

## First-Year Student

**First-Year Student:** *In high school and planning to graduate this year or has attained a GED. Has not attended college elsewhere as a degree-seeking student.*

### Requirements for Admission:

The following must be submitted to be considered:

- Application for admission – complete online, either NWU app or Common app
- High School transcript – have high school send to NWU
- ACT/SAT score – have high school or College Board send to NWU

### Recommendations for Admission:

Nebraska Wesleyan University uses a comprehensive process to review applicants. Incoming classes are selected with a variety of talents, views and achievements.

The rigor of the applicant's high school program is examined. The following are preferred but not required:

- 4 years of high school English,
- 4 years of mathematics,
- 3 years of the same foreign language,
- 3 years of laboratory science, and
- 3 years of social studies.

Evaluations and recommendations from teachers an applicant had as a junior or senior are prioritized because they are most familiar with the student's writing, analytical, and quantitative abilities. Participation in activities, honors, and awards as indicators of involvement are considered.

### Enrollment Process:

- Students will be notified of admission soon after submitting all required items.
- Complete the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#).
  - For verification of federal and Nebraska Wesleyan need-based aid, submit the FAFSA application after January 1.
  - Enter in the college release and certification section the full name of Nebraska Wesleyan University and College Code 002555.
  - NWU reviews FAFSA applications as soon as all required admissions applications documents are received.
- Submit a \$350 [tuition deposit](#) to accept the offer of admission and confirm commitment to attend NWU.

Have test scores, transcripts, and other required materials mailed to:

Admissions Office  
Nebraska Wesleyan University  
5000 Saint Paul Avenue  
Lincoln, NE 68504-2794

For more information contact NWU Admissions at: 800.541.3818, ext. 2218 [admissions@nebrwesleyan.edu](mailto:admissions@nebrwesleyan.edu).