



WEBSTER GROVES HIGH SCHOOL

# COLLEGE APPLICATION GUIDE

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WGHS College & Career Counselors

## FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS

### FAFSA

Apply at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)

Projected to open in December 2023  
(delayed from the usual Oct 1 open date)

### WGHS LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- Applications available in December
- Most deadlines in February

## REQUESTING TEACHER LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

After asking your teacher in person or via email, [use these instructions](#) to request letters of recommendation via Naviance, if needed.

## REQUESTING A COUNSELOR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Fill out this [Recommendation Questionnaire](#), which your college counselor will use to write your letter by the deadline, if needed.

SET YOURSELF UP FOR SUCCESS!

REQUEST REQUIRED APPLICATION MATERIALS AT LEAST 2 WEEKS PRIOR TO YOUR DEADLINE.

## HOW TO APPLY

- 1 Apply to colleges by completing the admission application. You can apply directly to the institution from their website OR use the [Common Application](#).
- 2 Request your transcript and other required supplemental materials if needed to complete your application with each college (test scores, teacher and/or counselor letters of recommendation).
- 3 Check your email regularly for communication directly from colleges/universities regarding your admission status.

## REQUESTING TRANSCRIPTS

[Use these instructions](#) to request a high school transcript for each college application you are submitting.

## REQUESTING TEST SCORES

Send official score reports to colleges from your account at ACT.org (ACT) or Collegeboard.org (SAT).  
OR

You may fill out [this form](#) to request your test score(s) be sent with your initial high school transcript. Not all colleges will accept test scores on transcripts.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT YOUR COLLEGE COUNSELOR DIRECTLY TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT.