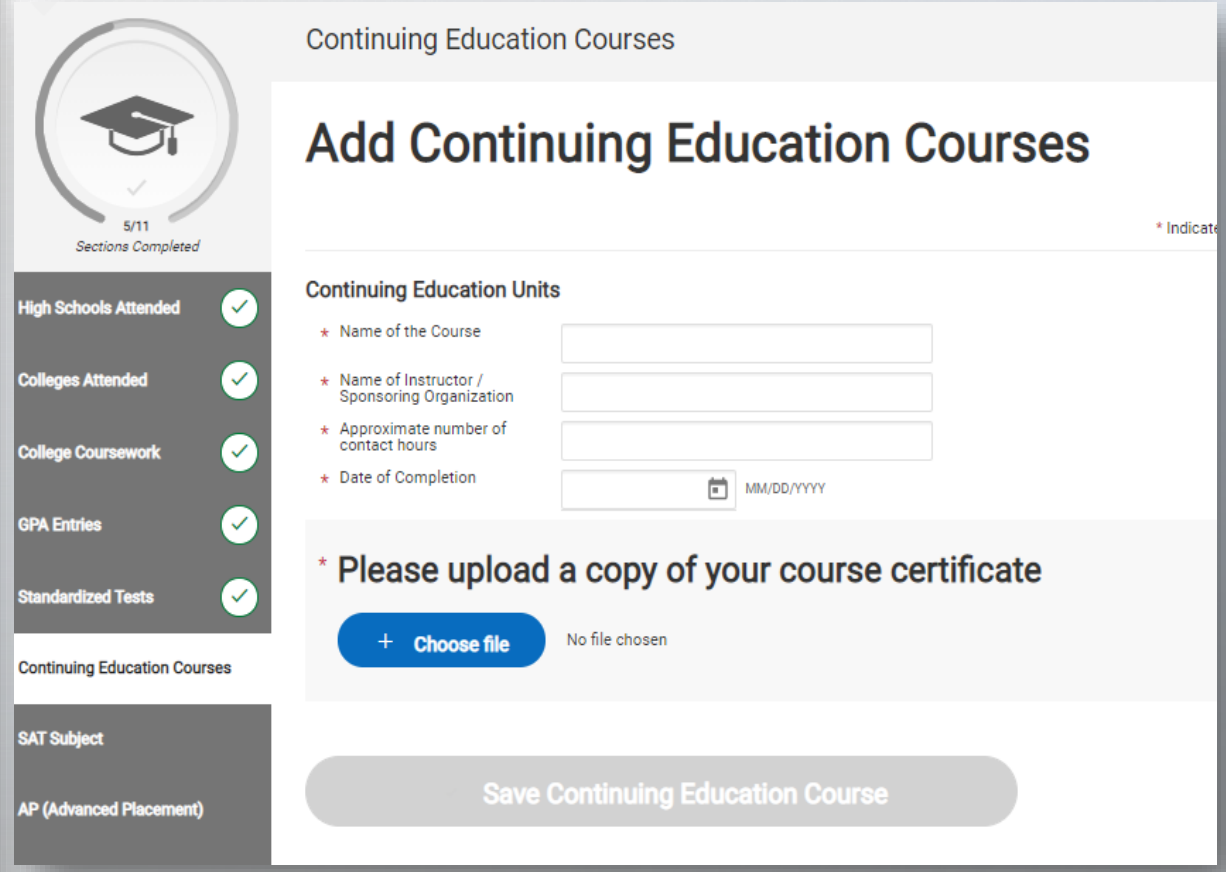
GPA

Enter your overall Transfer GPA for each college attended



Credits From Other Resources (If Applicable)





Credit By Examinations

SAT Subject

Enter your SAT Subject test scores that you wish to report in this section. Click here for more information.

Once you submit your application, you cannot edit previously entered tests, but you can add new tests.

* Indicates required field

SAT score details

Number of SAT Subject Tests you wish to report, including tests you expect to take:

Save and Continue

AP (Advanced Placement)

Enter your Advanced Placement (AP) exam scores that you wish to report in this section. Click here for more information.

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AP (Advanced Placement) details

Number of AP Exams you wish to report, including tests you expect to take

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IB (International Baccalaureate)

Enter your International Baccalaureate (IB) exam scores that you wish to report in this section. Click here for more information.

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IB (International Baccalaureate) details

Number of IB (International Baccalaureate) Exams you wish to report, including tests you expect to take

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CLEP (College Level Examination Program)

Enter your College Level Examination Program (CLEP) exam scores that you wish to report in this section. Click here for more information.

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CLEP (College Level Examination Program) details

Number of CLEP Exams you wish to report, including exams you expect to take

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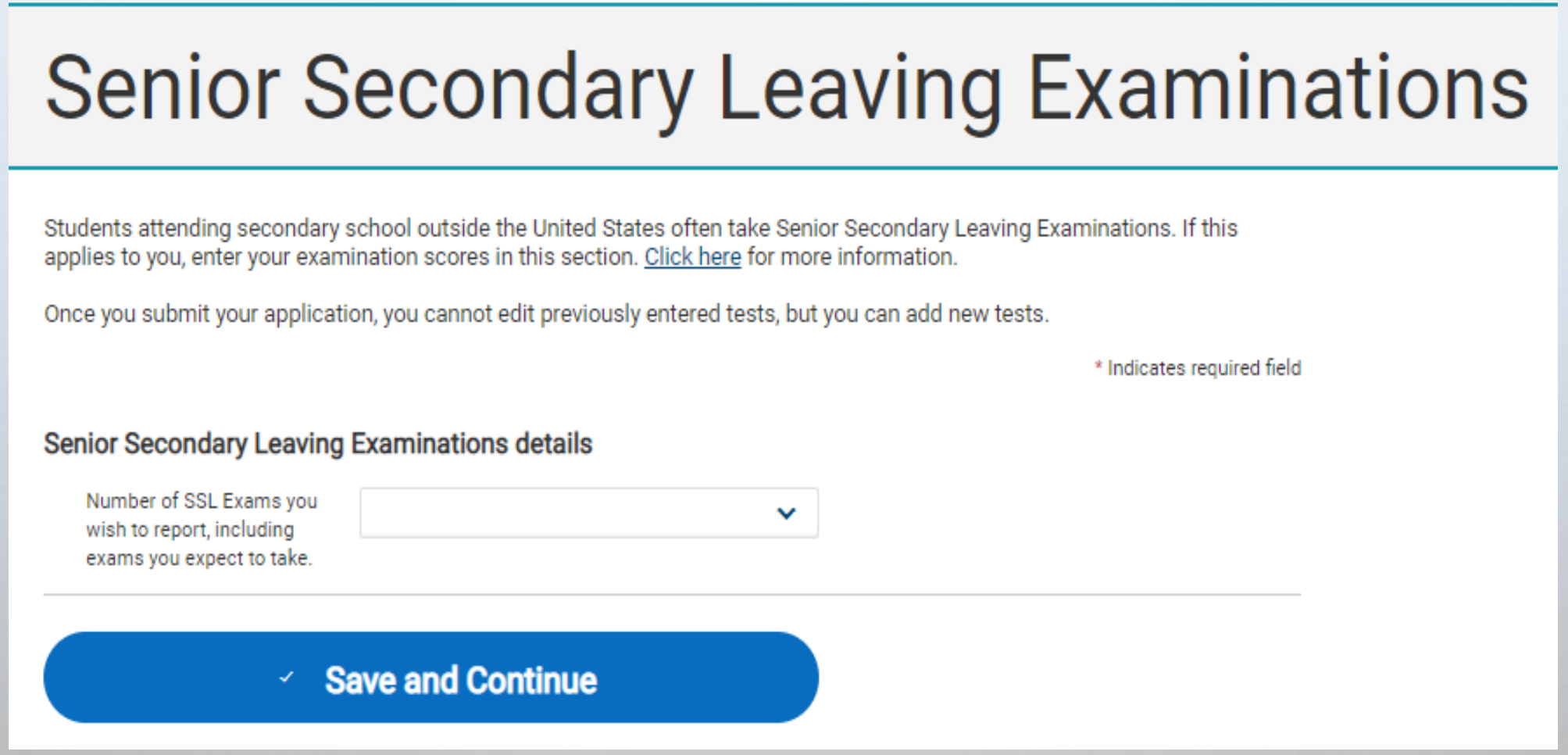

