

## PLANNING YOUR TIMELINE FOR APPLYING TO DENTAL SCHOOL\*

November 15, 2024	Optional Early Portfolio of Accomplishments and Reflections (PAR) deadline (5:00pm ET) in order to qualify for an early comprehensive advising appointment (CAA), the interview preparation series, and a Letter Packet.
December 2024-January 2025	Early CAAs for eligible individuals who submit the PAR by the early deadline
January 6, 2025	The PAR is due by 5:00pm ET in order to qualify for a CAA, the interview prep series, and a Letter Packet.
January 2024	Notice of qualification for a CAA, the interview prep series, and letter packet sent to your Boston University email address.
February-April 2025	CAAs for eligible applicants.
April/May 2025	Dental Admission Test (DAT) spring administration. Latest recommended exam dates for 2026 applicants. Go to <a href="http://www.ada.org/dat.aspx">http://www.ada.org/dat.aspx</a> to register and for information regarding the Partial Fee Waiver.
May/June 2025	<p>Associated American Dental Schools Application Service (AADSAS) application available online (<a href="https://aadsas.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login">https://aadsas.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login</a>).</p> <p>Texas Medical &amp; Dental Schools Application Service (TMDSAS) application available online (<a href="https://www.tmdsas.com/apply.html">https://www.tmdsas.com/apply.html</a>).</p> <p>First day to submit AADSAS and/or TMDSAS application online.</p> <p>The Fee Assistance Program application will become available online. (<a href="http://www.adea.org">http://www.adea.org</a>).</p> <p>Request official transcript(s) to be submitted to Central Application Service(s).</p> <p>Complete and submit Casper score(s) if required by any of your dental schools.</p>
June 10, 2025	Deadline for letters of recommendation to be included in the Letter Packet.
June 20, 2025	Starting June 20, eligible applicants may request that their Letter Packet be submitted to central application services. Please note that your primary application(s) must be submitted to the central application service(s) prior to requesting a Letter Packet. Review the transmission instructions on Blackboard and submit the appropriate forms to have your Letter Packet submitted to the central application service(s).
Summer 2025	<p>Interview preparation series available for eligible applicants.</p> <p>Complete each school's supplemental application by their specific deadline.</p>
September 2025	Attend Preprofessional Advising Interview Meeting.

\* This timeline is subject to change as AADSAS/TMDSAS release new information.