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Prospective Regular Decision Financial Aid Checklist 2016-17

ADMISSION PROGRAM Regular Decision FINANCIAL AID PRIORITY DATE March 1, 2016

| Priority Dates | Required Documentation* | |
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| Complete online: | | |
| February 15 | 2016-17 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE PROFILE (CSS Profile) Use income estimates if necessary to meet the due date. | CollegeBoard website: <u>http://student.collegeboard.org/profile</u> Wesleyan's Profile code is 3959 |
| February 15 | 2016-17 NON-CUSTODIAL PARENT'S PROFILE (if applicable) Use income estimates if necessary to meet the due date. | Required if biological/adoptive parents are divorced, separated, single, or were never married and to be completed by the noncustodial parent. The Non-custodial Parent Profile is not initiated until the student completes the CSS Profile. Once completed, the CollegeBoard will send the student an email directing him/her to share the email with the noncustodial parent to complete the Noncustodial Parent Profile. Wesleyan's Profile code is 3959 |
| February 15 | 2016-17 FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) Available after January 1, 2016 Use income estimates if necessary to meet the due date. | FAFSA website: <u>www.fafsa.ed.gov</u> Wesleyan's FAFSA code is 001424 |
| Submit to IDOC: Note: Eligibility for aid cannot be determined until a tax return is reviewed. | After completion of the CSS Profile, as early as February, you will receive information regarding how to login to IDOC. The IDOC service now allows direct submission via the IDOC website (recommended) as well as submission via regular U.S. mail. Read the instructions carefully in order to avoid delays. If you have additional documents after your initial IDOC submission, we ask you to mail it to our office directly. NOTE: Students applying for only Federal Direct Loans are not required to submit tax return or W2 documentation. | |
| March 1 | SIGNED PARENT'S 2015 FEDERAL TAX RETURN (Including ALL schedules) | Custodial Parent Returns must be submitted and signed, with all schedules and W2 forms. If parents operate a business or farm include a copy of the most recent partnership or corporate tax return. |
| March 1 | SIGNED STUDENT'S 2015 FEDERAL TAX RETURN (Including ALL schedules) | Student Return must be submitted and signed, with all schedules and W2 forms. If the student operates a business or farm include a copy of the most recent partnership or corporate tax return. |
| March 1 | SIGNED NONCUSTODIAL PARENT'S 2015 FEDERAL TAX RETURN (Including ALL schedules) (if applicable) | Non-Custodial Parent Returns must be submitted and signed, with all schedules and W2 forms. If parents operate a business or farm include a copy of the most recent partnership or corporate tax return. |
| Award Letter: | | |
| Early April | AWARD LETTER | We will do our best to include a financial aid award in the Admission packet. However, to insure we are able to do this, please be sure to provide all the required documents by the priority dates. |

Wesleyan University offers aid based on financial need only; no merit, athletic, or special scholarships are offered. *Wesleyan reserves the right to request additional information.