

**EARLY
DECISION
APPLICANTS
ONLY**

Early Decision Plan

The Meredith College **Early Decision Application Plan (ED)** is recommended for first-year students who have completed their college research and whose first choice is Meredith. **An Early Decision application is a binding commitment that means, if admitted, you will enroll at Meredith.** You will receive notification of an admission decision on or before November 15.

To be considered under the Early Decision plan, you must:

- Select the **First-Year Early Decision** box on your application for admission;
- Complete, sign, and return this Early Decision Agreement;
- Submit no other Early Decision applications to other colleges and universities;
- Submit your completed application for admission and your signed agreement by **November 2, Meredith's Early Decision Deadline**;
- **Early Decision** financial aid offers are dependent on submission of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). All ED applicants are encouraged to submit the FAFSA by **November 10 - the early aid deadline** – in order to receive an estimated offer by December 1. Access the Free Application for Federal Student Aid at www.fafsa.gov (available October 1).

If you are admitted to Meredith under the Early Decision Plan, you agree:

- To promptly withdraw all applications submitted to other colleges and universities and make no additional applications to any other institution. If you are seeking financial aid, you need not withdraw other applications until you have received notification about financial aid. If demonstrated financial need as determined by the FAFSA and Meredith's Office of Financial Assistance is not met, you are released from the Early Decision agreement.
- To submit a non-refundable \$300 deposit to Meredith by December 15 – the ED deposit deadline – to reserve your space in the class;
- To enroll in the incoming First-Year class at Meredith.

Meredith College Early Decision Agreement

Name of Applicant _____
first middle last

Address _____
street, route or PO Box

_____ *city state ZIP/postal code province country*

If accepted at Meredith College, I agree to enroll. I will submit a non-refundable \$300 deposit by December 15 to reserve my place in the class and withdraw applications from all other colleges and universities at that time.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

(parent/guardian signature required if you are under 18 years of age at the time you apply for admission)