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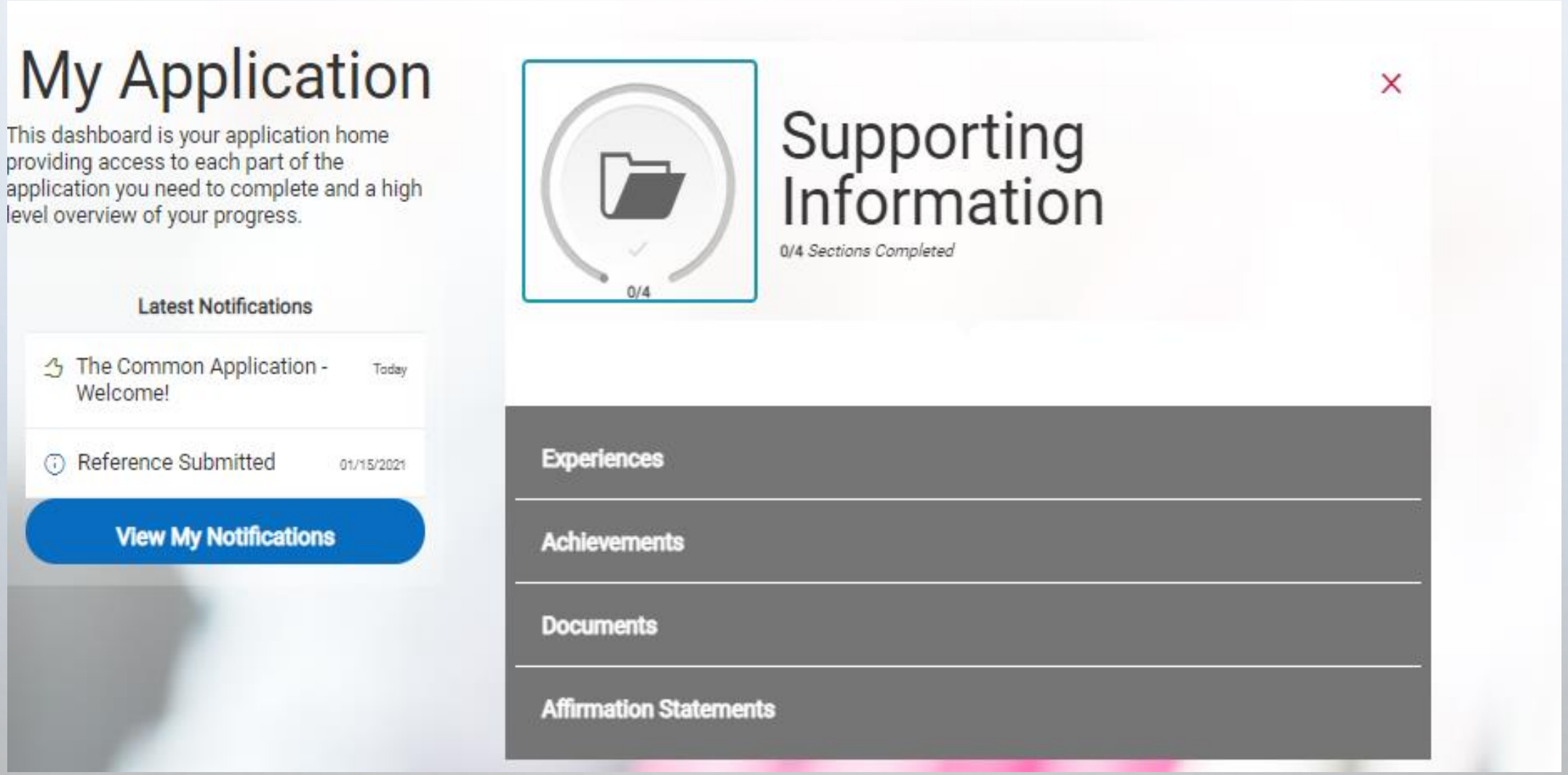

