





# Application for Admission

**Please read the following before completing this application:**

Applicant must be of approved Christian character, fulfilling spiritual and academic requirements as stated in the university catalog. Northwest University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, national/ethnic origin, or disability in its admissions policies.

## Personal Information (Please Print)

Check Application As:  Beginning Freshman  Running Start Student  Transfer Student

Admission For:  Fall (Sept.-Dec.) 20\_\_\_\_  Spring (Jan.-Apr.) 20\_\_\_\_  Summer (May) 20\_\_\_\_

Residency Status:  On-Campus Single Resident  On-Campus Married Resident  Commuter

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MIDDLE MAIDEN NAME (if applicable)

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP + 4

Ending date at this address (If Applicable): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Current Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check box if same as above MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP + 4

Permanent Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
MONTH DAY YEAR

Gender:  Male  Female Marital Status:  Single  Married

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship:  US  Permanent US Resident  Visa \_\_\_\_\_  Other Country \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

## Family Information

Father/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MIDDLE Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Guardian's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP + 4

Father/Guardian's E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MIDDLE Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mother/Guardian's E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Have your parents or other members of your family attended Northwest University?  Yes  No

If yes, please list names and relationships to you: \_\_\_\_\_

## Education Background

Last high school attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF SCHOOL MAILING ADDRESS  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY STATE ZIP + 4

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ If still attending, give expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Date of graduation: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ If you did not graduate, did you get a GED?  Yes  No (If yes, attach a copy)

Which test have you taken?  ACT  SAT Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Have you taken post-secondary-level classes for college or university credit while still in high school? (For example, Running Start, AP, or IB):  Yes  No If yes, which program(s)? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

List below all colleges and universities (or post-high school institutions) attended:

NAME	CITY/STATE	DATES ATTENDED	MAJOR	DEGREE (if any)
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Have you been dismissed or placed under any academic or disciplinary suspension, probation, or similar action at any institution?  No  Yes (If yes, please **attach a two-paragraph explanation** with this application.)

Have you been convicted of any criminal offenses (excluding minor traffic violations)?  No  Yes (If yes, please **attach a two-paragraph explanation** with this application.)

Have you used nonmedicinal drugs, alcohol, or tobacco within the last two years?  No  Yes (If yes, please **attach a two-paragraph explanation** with this application.)

## Career Goal(s)

Which degree do you plan to complete at Northwest University? (See insert for list of degree programs)

Associate of Arts  Bachelor of Arts  Bachelor of Science (Nursing)  Diploma  Certificate  Undecided

If AA, please indicate:  General Studies or  Health Science

Have you applied to any other colleges or universities? If so, please list:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What was the most important factor in your decision to submit this application?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Extracurricular Activities/Academic Awards

Please list the school, community, church, and work activities in which you have been involved. Be sure to include specific events, major accomplishments, and offices/positions you have held. Please describe any scholastic awards or honors you have received.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Church Relationship

Name and address of the church you attend: \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

Name of Senior Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_ Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been attending? \_\_\_\_\_ How often do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

### Please deliver reference forms to your Pastor and Christian friend (not relatives)

Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME E-MAIL PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

Christian Friend: \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME E-MAIL PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

## Signature

In applying for admission to Northwest University, I affirm that I will abide by its purposes and standards of conduct as stated in the university catalog and at [www.northwestu.edu/handbook](http://www.northwestu.edu/handbook). I hereby certify that all statements are true and accurate.

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

## Biographical Essay

Please submit a typed essay (*minimum of one page, maximum of three pages*) that addresses the following questions:

1. How and why did you become a Christian?
2. How does your personal relationship with Jesus Christ impact your personal behavior and morality?
3. Using specific examples, how would you describe your spiritual growth during the last three years?
4. How will you contribute to the Northwest University community and how can Northwest University assist you in your growth as a Christian?

# Christian Friend Reference

**Office of Admissions  
Northwest University  
P.O. Box 579, Kirkland, WA 98083-0579**

**To the applicant:** Print your name and address on the lines below, in this box. This reference is to be provided by a person **outside** your family. Applicant should provide for the person completing this reference a stamped envelope addressed to the Office of Admissions.

