

Welcome to
WESLEYAN



KENTUCKY
WESLEYAN
COLLEGE
—1858—

how to become
a **Panther**





Congratulations on your acceptance to Kentucky Wesleyan College!

With this step, you've joined a community committed to changing the world for the better through incremental steps. How do we achieve this?

We ensure that students and faculty have as many opportunities to work together in the classroom and laboratory. We make sure our learning spaces are intimate, where every student is engaged and active. We offer events, activities and programs that challenge students to develop physically, mentally and spiritually to develop into leaders for the 21st century. We do everything with honor and integrity, in love and support for one another. That's the Wesleyan Way.

This book contains information that will make your transition into the College community seamless. A team of individuals across campus will work with you each step of the way to complete the steps in the book, help you begin your academic career and cross the stage at Commencement. That is our commitment to you.

Welcome to the family!

Sincerely,

Matthew Ruark '09

Vice President of Admissions and Financial Aid

From the Admissions Office



Let's show you the Wesleyan Way!

We've compiled a checklist of dates, links and information that will help you move forward with the enrollment process. Keep this book to ensure you are ready for day one at Wesleyan!

Deposit

Placing your enrollment deposit (\$100 for commuters; \$200 for residential; \$600 for international students) allows us to move forward in helping make all the arrangements for you to be successful at Wesleyan! For commuters and residential students, \$100 is applied to your first semester tuition and fees. For international students, \$500 is applied to your first semester tuition and fees. For residential and international students, \$100 of your deposit is for housing, and is refundable. Enrollment deposits are non-refundable after May 1. You can submit your deposit from home at kwc.edu/deposit, by calling us at **270-852-3120** or by visiting us in the Admissions Office.

By depositing early, you receive priority housing options, as assignments are determined on a first-come, first served basis. You are also able to choose your course schedule early in addition to the opportunity to familiarize yourself with the Wesleyan community as you meet staff, faculty and future classmates during our first registration events. Most importantly, your enrollment deposit secures your spot on campus so you can enjoy the months leading up to arrival confident where life will take you next – Kentucky Wesleyan College!

Advising and Registration

Our advisers work closely with you to create a schedule that is both flexible and focused on your goals.

Mark your calendars to attend a Future Panther Day on the following dates:

April 18, 2020

June 12, 2020

July 18, 2020

Financial Planning

To Do Immediately

1 Submit your FAFSA

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) can be filed beginning **October 1st**. Don't wait – filing early helps maximize federal and state aid eligibility! File online at fafsa.ed.gov and add Kentucky Wesleyan College, with our school code **001969**.

2 Scholarships at Wesleyan

Academic scholarships are included as part of the admissions application process. Athletic, talent and additional opportunities can be found online at kwc.edu/scholarships.

3 Review Financial Aid Estimate

Within a 10 days of being admitted, and receiving your FAFSA, you will receive a financial aid estimate. Be looking for a call from your admissions counselor to review it and discuss strategies to make Wesleyan affordable for your family.

Before Future Panther Day

1 Accepting your Awards

After you have submitted your enrollment deposit, the Financial Aid Office will create your official financial aid award based on your financial aid estimate. Go online to confirm your awards at kwc.edu/financial-aid, by clicking "Accept Awards".

2 Statement of Financial Responsibility

This form is a simple acknowledgement that you, as a student, are responsible for all tuition and fees. All students are required to submit this form and it is available online at kwc.edu/admitted.

Before Arriving to Campus

1 Complete all Financial Aid steps

If possible, plan a trip to campus to meet with our financial aid team in the summer to review all necessary steps and information to finalize scholarships, verification, grants, aid and loan steps to ease your arrival to campus in the fall.

Around Future Panther Day

1 FERPA Release Form

Once you enroll at Kentucky Wesleyan College, federal law gives you sole control over who the College may speak to about your grades, financial aid, etc. It is important you complete this form, located on the landing page of the Student Portal to let us know who, if anyone, we can release any information regarding your progress at Wesleyan.

