

FIRST-YEAR STUDENT APPLICATION



HOW TO APPLY TO WESLEYAN COLLEGE

ADMISSION CHECKLIST

- Completed application for admission
- \$30 application fee
- Secondary School Transcripts or G.E.D.
- Secondary School Counselor Letter of Recommendation
- Teacher Letter of Recommendation (Optional, but, if you choose to include, ask someone who knows you well and who has taught you in an academic area within the past two years.)
- Standardized Test Scores (If SAT or ACT test results do not appear on you transcripts, arrange for a formal report of all college entrance exams to be sent to Wesleyan by the testing agency. Wesleyan's identification codes are: SAT 5895; ACT 0876.)

Remember, it is your responsibility to make certain that the Wesleyan Admission Office receives all requested materials on time to complete your application including transcripts, recommendations, test results, and fees. It won't hurt to pick up the phone and call someone in admission to make certain your file is complete.

There is a \$30 application fee, too, unless you apply online. We'll waive the fee if you choose to go that route. www.wesleyancollege.edu/admissions/applying

Also, as part of the admission process, we want to meet you. So expect someone from Wesleyan to contact you soon after we receive your application. We realize that interviews can't always happen face-to-face. If that's your circumstance, don't fret – there's always the telephone.

You also need to ask your high school counselor to write a recommendation for you (the form is included). A teacher recommendation isn't required, but we highly recommend that you get one. We have included a teacher recommendation form in this application booklet.

APPLICATION TERMS

Read the definitions below to decide how you wish to apply.

Early Decision: Acting on the knowledge that Wesleyan is clearly, without hesitation, your first choice. The application, notification, and reply dates are early and, if you are admitted, you have to withdraw your applications from all other schools.

Regular Decision: The art of a high school student applying to Wesleyan as early as possible during her senior year. She's savvy and applies on time to receive priority admission consideration.

ADMISSION TERMS

Waiting List: Placing some students on an admission waiting list because enrollment is limited. One of the reasons students choose Wesleyan is because classes are small and professor attention is abundant. A waiting list is a way to maintain the intimate environment. First-round waiting list decisions are made mid-May with deposits due within two weeks after notification. Final decisions are made at the end of June.

Enrollment Deposits: To accept an offer of admission, students must send a \$400 deposit by May 1. Early Decision Round I candidate deposits should be sent by January 7; Early Decision, Round II candidate deposits are due by March 7.

IMPORTANT DEADLINE

Late Application: Admission materials postmarked after August 1 (for fall) or December 1 (for spring) will not be guaranteed full consideration for admission.

Type of Applicant	Application Deadline	Decision Notification	Candidates Reply Date
Early Decision, Round I (Binding)	November 15	December 15	January 7
Early Decision, Round II (Binding)	January 15	February 15	March 7

Today's date: _____

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FIRST-YEAR STUDENT APPLICATION

You are applying to the world's oldest – and boldest – college for women. Please proceed accordingly!

IMPRESS US: WRITE LEGIBLY OR APPLY ONLINE.

Desired enrollment date:

- Fall 20____
 Spring 20____

- Early Decision, Round I (Binding) {by November 15}
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- Full-time
(required of residential
students) (12 or more hours)
 Part-time (less than 12 hours)

WHO ARE YOU?

What is your formal name?

First Last Middle

Informally, what do you like to be called?

HOW CAN WE CONTACT YOU?

What is your official address?

Street address

City State Zip County

Other address where we should send mail:

Street address

City State Zip Country

Your e-mail & phone:

E-mail address Phone number

ABOUT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

When were you born? Where?

Month Day Year City State Country

Social Security Number:

U.S. citizen or permanent resident?

Visa number if permanent resident

Your marital status:

If married, your spouse's name Your maiden name

Tell us about your family.

Mother's name Father's name

Her address His address

City, State, Zip, Country City, State, Zip, Country

Her e-mail address His e-mail address

Phone number Phone number

Her occupation/employer His occupation/employer

Her college(s) & degree(s) His college(s) & degree(s)

With whom do you legally reside?

Name	Relationship
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Who should receive Wesleyan correspondence?

Name	Relationship
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Do you have brothers or sisters?

Name	Age	College(s) or high school(s) attending or attended
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Do you have relatives who attend(ed) Wesleyan or who currently work here?

Name	Relationship	When graduated or position at Wesleyan
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WHAT IS YOUR ACADEMIC BACKGROUND?

Where did you go to high school? (List them all, including home school.)

