

Wabash at a Glance

Founded

1832

Type

Private, independent, four-year liberal arts college for men, granting Bachelor of Arts degree.

Location

Crawfordsville, Indiana, a community of 16,000, is the county seat of Montgomery County, population 38,000. Crawfordsville is located 45 miles northwest of Indianapolis and 150 miles southeast of Chicago.

Endowment

As of June 30, 2013, the value of Wabash's endowment was approximately \$348 million, with a per-student endowment of about \$384,000. Wabash ranks near the top of all private colleges in the country.

Financial Aid

Nearly all students at Wabash (99%) receive some form of student aid.

Tuition and Fees

For the 2014-15 academic year, tuition is \$37,100. Room fees in College-owned housing are \$4,530 per year. Board plans vary by the number of meals per week. The 19-meal plan is \$4,600 per year and the 15-meal plan is \$4,200 per year. Mandatory fees for student activities fee and the Health Center are \$450 and \$200, respectively.

Campus

The 86-acre wooded campus contains 39 buildings predominantly of Georgian architecture. Caleb Mills taught the first class of Wabash students on December 3, 1833 in Forest Hall, located since 1965 at the north end of campus and now home to the Department of Education Studies. Built in 1836, Caleb Mills' House hosts various college functions. Center Hall, home to the departments of English, Philosophy, and Religion, as well as administrative offices was built over 150 years ago and is the oldest continuously used classroom building on campus. Fifteen campus buildings have either been renovated or are new in the last 15 years, including the 170,000-square-foot Allen Athletics and Recreation Center, 81,000-square-foot Hays Hall (biology and chemistry), Trippet Hall, home of the Center of Inquiry in the Liberal Arts at Wabash College, and Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning and Theology and Religion.

Students

Wabash's 902 male students come from 24 states and about 10 foreign countries. Seventy percent are from Indiana. Test scores from the middle 50 percent of entering freshmen range as follows: SAT critical reading 498-610, SAT writing 480-590, and SAT math 530-640. Each year, approximately 250 freshmen and a few transfer students enroll.

Faculty

In 2013, 99 percent of the 81 full-time faculty members at Wabash held a Ph.D. or equivalent terminal degree. Wabash's special strength lies with a faculty dedicated to teaching undergraduate students.

Student/Faculty Ratio

In 2013, Wabash had a student/faculty ratio of 11/1.

Majors

Wabash offers 24 majors in the following areas: Art, Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Classics, Economics, English, Financial Economics, French, German, Greek, Hispanic Studies, History, Latin, Mathematics, Music, Philosophy, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Religion, Rhetoric, Spanish, and Theater. Students may choose a double major; participate in the Business Leadership Program; or enroll in a 3-2 engineering program with Columbia University, Purdue University, or Washington University (St. Louis). Students interested in secondary education may minor in Education Studies and participate in the Secondary Licensure's Ninth Semester Program. These academic programs are augmented with on and off-campus internships; collaborative research with faculty; off-campus externships; and Wabash's Summer Business Immersion Program.

Library Collections and Services

Lilly Library, built in 1959, was renovated and expanded in 1992. The holdings include more than 400,000 books, serial backfiles, and micro texts and a media collection of over 15,000 recordings, CDs, videos and other media.

Both in the library and on the campus network, students, faculty and staff have access to a combined online catalog of the 2.8 million volumes in the libraries of Wabash and the 22 other private colleges, universities, and seminaries of the Private Academic Library Network of Indiana (PALNI). Additional off-campus resources available electronically from the Library homepage (www.library.wabash.edu) encompass a wide range of specialized subject indexes and abstracts, full-text journal databases, and the OCLC international database of 2 billion records in over 72,000 libraries, archives and museums in 170 countries around the world.