**Note:** I willingly waive my right of access to see this recommendation knowing that this waiver is NOT required as a condition for admission.

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

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER AND STREET

CITY

STATE/PROVINCE

ZIP/POSTAL CODE

COUNTRY

The Mission of Northwest University is to provide, in a distinctly evangelical Christian environment, a quality education to prepare students for service and leadership.

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How long have you known this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months

In what capacity do you know this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

How well do you know the applicant?  Very well  Well  Casually

Does the applicant know Christ as personal Savior and Lord?  Yes  No  Unknown

Does the applicant demonstrate Christ in his/her lifestyle?  Yes  No  Unknown

Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the applicant's leadership ability:

Exceptional ability  Good ability  Makes some effort to lead  Prefers to follow

What goals does the applicant have? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What is the applicant's relationship with his/her peer group? Applicant is:

- Sought Out       Admired but not sought out       Tolerated       Avoided       Rejected

What are the applicant's strong points (include special abilities)? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What is your opinion of the applicant's level of social readiness for university life?

- Highly enthusiastic       Strong       Moderate       Hesitant       Negative       No knowledge

On a scale of 1 to 4 (1=low, 4=high), rate the applicant in the following areas:

- | 4 = Superior                      | 3 = Above average | 2 = Average                  | 1 = Deficient         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| __ Honesty and personal integrity |                   | __ Attitude toward authority | __ Judgment           |
| __ Attitude toward schoolwork     |                   | __ Ability to make friends   | __ Dependability      |
| __ Emotional stability            |                   | __ Ability to adapt          | __ Concern for others |

Further comments you may have regarding the applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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I recommend the applicant

I do not recommend the applicant\*

I recommend the applicant with this reservation\*

**\*If you have not recommended or have reservations about recommending this applicant, please explain on an additional sheet of paper. Please include any comments that you feel would help us in regard to this applicant.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
NUMBER AND STREET

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY STATE/PROVINCE ZIP/POSTAL CODE COUNTRY

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_



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Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Address: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER AND STREET

CITY

STATE/PROVINCE

ZIP/POSTAL CODE

COUNTRY

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



# Undergraduate Degree Programs

Please indicate **one** major of interest: (  = Major    = Concentration within Major)

## School of Ministry

- Biblical Literature
- Children's Ministries
- General Ministry
- Intercultural Studies
  - Africa Studies
  - China Studies
  - Middle East Studies
  - Latin American Studies
  - Russian Studies
  - Linguistics
- Missions
- Music Ministry
- Pastoral Ministries
- Youth Ministries
- Undecided

## School of Education

- Secondary Education
  - Biology
  - Choral Music
  - English/Language Arts
  - English as a Second Language
  - Health and Fitness
  - Instrumental Music
  - Mathematics
  - Music
  - Social Studies
  - Theatre Arts
- Elementary Education
- Undecided

## School of Business

- Business Administration
  - Accounting
  - Management
  - Marketing

## College of Arts and Sciences

- Biology (Pre-Med)
- Contemporary Music Industry
- Communication
  - Drama
  - Film Studies
  - Media Studies
  - Organizational Communication
  - Rhetoric & Public Affairs
- English
  - Literature
  - Teaching English as a Second Language
  - Writing
- Environmental Science
- General Studies
- History
- Interdisciplinary Studies
  - Legal Studies (Pre-Law)
  - Political Science
- Mathematics
- Music
- Music Education
- Political Science/History
- Psychology
- Religion & Philosophy
- Undecided

## School of Nursing

- Nursing

## Associate of Arts

- General Studies
- Health Science

For more information about academic programs available at Northwest University, including minors, please visit [www.northwestu.edu/programs](http://www.northwestu.edu/programs).



# Northwest University

## Financial Aid Application

There are two steps to the process of applying for financial aid at Northwest University: you must complete the federal financial aid form and the institutional financial aid form.

