

FAQ:

**What if I don't know how to get my transcripts?**

If you have any questions about how to obtain these items, please contact Kathy Hill at [khill@mercyhurst.edu](mailto:khill@mercyhurst.edu) or 814-725-6197.

**What if I don't know how to get my SAT/ACT scores?**

Generally, test scores are located on high school transcripts. In the case that they are not, they may be ordered at [collegeboard.org](http://collegeboard.org) (for SAT scores) or [act.org](http://act.org) (for ACT scores). If it has been longer than three years since you have taken the test, or if you have not taken/do not plan on taking the test, then we will provide a time for you to take the free MNE placement test, either that same day or scheduled for a future date. Sometimes, college transcripts may exempt you from having submit SAT/ACT scores or from having to take the MNE placement test.

**What if I have a GED?**

Please bring a copy of your GED certificate, along with the GED test scores.

**What time should I arrive?**

Mercyhurst North East Admissions Decision Days will be held in an open-format style. You may arrive anytime between 1:00pm-3:30pm (so that we have enough time to process your application before the office closes).

**Where should I go?**

Mercyhurst North East Admissions Decision Days will be held in the Admissions offices (#1 on the campus map). Visitor parking is available (#23 on the campus map). Additional parking is also located in the commuter lot (#21 on the campus map).

**I want to receive a financial aid package. What should I bring?**

If you were born in 1995 or later, you will need yours and your parents' social security numbers and dates of birth. If you were born in 1994 or earlier, you need only to supply your own social security number. Admissions counselors will be available to help you submit the FAFSA application, which is required for all students to be eligible for financial aid. If you would like to submit this free application ahead of time, please do so at [fafsa.gov](http://fafsa.gov) and bring us a copy of your confirmation page.

**I am interested in nursing. Can I get an admissions decision that day?**

For RN and LPN applicants, a nursing entrance exam is required (the TEAS test). If, after reviewing your application (including transcripts and test scores) you are eligible to take the TEAS test, you will be registered that day to take it sometime in the near future.

**Can I fill out an application ahead of time?**

Absolutely! You may fill one out at [apply.mercyhurst.edu](http://apply.mercyhurst.edu). Please bring copies of your transcripts with you so that we may provide you with an admissions decision.