The Media Center staff is dedicated to supporting teaching and learning at Wabash College by assisting with the instructional design and educational technology needs of the faculty, staff, and students. The Media Center provides the Wabash community with a variety of multimedia equipment for preparing projects and presentations for the web and other digital formats. The Media Center provides production assistance, training classes, short-term equipment checkout and technical support for multimedia projects. We have industry-standard equipment, software and the technical knowledge required to assist you with current delivery methods such as digital video production, paper-based materials, web pages, DVD and CD technologies.

The Robert T. Ramsay, Jr. Archival Center, located on the library's lower level, contains the records of the College, including catalogs and yearbooks, student publications, fraternity files, and other related materials that document Wabash's history, along with several special collections. Archivist Beth Swift has migrated some of the oldest, most significant photographs to the web as part of a PALNI online database.

Computers

More than 380 systems are dedicated for students. Six public computer labs are available; two labs are open 24 hours/day, and two others are open from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. Departmental and specialized computer labs include a digital media lab; two calculus labs; a molecular modeling lab; art and music labs; two social science labs; and six mobile wireless computing labs for chemistry, biology, physics, and art. Software includes Microsoft Office, Mathematica, SPSS, Adobe Creative Suite, computer programming languages, and a variety of course-specific applications. An innovative "virtual computer lab" system offers access to network resources and lab software from student personal computers, whether on or off campus. A gigabit ethernet network links all campus systems, and provides high-speed Internet access. Wireless networking access is available campus-wide, including in dormitories and fraternities.

Automobiles

There are no restrictions regarding student automobiles.

Housing

Freshmen and sophomores are required to live in college housing. Students may live in one of five residence halls, College Hall, Martindale Hall, Cole Hall, Wolcott Hall, and Morris Hall; in one of nine national fraternities, Beta Theta Pi, Kappa Sigma, Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Chi, Tau Kappa Epsilon, and Theta Delta Chi; or in College-owned houses around the perimeter of campus. Every College-owned study room has a phone and a video connection. The entire campus is served with a wireless Internet network.

Sports

Wabash competes at the NCAA Division III level in 12 varsity sports—football, cross country, soccer, golf, basketball, indoor track and field, outdoor track and field, wrestling, tennis, swimming, lacrosse, and baseball—as a member of the North Coast Athletic Conference. In addition, students may participate in 23 intramural sports and three club sports. More than three-quarters of Wabash students participate in at least one intramural sport.

Extracurricular Activities

Wabash students take part in over 75 Student Senate-recognized clubs and organizations, such as student government; departmental clubs; political clubs; speech, music, and theater groups; various literary publications, a weekly newspaper, and yearbook; student-run radio; special interest groups; and religious groups.

Internships

Approximately 70 percent of Wabash graduates complete at least one internship during their college career. Many students complete three or more internships. In Summer 2014, students are interning with a wide variety of organizations, including SpaceX, Nantucket Bike Tours, Eli Lilly, Liberty Mutual, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Stanford University, Indiana State Police, Archon Apps. Mei Wu Acoustics, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Triton Brewery, Indy Film Fest, and CineMagic Sportsline.

Graduates

In 2014, Wabash graduates accepted positions with Teach for America, Angie's List, Prudential Financial, Eli Lilly, Procter & Gamble, Thirst Project, Berkeley Repertory Theater, and Orr Entrepreneurial Fellowship, among many others. This year, 20% percent of the graduating class went directly into graduate, medical, or law school. Graduates accepted offers at Southern Methodist University, Purdue University, London School of Economics, and Indiana University to name only a few.

Address

For additional information, write to:

Wabash College
Admissions Office
P.O. Box 352
Crawfordsville, IN 47933-0352
Phone: 1-800-345-5385 or 765-361-6225
Fax: 765-361-6437
email: admissions@wabash.edu
website: <http://www.wabash.edu>

Accreditation

Wabash College is accredited by:

North Central Association of College and Schools
Commission on Institutions of Higher Education
30 North La Salle Street Suite 2400
Chicago, Illinois 60602
Phone: 800-621-7470
website: <http://www.ncahlc.org>

Admissions Information

Wabash College, a college for men, welcomes applications from qualified high school seniors and college transfers. Wabash will also consider exceptional, academically prepared high school juniors for early admission to the College, provided they have the support of their family and school and will have completed the required courses listed below before the end of their junior year.