1. Complete all sections of the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA), which can be done on the internet ([www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)). If you have filled out a FAFSA in a previous year, you can complete a renewal application online. The Title IV Code for Northwest University is: 003783.  
(Make sure you complete the correct FAFSA for the Academic Year you will be attending, as FAFSA's are year specific.)
2. Complete this Northwest University Financial Aid Application and return it to:  
**Northwest University, P.O. Box 579, Kirkland, WA 98083-0579.**

### Important Instructions

1. Priority deadline for financial aid is February 15. The results of the FAFSA and the Northwest University Financial Aid Application (this form) must be received in the Financial Aid Services Office by this date to be considered for priority packaging. Students who submit documents after that date will be awarded financial aid as funds are available.
2. Please complete all forms accurately, as errors may cause delays in the financial aid process.
3. Keep copies of all important documents (such as tax returns, W-2's, etc.) as the Financial Aid Services Office may request them at a later date.

### General Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST M.I. MAIDEN NAME (IF APPLICABLE)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP + 4

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I plan to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA):  Yes  No  Already completed

Current Northwest University students: Student I.D. Number: \_\_\_\_\_ NU Mailbox: \_\_\_\_\_

### Academic Information

At N.U. I will be:  Entering Freshman  Transfer  Continuing  Re-entry

I expect to graduate from Northwest University by (month/year): \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

I expect to receive my Teacher Certification by (month/year): \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ (Education majors only)

My major field of study will be: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

My class standing at N.U. for this academic year will be:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior

For Fall 20\_\_ I plan to attend:

- Full Time (12+ credits)
- Three Quarters Time (9-11 credits)
- Half Time (6-8 credits)
- Less than half time (1-5 credits)

For Spring 20\_\_ I plan to attend:

- Full Time (12+ credits)
- Three Quarters Time (9-11 credits)
- Half Time (6-8 credits)
- Less than half time (1-5 credits)

## Other Resources Information

Please list your estimated resources for this academic year below:

Aid from your Church: ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

BIA/Tribal Grants: ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Department of Vocational Rehabilitation: ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Veterans Benefits: ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Outside Scholarships or Loans (other than Northwest University, Federal, or WA State aid): ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please list names of other scholarships: \_\_\_\_\_

## Tuition Credits

You may be eligible for a Northwest University Tuition Credit if you, your spouse, or your parent is one of the following listed below. Please indicate if you are eligible by checking the appropriate box below. Tuition Credits are available for up to 50% of tuition, based on individual need. Only one Tuition Credit will be awarded to a student for each academic year. Requests for Tuition Credits received after February 15<sup>th</sup> will be awarded on a funds-available basis.

Licensed or Ordained Assemblies of God Minister (Name of Minister): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *To be eligible for the discount, the minister must have been licensed or ordained one year prior to the beginning of the academic year.*

Licensed or Ordained Assemblies of God Chaplain (Name of Chaplain): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *To be eligible for the discount, the chaplain must have been licensed or ordained one year prior to the beginning of the academic year.*

Missionary (Name of Missionary): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Missionary board documentation required. Must currently be serving under appointment of a recognized missions board.*

Full-time Administrator/Teacher at a Christian School (K-12) affiliated with the Assemblies of God

Name of Administrator/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Administrator/Teacher must have been employed one year prior to student's enrollment.*

Faculty/Staff/Board Member of Northwest University

Name of Faculty/Staff/Board Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Amount determined by the Human Resources Department.*

Family Tuition Credit:

Spouse of a Northwest University student (Name of spouse): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Both students must be enrolled at the same time.*

Sibling of a Northwest University student (Name of sibling): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Both students must be dependent (as determined by the FAFSA) and must be enrolled at the same time in the traditional undergraduate program.*

Parent or Child of Northwest University student (Name of parent or child): \_\_\_\_\_

Note: *Child must be a dependent student (as determined by the FAFSA), enrolled in the Traditional Undergraduate program. Both parent and child must be enrolled at the same time.*

## Certification

I certify that the above information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that my award package will be based on the information provided, and that if any of the required information changes, I must inform the Financial Aid Services office immediately.

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

Questions? Contact the Financial Aid Services Office  
by phone at 425.889.5210 or e-mail at [finaid@northwestu.edu](mailto:finaid@northwestu.edu).



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ID# \_\_\_\_\_

App# \_\_\_\_\_

Fee Received \_\_\_\_\_

Ack. Sent \_\_\_\_\_



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