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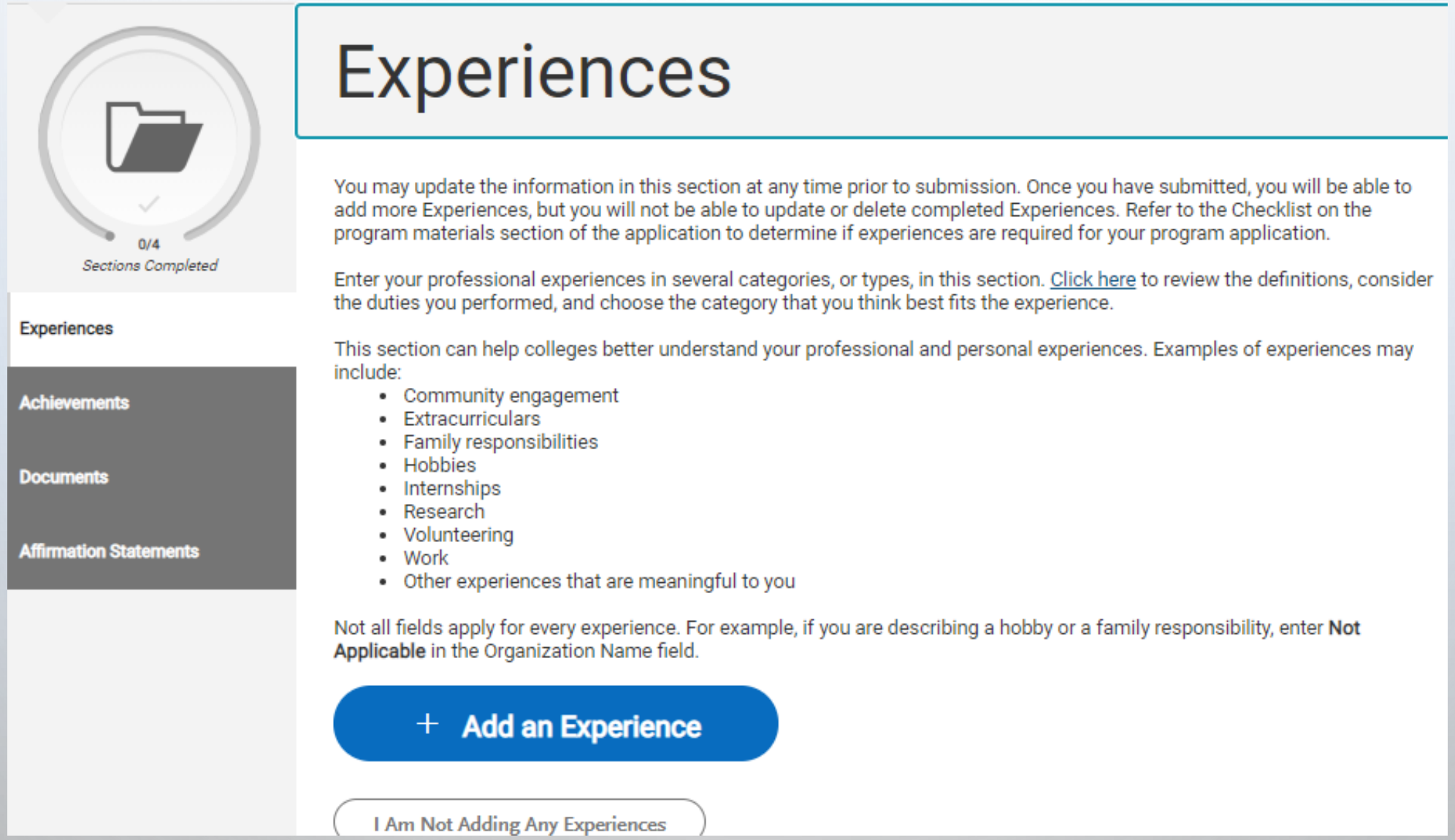


Achievements

Enter any relevant professional or academic achievements in this section. Click here to review the definitions, consider the achievement you earned, and choose the category that you think best fits.

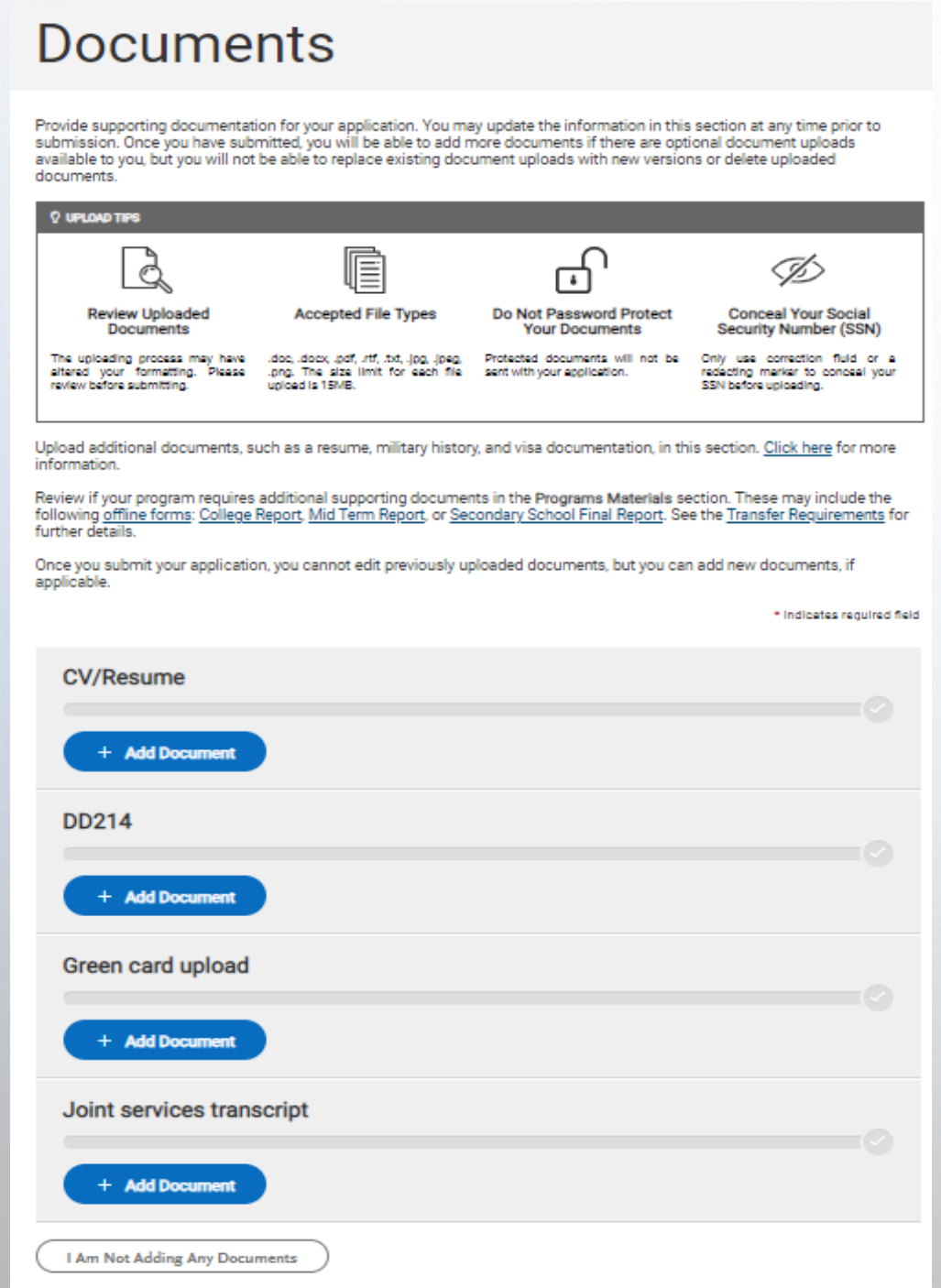
Once you submit your application, you cannot edit previously entered achievements, but you can add new achievements.

