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Application for May 2026 Degree Conferral

Deadline for Application: November 14, 2025

The degree application fee is **\$225.00** and is due at the time of application.



PLEASE COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM

ANY INFORMATION LEFT BLANK MAY DELAY PROCESSING OF THIS APPLICATION.

Student ID#: _____

Name: _____ Phonetic Spelling: _____

Please print your name as it you would like it to appear on your diploma. This form **does not** act as a name or address change form.

Post Graduation Address and Contact Info: Please supply the address to which your diploma should be mailed. This address should be valid for at least two months after graduation.

Home Address _____

Cell# _____ Home# _____ Centenary E-mail ONLY: _____

All Commencement information will be sent to this e-mail address only.

- ☐ I plan to participate in the May 16, 2026 9:00am undergraduate commencement ceremony. Fill out the information in this shaded box. We will order your cap and gown package for pickup in early May, ONLY if this information is provided.

Height: _____ Weight: _____

- ☐ I wish to participate in the **Master's Level Hooding Ceremony** on Saturday, May 16, 2026 at 1pm. Please note, if you are participating in the hood-ing ceremony you need to fill out height/weight above to order your cap/gown. FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS ONLY

- ☐ I **do not** wish to participate in the commencement Ceremony.

Please verify all majors, minors and concentrations before filling out this form. This information can be found on your unofficial transcripts.

We can not process this application until it matches the records of the Office of the University Registrar.

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Degree (circle one) AA AS BA BFA BS BSW MA MBA M.Ed EdD

Major	Concentration
Minor	Certification

Minors and Certifications will show on the Centenary University transcript, but will NOT show on the diploma.

Advisor Signature (required): _____

Your Signature (required) _____

To pay by check: Make check payable to: *Centenary University*

****To pay by credit card:** Provide the following information:

Name on the card: _____

I authorize the charging of my credit card in the amount of: \$ _____, plus, effective 1/1/2026 a 3% domestic and 4.25% international credit/debit card service fee. Fee subject to change without notice.

Cardholder's Signature: _____

Credit card number: _____ ☐ Visa ☐ MC ☐ DISC CV code: _____ (3 digit)

Expiration date: _____ Billing zip code for above card: _____

Mail this **completed** application with payment to:

Centenary University, Registrar's Office, 400 Jefferson Street, Hackettstown, NJ 07840

Please note: Commencement is typically held outdoors, however, inclement weather may necessitate the ceremony being moved indoors. In case of an indoor ceremony, tickets may be issued, limiting the number of guests.

Commencement Participation Policy

Centenary University has *one official commencement ceremony* per year, every month of May in accordance with the University's academic calendar. Centenary's "commencement participation policy," is as follows:

- Students who complete their degree requirements by the end of the Fall Term and have their degrees conferred in January must apply for graduation in accordance with the deadlines noted in the University's academic calendar. Students who complete their degree requirements and have their degrees conferred in January are eligible and encouraged to participate in the University's May commencement ceremony.
- Students who are planning on completing their degree requirements and have their degrees conferred in May must apply for graduation in accordance with the deadlines noted in the University's academic calendar. Students who complete their degree requirements in May are eligible and encouraged to participate in the University's May commencement ceremony.
- Students who are planning on completing their degree requirements by taking courses over the summer sessions must apply for participation in the University's annual May commencement ceremony in accordance with the deadlines noted in the University's academic calendar. To be eligible to have one's degree conferred in July or September, students must comply with the following:
 - Traditional undergraduate students must be within two courses (maximum of 8 credits) and graduate students must be within two classes (maximum of 6 credits) of completion and all courses will be completed over the summer terms.
 - SPS students must be registered for their last class in their respective course sequence with a completion date of no later than the end of September.
 - All applications for graduation must be approved and signed by a student's academic advisor, program director, or program advisor, whichever one is relevant.
- Student must be in good academic standing and have a GPA of 2.0 or above overall and in their major.
- Students must be in good financial standing with the University and not have a remaining balance.
- Officially, degrees are conferred by the University four times during the year – i.e., May, July, September, and January

One's participation in a commencement ceremony does not relieve them of their responsibility to successfully complete their program-of-study.

I understand my responsibilities and accept the commencement participation policy as written above.

Your Signature (required) _____ Date: _____