

# Undergraduate Admission Application

Nonrefundable application fee (\$45.00)

## Apply Early

Your application is very important to us, and for that reason we ask you to complete it as early as possible. Once we have received your complete application, you will hear from us concerning your admission decision and receive important WVU information. If you have any questions, please feel free to call us at 304-293-2121, email us at [wvuadmissions@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:wvuadmissions@mail.wvu.edu) or write us at the Office of Admissions, West Virginia University, P.O. Box 6009, Morgantown, WV 26506-6009. You can apply online at [admissions.wvu.edu](http://admissions.wvu.edu).

### College Freshmen

- Apply early — preferably by February 1. Be sure to complete all the information on the application, and include the nonrefundable application fee.
- Send official transcripts of your previous coursework to WVU. You can send these with your application or have your high school send them separately. Also send official transcripts of any college work you have completed.
- Students who have graduated within the last five years or whose expected graduation date was within the past five years must submit ACT or SAT scores. When you register for the ACT or SAT, arrange for them to report your scores to WVU (ACT 4540 and SAT 5904). If you've already taken the ACT or SAT but didn't specify that WVU receive your scores, contact ACT or SAT and request to have your score sent to WVU. This can also be done on their websites. WVU combines the highest sub-scores from different test dates to create a "superscore" total or composite for admissions and scholarship consideration eligibility. WVU does not require you to take the optional written component of the ACT examination.
- TASC/GED scores may be used for admission consideration. You need to submit an average standard score of 225 (45) or above for consideration. TASC/GED scores and an official high school transcript (from the last school attended) may be used for admission consideration.
- If you're worried that events beyond your control could affect your chances for admission, write a note of explanation and include it with your application. WVU has a committee that considers special circumstances.

### Transfer Students

- If you have attended another college or university after graduating from high school, you are considered a transfer student. If you took college classes while in high school or the summer after your senior year of high school, you are considered a freshman.
- If you are a transfer student, please complete all the information on the application and forward your official transcripts from all previously attended institutions along with the nonrefundable application fee to the Office of Admissions. Transcripts issued directly to you or fax transcripts are not considered official. If you have completed fewer than 24 transferable credits when you apply, please submit high school transcripts and ACT or SAT scores. Please include catalog pages describing college courses completed.

- Students switching from WVU Beckley or WVU Keyser do not need to pay the application fee or include catalog pages describing courses.
- Transfer students must have an overall grade point average of 2.0 or higher. Some majors require a higher GPA and completion of certain academic requirements. If possible, apply for admission a full semester before your admissions deadline but no later than August 1 for the fall semester or December 1 for the spring semester.

### Other Types of Undergraduates

- Early admission is granted for high school students who have completed their junior year with at least a 3.5 GPA, 26 on the ACT or 1170 on the SAT, and completed all high school graduation requirements except senior English. Your high school transcript and letters from your parent or guardian and the principal or counselor supporting your application and certifying you will graduate from high school must be submitted. An interview is also required before admission is granted.
- Nondegree students are in one of the following categories:
  - 1) applicants who do not plan on working toward a degree immediately;
  - 2) applicants who have been out of high school for more than five years, but do not meet current requirements; or
  - 3) applicants seeking additional undergraduate credits or seeking prerequisites for a degree program.Please submit high school transcripts and any official transcripts from previous colleges or universities.
- Readmission is for students who leave WVU for at least one semester. In order to be readmitted, you must be eligible to return. Please send official transcripts from any institution attended since leaving WVU.
- Second degree students are students who wish to complete a second undergraduate degree. Please submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities previously attended.
- Visiting/transient students are students who wish to transfer WVU credit back to their home institution.

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Phone: 304-293-2121 or 800-344-9881

Email: [wvuadmissions@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:wvuadmissions@mail.wvu.edu)

Web: [admissions.wvu.edu](http://admissions.wvu.edu)

Please read the instructions carefully, and type or print to speed the processing of your application.

1. Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle)
2. Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (For internal use only. Will be kept confidential.)
3. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
month/day/year  
(e.g., 1/30/1994)
4. Please print all maiden or other names you have used so we can match your academic records:  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Have you ever attended WVU before? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No If YES, for which semester/year? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code)
9. Permanent Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code)
7. Mobile Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code) Number
10. Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code) Number
8. County: \_\_\_\_\_
11. County: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Parent Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Name of person to contact in case of emergency (this can be your parent or guardian):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle) (Relationship)
14. Emergency Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(if different than (Street) (Area Code) Number  
above addresses)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)
15. Please indicate semester/year for which you are applying: \_\_\_\_\_ Year  
\_\_\_Fall (August - December) \_\_\_Spring (January - May) \_\_\_Summer (May - August)
16. Please indicate admission type: (see page 1) \_\_\_Freshman \_\_\_Early Admission \_\_\_Nondegree \_\_\_Transfer \_\_\_Visiting  
\_\_\_Readmit \_\_\_Second Degree If you were previously assigned a WVU ID number, please enter it here: \_\_\_\_\_
17. Intended Major: See [admissions.wvu.edu/academics/majors](http://admissions.wvu.edu/academics/majors) \_\_\_\_\_
18. Sex: \_\_\_(M)ale \_\_\_(F)emale
19. Citizen Status: \_\_\_U.S. Citizen \_\_\_Permanent Resident with Alien Card (enclose copy of both sides of card)  
\_\_\_Refugee \_\_\_\*Non-Immigrant/Other Visa Type (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
\*Non-immigrants please indicate your nation of citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ Nation of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_
20. Ethnic Background (optional): Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino:  Yes  No  
In addition, select one or more of the racial categories to describe yourself:  
 American Indian or Alaskan Native  Asian  White  Black or African American  Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
21. Are members of your family WVU students or alumni? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No Relationship(s): \_\_\_\_\_
22. Are you a resident of the state of West Virginia? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

23. Last year, did anyone claim you as a dependent for income tax purposes?  Yes  No  
 If yes, who? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If YES, when did you begin living continuously in West Virginia? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ If YES, where? \_\_\_\_\_  
(month/day/year) (if different than above)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

24. Do you intend to pursue need-based financial aid?  Yes  No

25. Please select one if you are a U.S. Service member or veteran:  
 Active Duty  Armed Forces Reserve  National Guard  Veteran

26. If you are the spouse/dependent of a U.S. service member or veteran, please select your spouse/parent's branch of service:  
 U.S. Air Force  U.S. Army  U.S. Coast Guard  U.S. Marine Corps  U.S. Navy

27. I have applied or plan to apply for the Department of Veterans Affairs educational benefits on my U.S. military affiliation identified above:  
 Yes  No

28. What VA benefit are you applying for?:  
 Chapter 31  Chapter 33  Chapter 35  Chapter 1606  Chapter 1607

29. If you are a WVU-recruited prospective student-athlete and have been provided a passcode, please enter it here: \_\_\_\_\_

30. High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (City and State)

31. Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ GED Date: \_\_\_\_\_

32. Have you ever participated in the following?  Boys and Girls Club  Boy Scouts  Girl Scouts  4-H

33. College Education: Please list all formal educational experiences (if any) since you graduated from high school. You must request that each school send WVU an official transcript. Attach extra sheets if needed.

Name of School	Location	Dates	Degree Earned
_____	_____	From ____/____ To ____/____ <small>month/year month/year</small>	_____
_____	_____	From ____/____ To ____/____ <small>month/year month/year</small>	_____
_____	_____	From ____/____ To ____/____ <small>month/year month/year</small>	_____

34. Are you currently enrolled in the last college listed above?  Yes  No

35. If transferring credit from another college or university, how many college credit hours have you completed? \_\_\_\_\_

36. Was credit earned as part of an articulation agreement between the school and WVU?  Yes  No

37. Highest level of education your father/mother completed?  Middle School/Junior High  High School  Some College  College Degree

I affirm that the information I have provided on this application form and all other admissions application materials is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. Omitting or providing false information can lead to nonacceptance, the nullification of WVU credit and/or dismissal.

In addition, I understand that I am responsible for payments of all fees. In consideration of my admission and enrollment, I, the undersigned, hereby agree to assume and pay any and all costs and charges including interest, collection and reasonable attorney's fees for delinquent accounts.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you attached your nonrefundable fee? (\$45.00) Please send check or money order. Please do not send cash.

*For scholarship information, please go to [financialaid.wvu.edu/home/scholarships](http://financialaid.wvu.edu/home/scholarships).*

**For a complete list of all majors offered at WVU, please visit [admissions.wvu.edu/academics/majors](http://admissions.wvu.edu/academics/majors).**