2 One Call Now

Kentucky Wesleyan College utilizes OneCall Now as our mass communication system to communicate important updates to the campus community (think snow days, etc.) Make sure you complete this form at kwc.edu/admitted to ensure you are on the list!

3 Student Health Form

Located online at kwc.edu/admitted is the Student Health Form. You'll need your insurance information and immunization records to complete this important form.

4 Student ID

During Future Panther Day, you'll receive your official Student ID. Make sure to look your best and have a safe place to keep your ID until you arrive. Can't attend a FPD? No worries – we'll get your ID created during move-in.

Before You Arrive at Wesleyan in August

1 Dining on campus

All students can take advantage of campus dining options, which include the Hocker Family Dining Center, Panther Café and the 24-hour market. Additionally, all residential students are required to have a meal plan. Make sure to check out all the plan options and venues to be ready when you arrive to campus! Meal plan options can be changed during the first two weeks of the semester.

2 Final High School Transcript

Federal financial aid requires the receipt of a final high school transcript that shows the day your diploma was awarded. Before graduation, make sure to request that your high school send us a final transcript!

3 First Year Experience/ New Student Orientation

Our program is designed to welcome, challenge and support you as you join the Wesleyan community. You'll be connected to social and learning opportunities to support your academic goals. More information will be released in the summer!

4 Latest ACT, SAT, AP, IB or Dual Credit information

Did you take the ACT or SAT in the spring after you were admitted to Wesleyan? Make sure we have all of your scores! Additionally, if you completed Advanced Placement exams, International Baccalaureate or Dual Credit courses, make sure you request scores/transcripts from the appropriate provider so we can update your registration record.

5 Register your vehicle

Are you bringing a vehicle with you to campus? If so, make sure to register for your parking pass online. There is no added fee for your parking pass, but in order to park on campus you must have a parking pass. You can complete it online at kwc.thepermitstore.com.

6 Textbooks

Kentucky Wesleyan College's bookstore is conveniently located online so that you and your family can order textbooks from home and pick them up on campus. Check it out online at kwc.ecampus.com.

Additional information you need to enroll

To Do Immediately

1 Email and Student Portal Access

Beginning in January and continuing until August, IT staff will send deposited students log-in information to the email address listed on your admissions file. Once your information is sent to you, you'll be able to check status of forms, financial aid and review your class schedule. The student portal is online at cams.kwc.edu/student & kwc.edu/current-students.

2 Residency Information

All students must submit the Residency Form whether living at home or on campus. The form is completely online at kwc.edu/admitted and will be submitted directly to the Student Services office.