+ Add an Achievement

I Am Not Adding Any Achievements

This applies more toward master or Doctorate level.

You may use this section to include your achievements such as Dean's list, and any other awards and acknowledgment you have received.



Documents

In this section, you may add the documents that applies to you.

The documents that you upload in this section will be available to all Universities that you are applying to.

Confirmation And Signature Page

Affirmation Statements

You must review and respond to the following statements to submit your application. You must affirm that all information submitted in the admission process is your own work, factually true, and honestly presented. Once you submit your application, your responses cannot be edited. Review these instructions and the content of the statements carefully. It's your responsibility to read and understand these statements before responding to them. Click here for more information.

* Indicates required field

Affirmation Statements

By submitting this application, I affirm my understanding of and agreement to the statements found here: http://www.commonapp.org/affirmations

Please affirm the following before you submit your application.

* I certify that all information submitted in the admission process - including this application and any other supporting materials - is my own work, factually true, and honestly presented, and that these documents will become the property of the institution to which I am applying and will not be returned to me. I understand that I may be subject to a range of possible disciplinary actions, including admission revocation, expulsion, or revocation of course credit, grades, and degree should the information I have certified be false.

☐ I Affirm

* I agree to notify the institutions to which I am applying immediately should there be any change to the information requested in this application, including disciplinary history.

☐ I Affirm

* I understand that once my application has been submitted it may not be altered in any way; I will need to contact the institution directly if I wish to provide additional information.

☐ I Affirm

* I acknowledge that I have reviewed the application instructions for the college receiving this application. I understand that all offers of admission are conditional, pending receipt of final transcripts showing work comparable in quality to that upon which the offer was based, as well as honorable dismissal from the school.

☐ I Affirm

* I affirm that by completing and submitting a Transcript Request Form to the Registrar of the school(s) that I have attended, I am authorizing the Registrar to send my requested records (official transcript) to the Common App for Transfer Transcript Processing Center and I am also authorizing the Common App for Transfer Transcript Processing Center to forward my official transcript to the institution(s) to which I am applying.

☐ I Affirm

* I affirm that I will send an enrollment deposit (or equivalent) to only one institution; sending multiple deposits (or equivalent) may result in the withdrawal of my admission offers from all institutions. [Note: students may send an enrollment deposit (or equivalent) to a second institution where they have been admitted from the waitlist, provided that they inform the first institution that they will no longer be enrolling.

