

# Wellesley College Required Supplement 2008–09

## INSTRUCTIONS

### All Applicants:

Please complete this Required Supplement and submit together with the **Common Application**.

If you apply online, the application fee is waived. Apply online at [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org).

If you mail your application, please include the \$50 application fee or fee waiver request and return with your application.

### International (both First-Year and Transfer) Applicants Only:

If you attend a secondary school outside the United States, you must also submit the International Supplement to the Secondary School Report.

If you are not a U.S. citizen or U.S. permanent resident and will be applying for financial aid, you must apply under the Regular Decision Plan - deadline January 15. This deadline applies to all international first-year and international transfer candidates who are applying for financial aid. For financial aid instructions and forms, go to: [www.wellesley.edu/SFS](http://www.wellesley.edu/SFS).

## DECISION PLANS

Please check one Decision Plan. The following dates apply to both **postmark** and **electronic deadlines**. All applications to Wellesley are thoroughly evaluated by the Board of Admission. Please note Regular Decision candidates may choose from one of two options: Early Evaluation (January 1) or Regular Decision (January 15). Please see details below.

### First-Year Applicants:

- Early Decision - November 1 deadline.** Please download, obtain required signatures, and submit the Early Decision Agreement Form. Please note: (a) A candidate admitted to Wellesley through the Early Decision Plan must withdraw all applications to other colleges; (b) the names of admitted students who have signed Early Decision agreements with Wellesley may be shared with other colleges; and (c) a \$300 enrollment deposit is required of admitted Early Decision candidates. ***On the Common Application, please select the option marked Early Decision.***
- Early Evaluation - January 1 deadline.** Candidates who select this option will receive an Early Evaluation from the Board of Admission and notification of the probability of their admission as “likely,” “possible,” or “unlikely” in late February. They will receive their final admission decision by April 1. Early Evaluation candidates must send transcripts that include first-term senior grades. ***On the Common Application, please select the option marked Regular Decision, as well as checking this box.***
- Regular Decision - January 15 deadline.** All Regular Decision candidates must complete their applications by January 15 and will receive their admission decision by April 1. ***On the Common Application, please select the option marked Regular Decision.***
- Early Admission (Juniors only) - January 15 deadline.** For students leaving high school after grade 11. ***On the Common Application, please select the option marked Early Admission.***

**Transfer Applicants:** Only incoming sophomores or juniors may apply.

- Transfer Spring** Deadline: November 1.
- Transfer Fall** Deadline: March 1.

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last/Family (Enter name as it exactly appears on official documents)      First/Given      Middle (complete)

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and Street

\_\_\_\_\_  
City or Town      State/Country      Zip or Postal Code

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_  
At Mailing Address      mm/dd/yyyy      For U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents

Applicant's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOOL INFORMATION

School from which you will graduate/transfer \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City or Town      State/Country      Zip or Postal Code

High School CEEB # (if available) \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar system of high school:  Quarter  Semester  Trimester

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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If you have previously applied to Wellesley, please check “Yes” and indicate the month and year.  Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
mm/yyyy

**International Applicants only:** For how many years have you studied English? \_\_\_\_\_

## RELATIVES AT WELLESLEY

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If you have family members who are presently **employed at Wellesley**, please list below.

Name	Department	Relationship

If you have family members who are **Wellesley alumnae or current students**, please list below.

Last Name	First Name	Maiden Name	Class Year	Relationship

## ACADEMIC INTERESTS

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Please indicate no more than two areas of academic or preprofessional interest or check “Undecided” if you are unsure at this time.

Undecided    Interest 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Code Z \_\_\_\_\_    Interest 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Code Z \_\_\_\_\_

Africana Studies (ZAFR)	Comparative Literature (ZCLT)	International Relations (ZINT)	Physics (ZPHY)
American Studies (ZAMS)	Computer Science (ZCS)	Italian Studies (ZITS)	Political Science (ZPOL)
Anthropology (ZANT)	East Asian Studies (ZEAS)	Japanese (ZJPN)	Prelaw (ZLAW)
Architecture (ZARC)	Economics (ZECN)	Jewish Studies (ZJWS)	Premedical Professions (ZMED)
Astronomy (ZAST)	English (ZENG)	Latin (ZLAT)	Psychology (ZPSY)
Astrophysics (ZASP)	Environmental Studies (ZES)	Latin American Studies (ZLAS)	Religion (ZREL)
Biological Chemistry (ZBCH)	French (ZFRN)	Mathematics (ZMTH)	Russian (ZRUS)
Biological Sciences (ZBIO)	French Cultural Studies (ZFRS)	Media Arts and Sciences (ZMAS)	Russian Area Studies (ZRAS)
Chemistry (ZCHM)	Geosciences (ZGES)	Medieval/Renaissance Studies (ZMER)	Sociology (ZSOC)
Chinese (ZCHN)	German (ZGER)	Middle Eastern Studies (ZMES)	Spanish (ZSPN)
Cinema and Media Studies (ZCMS)	German Studies (ZGRS)	Music (ZMUS)	Studio Art (ZART)
Classical and Near Eastern Archaeology (ZCNE)	Greek (ZGRK)	Neuroscience (ZNEU)	Theatre Studies (ZTHR)
Classical Civilization (ZCLC)	History (ZHST)	Peace and Justice Studies (ZPAX)	Women’s Studies (ZWST)
Cognitive & Linguistic Sciences (ZCLS)	History of Art (ZARH)	Philosophy (ZPHL)	

**ADDITIONAL QUESTION** A written response to this Wellesley-specific question is required of all applicants.

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**Please limit your response to two well-developed paragraphs.**

“When choosing a college, you are choosing an intellectual community and a place where you believe that you can live, learn, and flourish. To this end, the Board of Admission is interested in knowing your reasons for applying to Wellesley College and how Wellesley will help you to realize your personal and academic goals.”

## APPLICANT’S CERTIFICATION OF ACCURACY

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I hereby apply for admission to Wellesley College and certify that the information in this application is factual and true, and that the writing in the essay is my work.

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Signature of student

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Date