

TELEVISION AND FILM ARTS AT SUNY BUFFALO STATE

Your Personal Statement

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Current School _____

Year Graduating _____

Where else are you applying? _____

What does "creativity" mean to you? _____

What are your top three favorite TV shows or films, and why? (Please limit your response to a maximum of 200 words per answer)

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

Who are your influences in TV or film, and why? (Please limit your response to a maximum of 200 words per answer)

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

What do you hope to accomplish by participating in the Television and Film Arts major at Buffalo State? (Please limit your response to 600 words)

Please save this as a **Word Document or PDF**, email this form to TFA@buffalostate.edu and indicate your name in the subject line of the email.

There are two ways you can apply to the Television and Film Arts Program (TFA):

1. ***Early Action***—This process allows students to receive their decision earlier than regular admission. Students applying as early action candidates must submit all TFA documents, including the Common or SUNY application, by November 15, 2025, with a decision being made by December 15, 2025. *
2. ***Regular Admission***—Students applying to TFA under regular admission will have until February 1, 2026, to submit all TFA documents, including the Common or SUNY application, with a decision being made by March 1, 2026. *

**Students accepted to the Television and Film Arts program have until May 1, 2026, to commit to Buffalo State.*

*Thank you for your interest in Television and Film Arts at SUNY Buffalo State University.
You will be notified as soon as your application is complete.*