☐ I Affirm

* Applicant Signature

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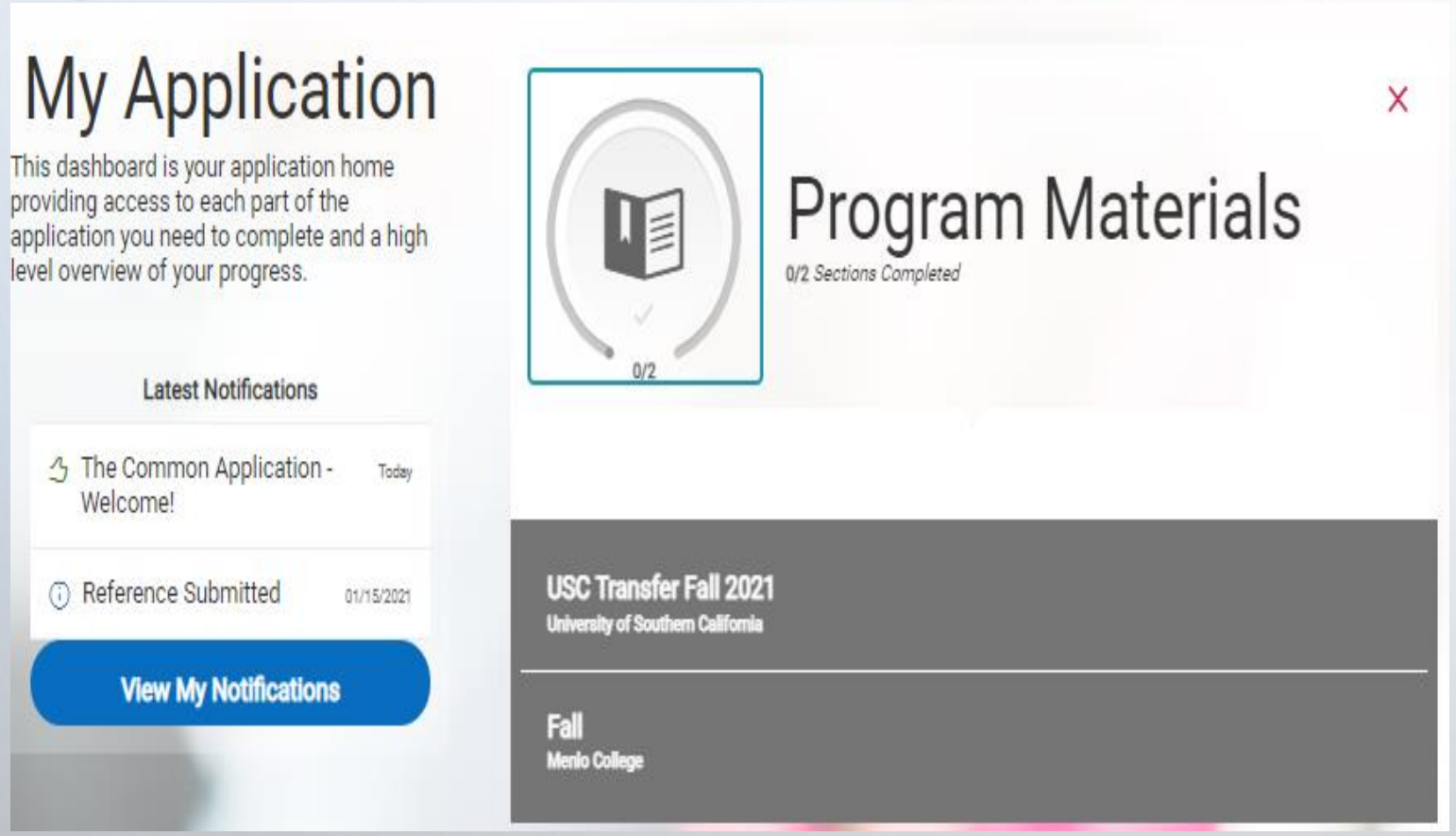
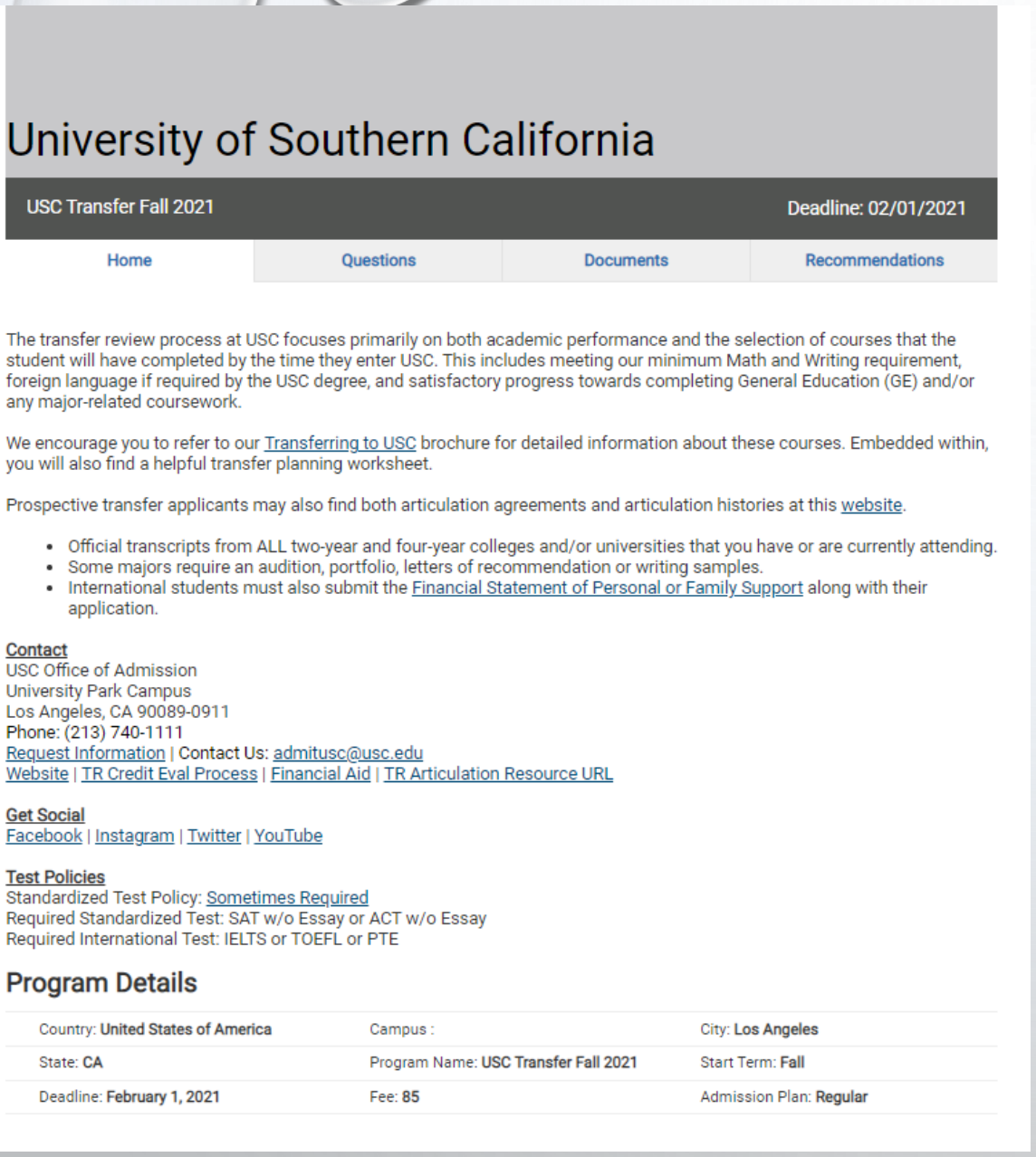
Part 4 – Program Materials



- You will have a list of your selected the universities.
- You must click on each one of them to find if they require additional information, documents, and/or questionnaire.
- This are specific to each campus.



University of Southern California

USC Transfer Fall 2021 Deadline: 02/01/2021

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The transfer review process at USC focuses primarily on both academic performance and the selection of courses that the student will have completed by the time they enter USC. This includes meeting our minimum Math and Writing requirement, foreign language if required by the USC degree, and satisfactory progress towards completing General Education (GE) and/or any major-related coursework.

We encourage you to refer to our Transferring to USC brochure for detailed information about these courses. Embedded within, you will also find a helpful transfer planning worksheet.

Prospective transfer applicants may also find both articulation agreements and articulation histories at this website.

- Official transcripts from ALL two-year and four-year colleges and/or universities that you have or are currently attending.
- Some majors require an audition, portfolio, letters of recommendation or writing samples.
- International students must also submit the Financial Statement of Personal or Family Support along with their application.

Contact
USC Office of Admission
University Park Campus
Los Angeles, CA 90089-0911
Phone: (213) 740-1111
Request Information | Contact Us: admitusc@usc.edu
Website | TR Credit Eval Process | Financial Aid | TR Articulation Resource URL

Get Social
Facebook | Instagram | Twitter | YouTube

Test Policies
Standardized Test Policy: Sometimes Required
Required Standardized Test: SAT w/o Essay or ACT w/o Essay
Required International Test: IELTS or TOEFL or PTE

