

Application Checklist

- > Use this checklist to track your progress through the application process at Wellesley.
- > Write your name and Social Security number on every credential you submit.
- > To be considered for Wellesley College funds, you must submit the Financial Aid Application by the stated deadline for the appropriate Decision Plan.

REQUIRED CREDENTIALS

- Common Application** (including essay)
- Wellesley College Supplement**
- Application Fee** (if applicable)
The fee is waived for students who apply online. Students who submit a paper application should include a \$50 Application Fee – payable to Wellesley College, drawn on a U.S. bank. An applicant requesting a fee waiver should enclose documentation from her guidance counselor.
- Teacher Evaluations**
Wellesley requires two academic teacher evaluations. Please photocopy or download and print the Common Application Teacher Evaluation forms, write the due date on each form (depending on your Decision Plan), and give one to each teacher to complete and mail.
- Secondary School Report**
Ask your secondary school counselor to complete the Common Application Secondary School Report form and to include an official high school transcript and school profile.
- First-Quarter or First-Trimester Grades for Early Decision and Early Evaluation Candidates**
- Midyear Report**
Ask your secondary school counselor to complete the Common Application Midyear Report form as soon as midyear grades are available.
- Standardized Test Scores**
SAT I Reasoning and two SAT Subject Tests or the ACT with Writing are required of all first-year applicants. All applicants must request that the official score reports be sent to Wellesley. You may either list Wellesley on the test registration form or ask your guidance counselor for an additional Report Request Form. Wellesley's SAT school code number is 3957; Wellesley's ACT school code number is 1926.

IF APPLICABLE

- Financial Aid Application**
- TOEFL** (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
- International Supplement to the Secondary School Report**
All students applying from schools outside the United States must use the Common Application International Supplement to the Secondary School Report.

OPTIONAL CREDENTIALS

- Interview**
Wellesley does not require but strongly recommends an interview for first-year applicants. It is required for Accelerating Candidates, those leaving high school after grade 11.

To arrange an interview, please call 781-283-2270 no later than two weeks before the application deadline. You may also request an off-campus interview with an alumnae representative online at www.wellesley.edu/Admission/offcampusinterview.

You need not have applied to request an interview, and the lack of an interview will not affect your chances of admission if you are a first-year applicant. Off-campus interviews are viewed equally to those conducted on campus. You may only participate in one interview.
- Additional Essay Topic**
In addition to the five Personal Statement topics offered on the Common Application, Wellesley invites you to consider a sixth option as one of your choices. Please submit only **one** essay:

“Wellesley is a small residential college with a diverse population. Share with us an experience that illustrates what it means to you to join a multicultural community in which you are living with people from many different backgrounds.”
- Arts Supplement**
Candidates may submit 35mm slides of artwork, or instrumental or voice audiotapes or CDs. The material will be evaluated by the appropriate department and will not be returned to the applicant. Videos will not be reviewed. Please refer to the Arts Supplement on the Common Application.
- Athletic Recruiting Form, Résumé, and Supplement**
You may complete the Recruiting Form for an individual sport at www.wellesley.edu/Athletics/main.html. You are encouraged to send an athletic résumé to the head coach of your sport at:
Director of Athletics or Head Coach (of your sport)
Wellesley College
Keohane Sports Center
106 Central Street
Wellesley, MA 02481-8203

You may also complete the Athletic Supplement on the Common Application.