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our students at a glance

35+
active student
organizations

13:1 
student-faculty **ratio**

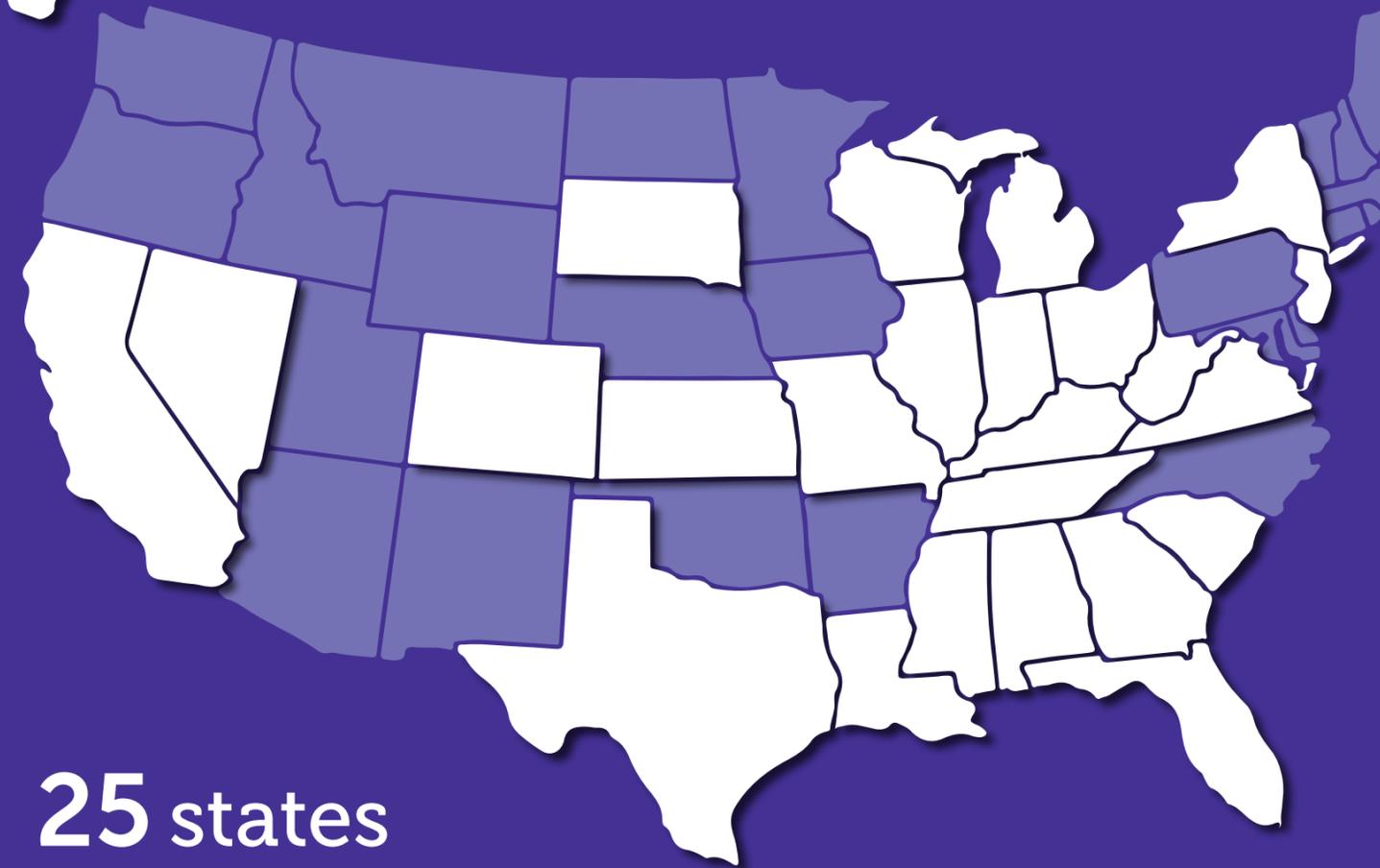
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varsity **sports**

8 national
championships
in Men's Basketball

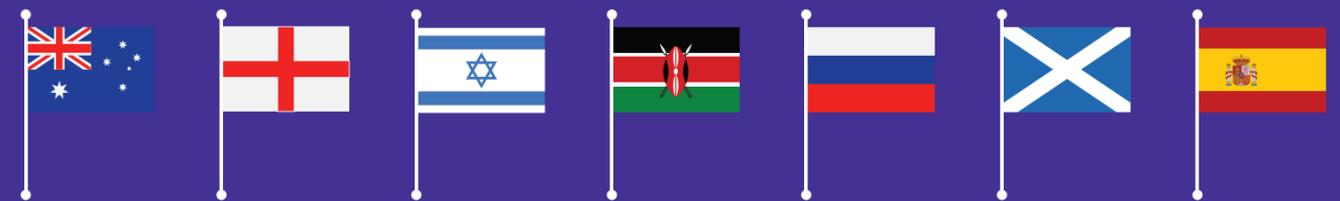


16 places our students have **studied abroad**
in the last 7 years

Where do our students call home?



7 foreign countries



Australia England Israel Kenya Russia Scotland Spain



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