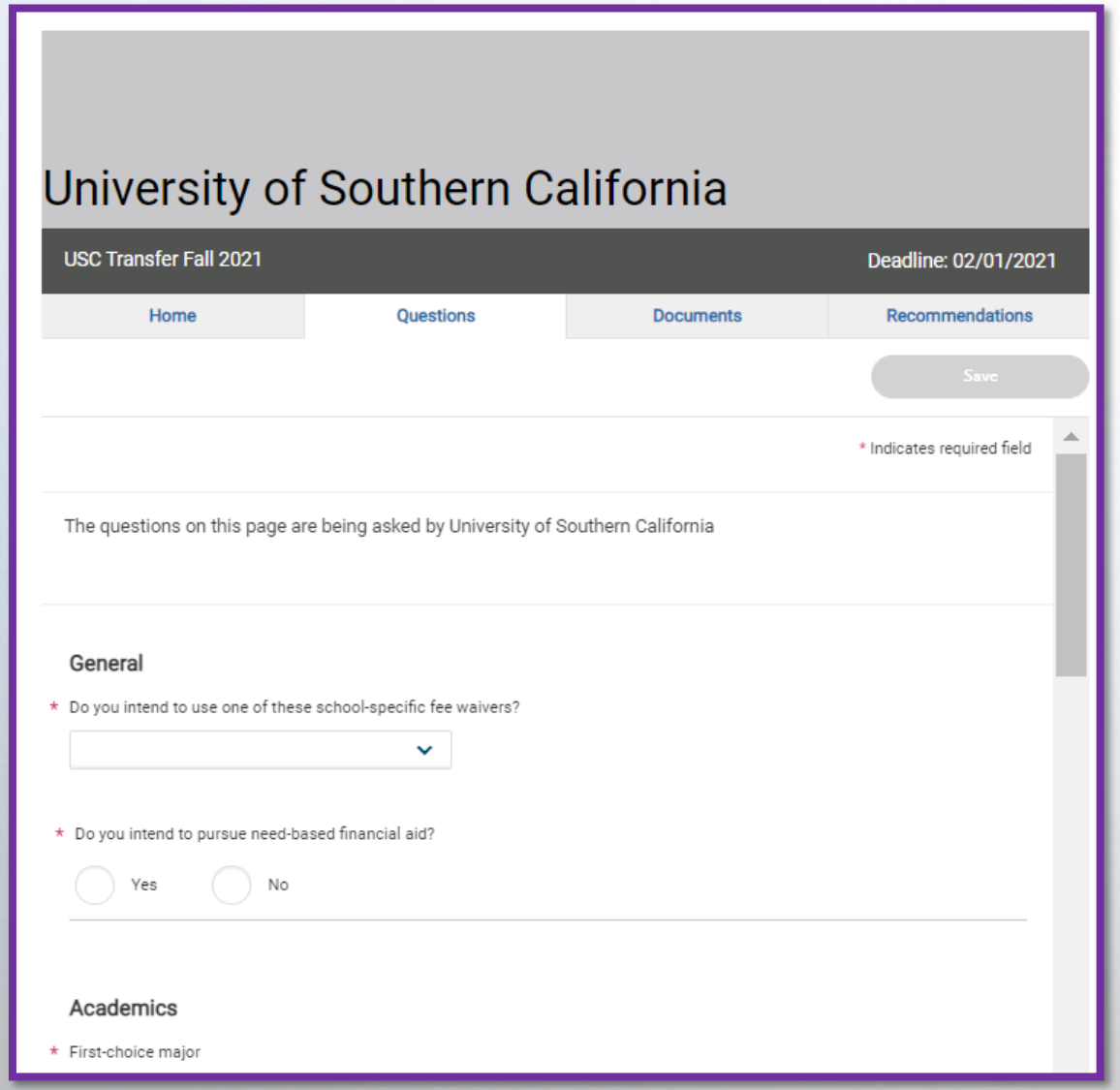
Program Details

Country: **United States of America**	Campus :	City: **Los Angeles**
State: **CA**	Program Name: **USC Transfer Fall 2021**	Start Term: **Fall**
Deadline: **February 1, 2021**	Fee: **85**	Admission Plan: **Regular**

Tabs Under Each Campus

- Some campuses may have only one tab "Home" to explain the program information and any other information. Usually, you do not need to take any action in this section.
- Questionnaire – questions varies for each campus
- Documents – these are specific to the university.

Tabs Under Each Campus – Questionnaire



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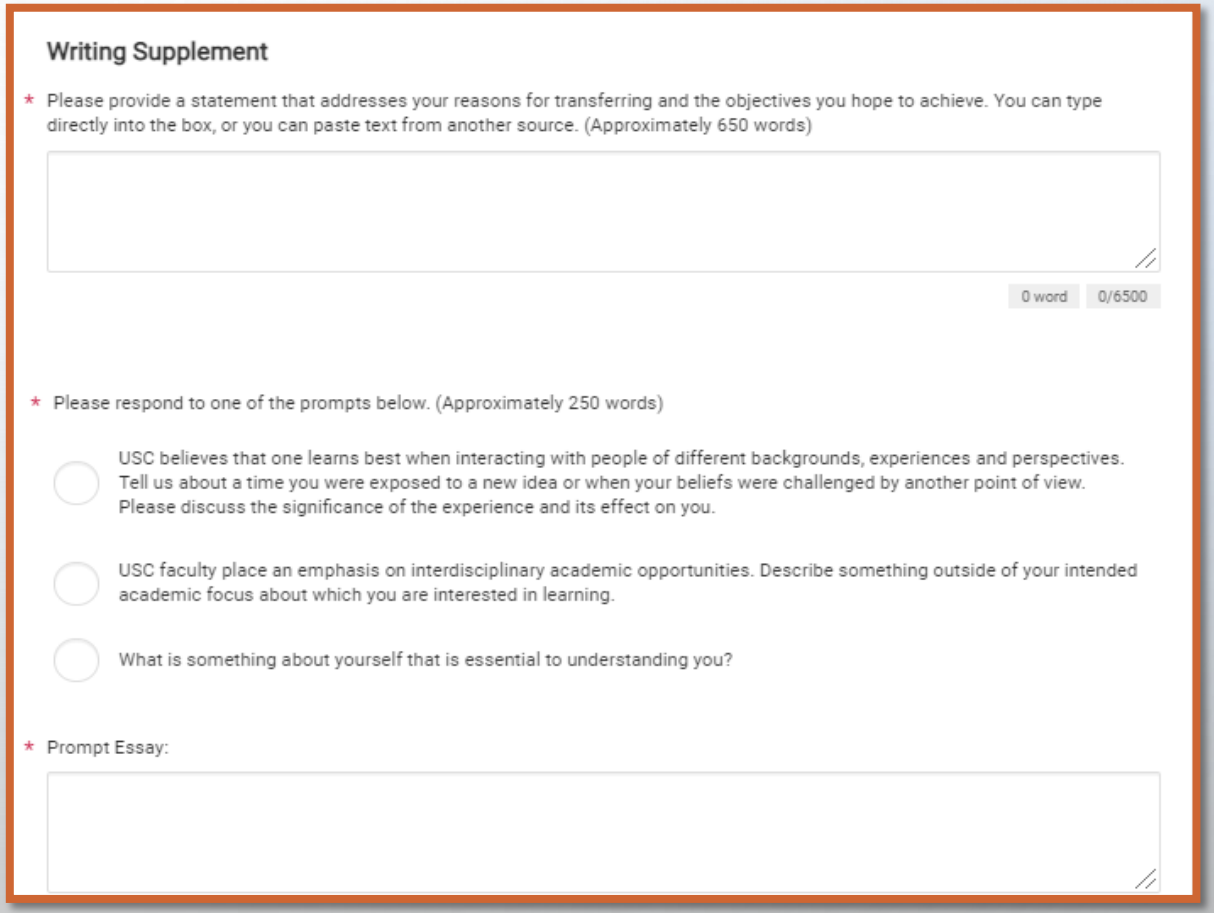
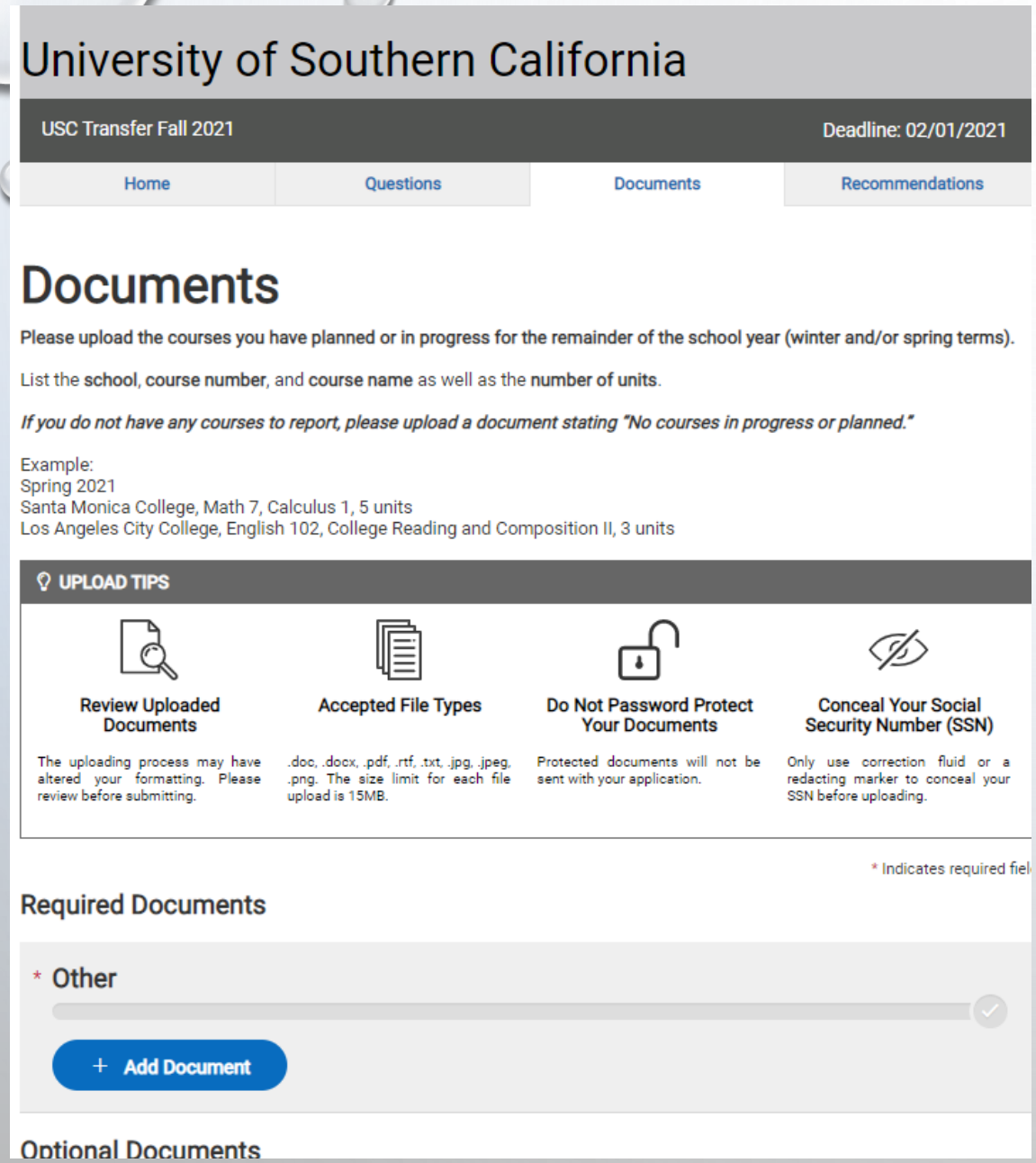
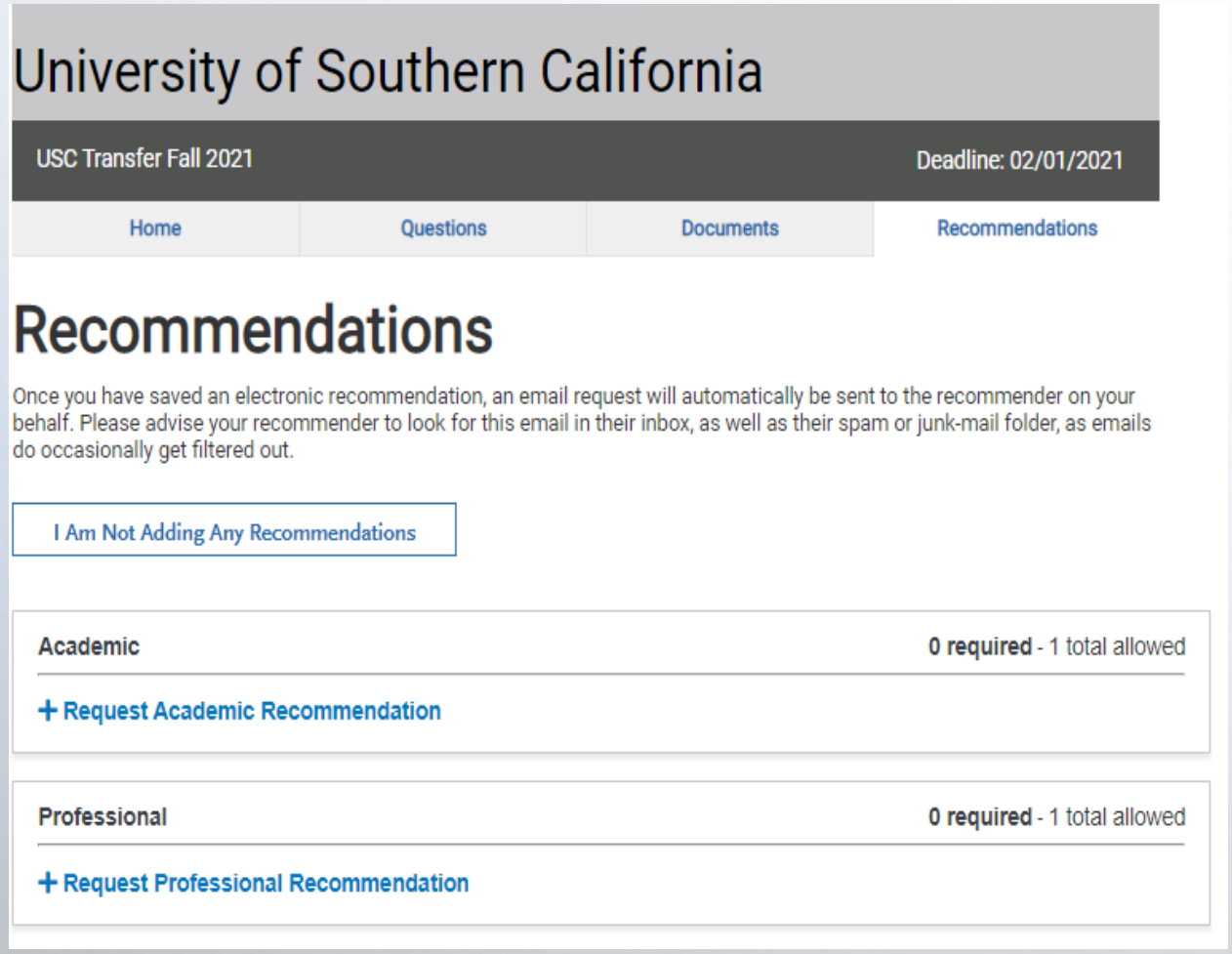