Wabash's small student body encourages extensive class participation; close student/faculty relationships; and spirited competition. All new students are encouraged to enroll in Wabash for the fall semester in order to integrate fully into the academic atmosphere.

For application materials, contact the Wabash College Admissions Office:

- Call:** (800) 345-5385 or (765) 361-6225
Office hours are 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday all year.
- E-Mail:** admissions@wabash.edu
- Web:** www.wabash.edu/admissions
- Fax:** (765) 361-6437
- Write:** Wabash College Admissions Office
P.O. Box 352
Crawfordsville, IN 47933-0352

Secondary School Preparation

Each applicant is expected to have earned a secondary school diploma from a school approved by a state or regional accrediting agency or to have successfully completed the GED (General Educational Development) exam before enrolling at the College. Listed below are the minimum recommended high school courses which should be completed:

4 years of English

3-4 years of mathematics (including advanced algebra). Those majoring in mathematics, science, or economics in college should complete four years of high school mathematics (not including calculus).

2 years of laboratory science (biology, chemistry, or physics)

2 years of one foreign language

2 years of social studies

Admission may be possible without all of the recommended courses; however, the applicant will not be eligible for certain merit scholarships without these prerequisites. A satisfactory class rank, SAT/ACT scores, and school recommendations are also expected.

Application Procedures

Requirements:

1. Complete the Wabash College Application for Admission by applying through our website: www.wabash.edu/admissions/apply or The Common Application website: www.commonapp.org. The Common Application is acceptable in place of Wabash's application form, and it will be given equal consideration.
2. Give the High School Report to your high school counselor and ask him/her to return it to the Admissions Office with a written recommendation and an official high school transcript containing all courses, grades, and class rank through at least the sixth semester. In some instances, a transcript containing seventh semester grades may be required before an admission decision can be made.
3. Register to take either the SAT or the ACT before the end of November of your senior year and have the results sent directly to Wabash. Wabash's SAT code number is 1895. Our ACT code number is 1260. High school guidance offices should have the registration materials. For students who have already taken one or more of these tests, Wabash will accept the scores if they appear on their official school transcript. SAT II subject tests are not required.

Recommended:

Schedule an official campus visit. You and your parents are encouraged to see what Wabash is really like. Your campus visit may be during a scheduled group visitation program, or it can be an individually scheduled visit which allows you to attend classes, speak with a professor or coach of your choice, take a student-guided campus tour, complete an admissions interview, and stay overnight with Wabash students—all at no cost to you. This is the best way to get a “feel” for our campus and to have your questions answered about all aspects of the College. We recommend that you schedule your visit for a weekday, September through April, when classes are in session so that you can participate fully in your choice of activities. You may also schedule a shortened version of the campus visit during the summer months. Please note that some of our scholarship competitions require that you make an official campus visit. Call 800-345-5385 or register online: www.wabash.edu/admissions/visit and all arrangements will be made.

Deadlines:

Priority consideration for merit-based scholarships is given to those who have submitted all completed forms by December 1. It is highly recommended that all applications be completed by January 15. Scholarship and financial aid materials are available through the Admissions Office.

Application Calendar

Option	Deadline	Decision Mailed	Deposit Due
Early Decision	November 15	November 29	January 15
Early Action	December 1	December 19-26	May 1
Regular Application	January 15	January 30	May 1
Final Application	March 15	Two weeks after	May 1

Early Decision candidates may be offered admission, denied admission, or deferred to the Regular Application process. Final Application candidates will be considered on a space available basis.

