COUNSELOR EDUCATION PROGRAM

Admission decisions have been released! After careful time and consideration, we have read and published decisions for our **18,588** Early Action applicants. We had an incredibly strong applicant pool-**-78% of the students that applied for Early Action were admitted.** The number of students accepted Early Action will have no impact on Regular Decision applicants and their admissions decisions. While the Regular Decision deadline has passed, we are happy to consider students for a deadline extension on a case-by-case basis. Inquiries should be sent directly to the student's <u>regional counselor</u>.

Students can view their application status and admission decision in their <u>MyMadison account</u>. If your students have any issues logging into their MyMadison account, please have them contact our IT Help Desk at (540) 568-3555.

Quick Guide to Understanding Decisions:

Admitted: Congratulations to your student on their admission to JMU! More information will follow about the next steps, including our mailed congratulatory packet and emails with information on attending our admitted students day, <u>CHOICES</u>.

Deferred: Many of our Early Action applicants were deferred to Regular Decision. This is not a final admissions decision; thus, students may not appeal a deferral. At this time, no additional materials are required or allowed to be submitted by applicants. Mid-year grades submitted by counseling departments are permitted. Please also note that your regional admissions counselor may reach out to you directly for individual student updates.

Denied: There are students we were unable to admit at this time. This decision results from the competitiveness of our applicant pool and is not intended to reflect negatively on individual students. We know the decision is hard to receive, but the door is not permanently closed to these students as we would be more than happy to help them explore our transfer admission process.

If any student has questions about their official admissions decision, we highly encourage them to fill out the **Decision Inquiry Form**. Their Admissions Counselor will promptly reply with information on why the applicant received the decision that they did.

Starting this year, the Office of Admissions will no longer physically mail a decision report to each high school. If you would like a digital copy of this letter, please reach out to **<u>counselored@jmu.edu</u>** or your **<u>regional counselor</u>**.

Upcoming Webinar:

January 27th at 10:30 AM JMU Early Action Report and Understanding Our Decisions

Join JMU's AVP for Access and Enrollment Management and Director of Admissions, Melinda Wood, and her staff as we share insights into our Early Action applicant pool. We will also spend some time explaining the different decision options that we use at JMU and what they mean for your students. We hope you can join us!

Register here!