Name	Address
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City	State	Zip	Country
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Name	Address
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City	State	Zip	Country
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When will you (or did you) graduate?

Year of graduation

What academic honors or distinctions have you earned?

Accolade	Grade level
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Have you taken SAT or ACT? When?

SAT: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Date taken	ACT: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Date taken
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What were your scores?

SAT Verbal	SAT Math	ACT Composite
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Have you taken courses for credit at colleges or in summer programs? If so, tell us about them.

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Current or final high school GPA:

GPA	As of (date)
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BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

List, in order of importance, your school, community, religious, and individual activities.

Activity	Position held	Grade level

What leadership positions have you held?

Position	Responsibilities	Grade level

What honors or awards have you earned?

Accolade	Grade level

List any volunteer activities.

Activity	Where	When

Tell us about any travel experiences, especially abroad.

Where	When	Comments

MANDATORY QUESTION:

Have you ever been suspended from school or faced legal action?

No Yes

If so, please explain

OPTIONAL QUESTION:

What is your ethnic background?

Asian American (including Indian subcontinent or Pacific Islander) Black/African Native American or Alaskan Native American White/Caucasian Hispanic

What is your religious preference?

What is your native (first) language?

ABOUT YOUR COLLEGE PLANS

What colleges, or types of colleges, are you considering?

What factors will, more than likely, help you choose your college?

How did you discover Wesleyan?

What are your academic interests?

Why are you interested in attending a women's college?

Have you visited Wesleyan's campus?

Are there Wesleyan people you would like to meet (professor, coach, choir director, student, alumna)?

Do you plan to apply for need-based financial aid?

Yes

No

ABOUT YOUR DREAMS, GOALS, ASPIRATIONS

Do you have specific personal and career goals? Please share them with us.

How do you think a women's college can help you, personally and professionally?

Do you plan to earn a graduate or professional degree? In what field(s)?

Congratulations! You've just completed the first step of the Wesleyan admission process. We encourage you to send us a copy of some of your creative work (poetry, photography, art, music, research, etc.). We won't return the samples so send only copies, tapes, photos – materials that we can keep.

Applicant's Honor Pledge: I hereby apply for admission to Wesleyan College and certify that all of the information provided is my own work and, to the best of my knowledge, accurate and complete.

Signature _____ Date _____

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SECONDARY SCHOOL COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION

Please make writing this recommendation as easy as possible for your counselor by completing the section below.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT

What is your name?

First	Last	Middle
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What is your address?

Street address

City	State	Zip	Country
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Where do you go to school?

Official name	City	State
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How are you applying to Wesleyan?

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ABOUT YOUR SENIOR YEAR

What classes are you taking this year? Tell us if you take standard, honors, AP, or IB.

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Title	Level	Title	Level
Title	Level	Title	Level
Title	Level	Title	Level
Title	Level	Title	Level
Title	Level	Title	Level

I recognize the confidential nature of this document and I do do not waive my right to access.

Signature _____ Date _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE COUNSELOR

What is your name?

First	Last	Middle
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About your work:

Position	School
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School street address	City	State	Zip
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School phone number	Fax
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Use this form to describe the applicant. If you need more space, feel free to attach additional information. An official copy of the applicant's transcript should be included indicating class rank or grade point average, courses completed, current semester courses, record of testing to date, and designated honors or accelerated coursework. Include, if available, a school profile and transcript legend. The materials submitted in this report are subject to the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. Your recommendation will be used only for admission purposes and will not become part of the student's permanent record. Return this form with an official transcript prior to the deadline indicated above to: Office of Admission, Wesleyan College, 4760 Forsyth Road, Macon, Georgia 31210-4462, Fax: 478-757-4030. Thank you for your time and effort.

ABOUT YOUR SCHOOL

Percentage of class attending:

Two-year institutions

Four-year institutions

What are the school's credentials?

Grading scale

Passing grade

ABOUT THE APPLICANT

Her credentials:

GPA

Class grades included in GPA

Class rank

How demanding is her course load?