Admissions Office Procedures

Although we have listed our requirements and recommendations, we guarantee that each applicant's completed application will be read and reviewed on an individual basis. The following items in the application file are listed in their order of importance when being reviewed by the Admissions Committee: course selection, grades, class rank, SAT/ACT scores, recommendations, written essay, and extracurricular and community activities.

A student will not be offered admission to Wabash unless it can be reasonably predicted that he can succeed at Wabash

and that Wabash, in turn, can meet the student's particular needs. We feel obligated to ensure, as much as it is possible, that our students have a successful and fulfilling education at Wabash.

Readmission

Any student who previously attended Wabash College and did not enroll the following semester must contact the Dean of Students in writing to request re-admittance. For further information, call (765) 361-6480.

Part-Time/Non-Degree Students

Anyone wishing to take a class without being enrolled as a full-time student must contact the Registrar. For further information, call (765) 361-6245.

Transfer Students

Students in good standing at another college are welcome to apply for transfer to Wabash and, in general, should follow the same procedures for admission already listed with these additions:

1. Have your final secondary school transcript sent to the Wabash Admissions Office. The transcript must include eighth semester grades and a final class rank, if available.
2. Have official transcripts of all college courses attempted sent directly to Wabash from the Registrar of each college previously attended. Courses considered for transfer credit must be of a liberal arts nature. Only classes from an accredited college and with a grade of C or higher will be considered for transfer credit.
3. Have a letter of recommendation sent to Wabash by a college official, preferably your college advisor.
4. Complete the top part of the Dean of Students' Recommendation Form, then give it to the Dean of the college or university from which you are transferring. The Dean is to complete the form and return it directly to the Wabash College Admissions Office.
5. Include in your application for admission a written statement explaining why you wish to transfer to Wabash.
6. A personal interview is strongly recommended.

Advanced Placement/Transfer Credits

Credit may be granted based on test results of the College Entrance Examination Board Advanced Placement Tests, College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), International Baccalaureate, and Wabash College placement exams given on campus during Orientation.

Wabash College will accept for transfer college courses taken by a high school student only when the student is enrolled in a section of a college course that includes students from the general college population.

All college transcripts will be evaluated by the Registrar. Students will be notified in writing regarding the number of credits that will transfer to Wabash, their class standing at Wabash, and what required courses, if any, they must take while at Wabash.

More information on Credit by Examination and Advanced Placement Credit can be found in the Academic Policies section of this Bulletin.

International Students

Wabash believes it is extremely important for a liberal arts institution to offer its opportunities to students of all beliefs, nationalities, and creeds. We encourage applications from students of other countries and provide support systems to assist their integration into our community while maintaining the individuality which we expect all of our students to exhibit.

Any student who needs a student visa to remain in the United States is considered an international student.

It is critical that international students enroll at Wabash in August, not in January, in order to ease their transition to the American college system and culture. As the application process will take an international student several months to complete, he should start investigating colleges/universities one year ahead of his intended enrollment date.

Apply online at www.wabash.edu/admissions/apply or use The Common Application at www.commonapp.com. Questions about the application process should be directed to:

Coordinator of International Student Admissions
Wabash College
P.O. Box 352 Crawfordsville, IN 47933-0352, USA
Phone: (800) 345-5385 (if in the USA) or (765) 361-6225
E-Mail: admissions@wabash.edu
Fax: (765) 361-6437
Web: www.wabash.edu/admissions/apply

International Application Requirements

Deadlines for receipt of documents are outlined on the Future Students – International Admissions web page at www.wabash.edu/admissions/international. **ALL OFFICIAL DOCUMENTATION MUST BE IN ORIGINAL FORM OR ATTESTED COPIES OF THE ORIGINAL.** It is not necessary to include copies of academic awards or extracurricular accomplishments. Please do not send anything that needs to be returned. The following must be received in order to consider the application complete.