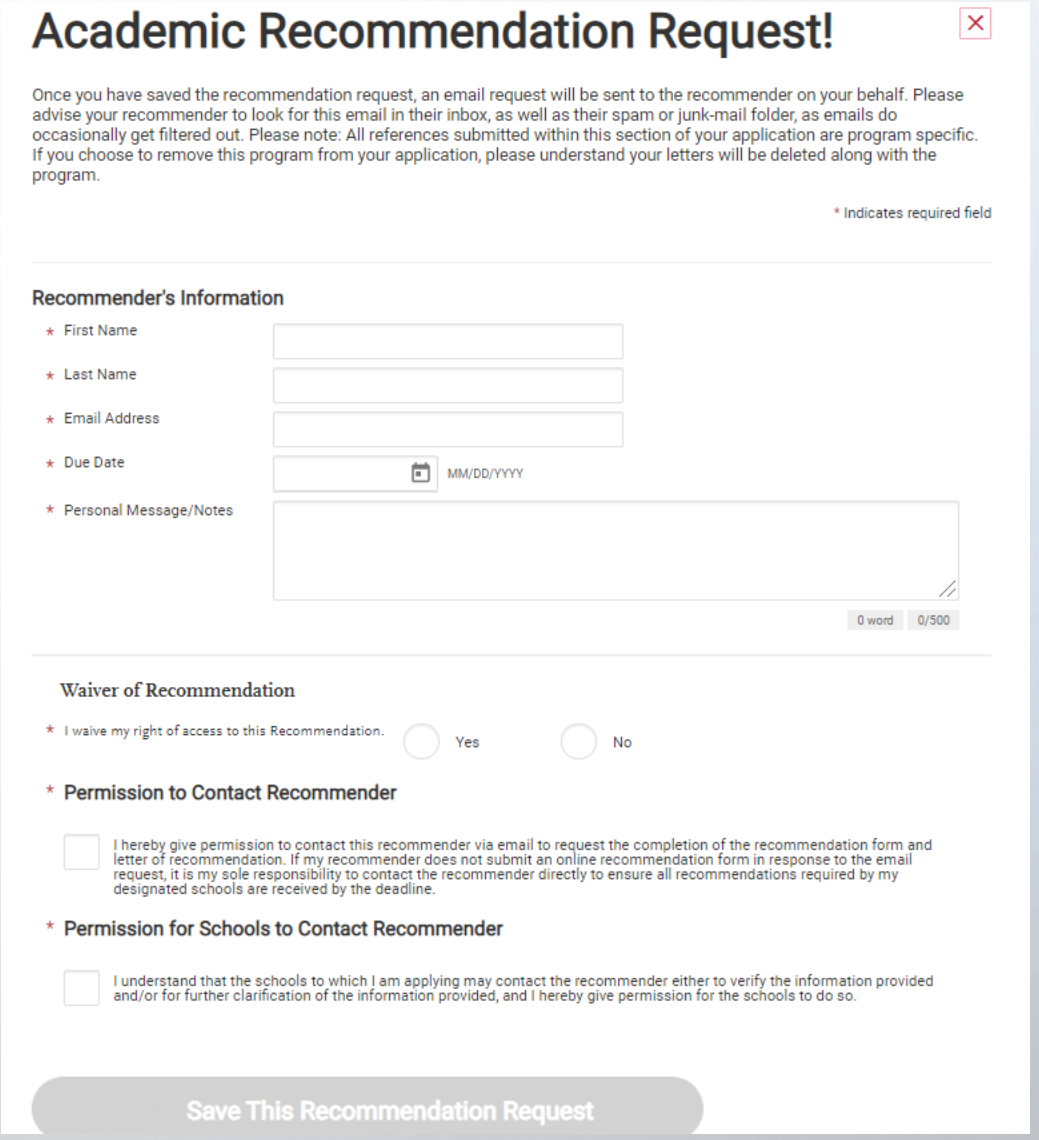


Documents Specific To Universities

- In this section, you are required to upload the documents that are requested by the individual University.
- This will be available to the university that is requesting the documents

Recommendation





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Additional Documents To Be Submitted

- COLLEGE REPORT
- MID-TERM REPORT

HOW TO REQUEST ADMISSIONS OFFICE TO COMPLETE THE ABOVE FORM:

- COMPLETE THE REQUEST FORM
- COMPLETE THE TOP PORTION OF THE COLLEGE REPORT, AND SIGN IT
- SUBMIT THESE FORMS TO THE ADMISSIONS OFFICE

Additional Guideline

- COMMON APPLICATION GUIDELINE: HTTPS://WWW.COMMONAPP.ORG/STATIC/E34CC5F7A0CE41970CB8174153406071/TRHOWTRWORKSCAREADY.PDF

- APPLICATION GUIDE FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS: HTTPS://WWW.COMMONAPP.ORG/APPLY/TRANSFER-STUDENTS