Ease of learning

Learns quickly

Learns with reasonable application

Learns only with much application

No basis for judgement

Relation of achievement to ability

Works steadily up to capacity; takes pride in work

Achievement is irregular

Achievement is far below capacity; indifferent

No basis for judgement

Written expression

Demonstrates exceptional ability and use of skills

Adequate ability and skills

Has difficulty, lacks basic skills

No basis for judgement

Oral expression

Demonstrates exceptional ability and use of skills

Adequate ability and skills

Has difficulty, lacks basic skills

No basis for judgement

Initiative and enthusiasm in school work

Seeks and sets for self additional tasks; is an enthusiastic student

Prepares ordinary assignments of own accord

Needs frequent prodding

No basis for judgement

Originality and imagination

Displays highly developed creative power and originality

Upon occasion shows originality in some fields

Seems prosaic and unimaginative

No basis for judgement

Breadth of general reading and information

Is well-read and exceptionally well-informed

Appears fairly well-informed in some areas

Does little unrequired reading; quite limited in general information

No basis for judgement

Reliability

Is scrupulous and punctual in fulfilling obligations

Usually fulfills obligations

Is undependable; makes excuses; fulfills obligations only when convenient

No basis for judgement

Emotional maturity

Is exceptionally well-controlled and steady even during trying times

Is fairly well-balanced

Subject to moods of depression or elation; tendency toward emotional imbalance

No basis for judgement

Sensibility and consideration of others

Of fine sensibilities, responsive, considerate, sympathetic

Is fairly responsive and considerate

Unresponsive, self-centered, indifferent, lacking in consideration

No basis for judgement

Overall estimation of this applicant's academic and personal promise:

One of the top few encountered in my career

Exceptional (top 5%)

Well above average (top 15%)

Above average

Average

Below average

WESLEYAN INFORMATION

How familiar are you with Wesleyan?

How well did this form allow you to give an adequate evaluation?

Teacher's Signature _____ Date _____

STATEMENT OF NONDISCRIMINATION

Wesleyan College's recruiting of students, awarding of financial aid, and operation of programs and facilities are without regard to race, color, religion, age, physical handicap, and national or ethnic origin.

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TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

Please make writing this recommendation as easy as possible for your teacher by completing the section below.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT

What is your name?

First	Last	Middle
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What is your address?

Street address

Where do you go to school?

City	State	Zip	Country
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How are you applying to Wesleyan?

Official name	City	State
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Signature _____ Date _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE TEACHER

Use this form to describe your student. If you need more space, feel free to attach additional information. The materials submitted in this report are subject to the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. Your recommendation will be used only for admission purposes and will not become part of the student's permanent record. Return this form prior to the deadline indicated above to: Office of Admission, Wesleyan College, 4760 Forsyth Road, Macon, Georgia 31210-4462, Fax: 478-757-4030. Thank you for your time and effort.

What is your name?

First	Last	Middle
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About your work:

Position	School
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School address	City	State	Zip
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School phone number	Fax
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ABOUT THE APPLICANT

Will she see a copy of your recommendation?

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How long have you known her?

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What subject(s) have you taught her?

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What is your overall opinion regarding her academic and personal promise?

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Tell us about your student. What are her distinguishing intellectual and personality traits, both positive and negative characteristics?

Blank writing area for student description.

ABOUT YOUR STUDENT'S BEHAVIOR AND ATTITUDES

How easy or difficult is it for her to learn?

Blank writing area for learning difficulty.

Tell us about her work ethic (achievement and ability).

Blank writing area for work ethic.

How well does she write?

Blank writing area for writing skills.

How well does she express herself verbally?

Blank writing area for verbal expression.

What is her level of initiative and enthusiasm toward school work?

Blank writing area for initiative and enthusiasm.

Describe her imagination and knack for original ideas.

Blank writing area for imagination and original ideas.

How well-read is she?

Blank writing area for reading habits.

Tell us about her reliability.

Blank writing area for reliability.

Describe her level of emotional maturity.

Blank writing area for emotional maturity.

How sensitive and considerate is she of others?

Blank writing area for sensitivity and consideration.

Teacher's Signature _____ Date _____

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ENROLLMENT DEPOSIT

Applicants accepted for admission to Wesleyan should submit a \$400 enrollment deposit after receiving notice of acceptance. The deposit reserves a student's place in the class and establishes room assignment and course registration eligibility. The deposit is nonrefundable after May 1.

IMMUNIZATION RECORDS

Accepted students are required to submit immunization records to the College by August 1 in order to enroll in classes. A letter to this effect will be sent upon acceptance to Wesleyan.

FINANCIAL AID

To receive an estimate of financial aid eligibility for planning purposes, submit a Financial Aid Estimator Form, which is available from Wesleyan after August 1 of each year. Wesleyan uses the Financial Aid Estimator for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for all final financial aid eligibility decisions. Early estimates are accepted until January 1.



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