1. A completed application with signature.
2. An official copy of academic transcripts from the last four years of education and the Secondary School Report.
3. An essay showcasing your ability to write well.
4. Standardized test scores (TOEFL/IELTS or SAT/ACT)
5. Two letters of recommendation
6. All students applying for need-based financial aid must complete the College Board's CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE and the College Board's International Student Financial Aid Application. If you do not wish to apply for financial aid, you must complete the College Board's International Student Certification of Finances.

International Admission

Wabash admits students with a high level of demonstrated intellectual potential and an equally high level of achievement in the most rigorous academic program at their secondary school. The admission decision is made following a thorough and thoughtful review for scholarships and need-based awards, and is given to those students with a complete record on file by February 1.

All international students are eligible to compete for Wabash College merit-based scholarships. Since the number of scholarships is limited and our applicant pool is large and talented, only a few of the qualified applicants will be offered an award. These awards are won through competition and are renewable for four years provided the student maintains standard academic progress.

Need-based awards are also available; however, **NO AWARD PACKAGE WILL COVER ALL EXPENSES.** Typically, the College expects that an international student can document the ability to contribute a minimum of \$15,000 annually. Students must provide complete financial information, so Wabash can best assess their financial needs. A typical need-based financial aid package may consist of a combination of campus employment, loans, and a very limited number of grants in addition to any merit-based scholarships that may be awarded. Travel expenses, summer expenses, and personal expenses will not be covered by an aid award. In order to be considered for admission and financial assistance,

all applicants must be able to document the ability to provide for expenses not covered by even our best awards. Once a student has been offered admission, he must submit the required deposit by the stated deadline or his offer of admission will be rescinded.

Enrollment Deposit

Students offered admission must submit their non-refundable deposit by the date specified in the letter of admission. This deposit will be credited against the first semester bill for tuition and fees.

Housing

The College housing choices for freshmen are five residence halls and nine national fraternities. Students are required to live in college housing during their freshman and sophomore years.

Students receive housing information after they have submitted their deposit indicating their intention to enroll. Questions about housing should be directed to the Office of the Dean of Students. Call (765) 361-6310.

Financial Assistance

Need-Based Awards (First-time students)

All first-time students who wish to apply for financial assistance based on family need must submit 1) the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the Department of Education and 2) the CSS/PROFILE Application to the College Scholarship Service. The FAFSA is required to apply for federal grants, Federal Stafford Loans, PLUS loans, and state grants for Indiana residents. The CSS/PROFILE is required to apply for Wabash need-based assistance. The FAFSA is available beginning January 1 on the web at www.fafsa.gov and should be completed by the student and his parents by February 15. The CSS/PROFILE registration and application are available at <http://student.collegeboard.org>. **You must designate that you want the results of the FAFSA analysis to be released to Wabash College by filling in our code number, 001844, and the CSS/PROFILE results by filling in our code number, 1895.** Upon receipt of these results, the Wabash Financial Aid Office will take all factors into consideration and will inform the admitted student of the amount of financial aid and scholarships in his financial aid award in early April.

International students must submit the CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE for International Students and supporting documentation by February 1. International students are not eligible for federal grants, Federal Stafford Loans or state awards mentioned above.

Renewal of Need-Based Awards (Returning students)

All need-based financial assistance is awarded on an annual basis. **Students must file a new FAFSA and CSS/PROFILE by March 1 each year they are in attendance at Wabash.** In addition to these forms, students and parents must submit any other forms required by the Wabash Financial Aid Office. Need-based financial aid awards will be recalculated each year based upon updated information on the family's financial situation. Students who do not meet the guidelines for satisfactory academic progress will not be eligible for federal, state, or institutional need-based assistance. Detailed information is available on the Financial Aid web site. Financial aid awards for returning students are available via Ask Wally in May.

Merit-Based Awards

Wabash offers numerous merit-based awards. These awards include Top Ten/Twenty Scholarships, Fine Arts Scholarships, Honor Scholarships, Lilly Awards, Boys State, OLAB, President's Scholarships, Lilly Finalist Scholarships, and Hovey Grants. These scholarships vary from \$1,000 to full tuition plus room and board and are renewable all four years at Wabash College. Merit-based scholarship recipients are expected to maintain the cumulative grade point average and the number of course credits required at the end of each academic year in order to make normal progress toward graduation.

All questions regarding financial assistance should be directed to the Financial Aid Office. Call (800) 718-9746 or (765) 361-6370.

Expenses

The costs of attending Wabash during the 2014-2015 school year are as follows:

Tuition	\$37,100
Activities Fee	\$450
Health Center Fee	\$200
Room & Board	\$8,730 (based on the 15-meal plan)

If an upper-class student lives in a fraternity, his room and board costs will vary slightly because they are determined by the fraternity, though they will be billed by the Business Office.

The room and board budget for students living off-campus (not living in a residence hall or fraternity house) is reduced to reflect the lower cost to the student. Detailed information is available on the Financial Aid web site.

Adjustments of room and board budgets and financial aid will be by year or semester only. Juniors and seniors who intend to live in off-campus housing (other than fraternity or dormitory) must notify the Dean of Student's office prior to doing so. Freshmen and sophomores are required to live in campus housing.

In addition to the charges listed above, it is recommended that each student budget \$2,500 per year to cover the following expenses: books and supplies (about \$1,000) and other personal expenses (about \$1,500).

The estimated “comprehensive” cost to attend Wabash during the 2014-2015 school year is, therefore, \$48,980. You should plan on some increase in charges each year.

In 2014-2015, each semester’s bill will include:

Tuition \$18,550

Activities Fee \$225

The Activities Fee covers admission to all home athletic contests, subscriptions to all student publications, and admission to all College drama productions and concerts—except certain SSAC-designated “National Acts.”

Dormitory Room & Board \$4,365

Board charges cover 15 meals per week. All entering students will be billed this amount. If a student wishes to increase his meal plan to 19/week, an additional \$200 per semester will be billed to his account. Returning students living in fraternities will be billed by the College an amount which is set by their fraternity—not by the College.

Health Center Fee \$100

The Health Center Fee covers expanded services provided by the Health Center, the Counseling Center and the Wellness Center.

Billing Information

New students will receive a credit on their first semester bill for their admission deposit. Credit for grant and scholarship assistance will be reflected on tuition invoices in equal amounts for the fall and spring semesters. Loan assistance must be applied for and students will receive equal credit each semester for the net proceeds (after any lender fees) of parent and/or student loans.

Students will receive payment bi-weekly as they work the Wabash Student Employment component of their financial aid award. Students have the option to have a portion of their earnings withheld and applied to their tuition invoice. Students who plan to take advantage of their Wabash Student Employment eligibility should complete a Wabash Student Employment Response Form located on our website at <http://www.wabash.edu/wse>. Ninety percent of the total gross amount anticipated to be withheld from earnings for the semester will show as a credit on their tuition invoice (we estimate an average 10% for Payroll taxes). Any credit unearned at the end of each semester is payable immediately to the College. The Student Payroll Schedule is located on our website at <http://askwally.wabash.edu>.

Students who do not return library materials by the due date are charged fees to their tuition accounts.

In addition, students in certain laboratory courses are charged at the end of the semester or year for losses and breakage of laboratory apparatus.

Students registered in courses that travel during normal vacation periods may be charged an additional fee for room and board while off campus.

Students enrolling in any of the off-campus study programs will be charged the current Wabash College tuition for the semester as well as a \$1000 off-campus fee for each semester they are off campus.

Under special circumstances students permitted to register for less than a normal full-time course of study (i.e., part-time) are charged a \$50 registration fee, plus 1/3 of total tuition per semester per course.

Late Registration

For late registration without excuse, a fee of \$25 is charged.

Payment of Fees

The Wabash College Business Office mails a statement for the fall semester to each student on June 1 with payment due on July 15 and on November 15 for the spring semester with payment due on December 15. A late fee of \$250 and 1% interest per month may be charged on accounts unpaid after the due date. Each semester's bill must be paid in full before the student will be allowed to register for classes or move into campus housing.

Wabash accepts payments online via debit or credit card at www.wabash.edu/businessoffice. Transcripts will not be released until all financial obligations to the College are satisfied.

For the convenience of those persons who prefer to pay the fees in monthly installments, the College offers a payment plan administered by Tuition Management Systems (TMS). Students with current payment plans will not be charged late fees or interest. Information is available on our website at <http://www.wabash.edu/businessoffice/plans> or call TMS at 800-722-4867.

Wabash also offers its own Guaranteed Tuition Payment Option which provides parents of students not seeking need-based financial assistance the opportunity to "lock in" the freshman first-semester tuition rate for eight consecutive semesters by paying in full the four-year tuition bill. For more information please contact Cathy VanArsdall at 765-361-6421 or vanarsdc@wabash.edu.

In case of failure to register, advance payment of tuition, room and board, activities fee, and health center fee will be refunded. The admission deposit and room and board deposit are non-refundable.

Determining Official Date of Withdrawal

A student who wants to completely withdraw from the College prior to the end of a semester must begin the withdrawal process in the Dean of Students Office. The official withdrawal date is the date the student begins the withdrawal process (i.e. picks up a Student Withdrawal Form). A student must complete and return the Student Withdrawal Form to the Dean of Students Office in order to officially withdraw from the College.

If a student cannot complete the official withdrawal process for reasons outside of his control (accident, hospitalization, etc.), the Dean of Students may use the date related to that or the last documented date of academic activity as the official withdrawal date.

Wabash College does not have a "leave of absence" policy. A student is either enrolled or he is not. A return to the College after a withdrawal is negotiated via the Dean of Students Office.

Return of Federal Title IV Funds

Federal regulations require a Return of Federal Title IV Funds calculation if the student withdraws on or before completing 60% of the semester. The percentage of federal Title IV funds to be returned is equal to the number of calendar days remaining in the semester divided by the number of calendar days in the semester. Scheduled breaks of five consecutive days or more are excluded.

After 60% of the semester is completed, 100% of federal Title IV funds is considered "earned" and will not be returned to the funding source.

The official date of withdrawal, as determined by the Dean of Students Office, is used to calculate the student's percentage of "earned" federal Title IV funds. If a student leaves the College without providing official notification, the date used for the Return of Federal Title IV Funds calculation is a) the date the student began, but never completed the official withdrawal process, or b) the later of the student's last documented date of academic activity or the midpoint of the semester. Students who receive all F's for a semester are considered to have "unofficially" withdrawn and are subsequently reviewed for a possible Return of Federal Title IV Funds calculation.

Federal Title IV funds include: subsidized and unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford Loans, Federal PLUS Loans, Federal Pell Grants, and Federal SEOG and TEACH grants. Federal Work Study earnings are excluded from the return of funds calculation.

EXAMPLE: A student who receives federal Title IV funds withdraws at the 30% point of the semester. Therefore, 70% of his federal aid is “unearned” and must be returned to the appropriate program/s. According to Return of Title IV Funds Policy (Section 668.22 of the HEA), “unearned” federal aid is returned in the following order, up to the full amount disbursed:

Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan
Direct Subsidized Stafford Loan
PLUS Loan
Pell Grant
TEACH Grant
SEOG
Other Title IV Aid Programs

Return of Indiana State Grants

The Student Financial Aid division of the Indiana Commission for Higher Education requires that a student be enrolled at the end of the first four weeks of a semester in order to be eligible for the Indiana Freedom of Choice Grant or the Twenty-first Century Scholars program. Therefore, if a student completely withdraws from the College within the first four weeks of a semester, the College must return 100% of the semester’s award to the State Commission. Indiana State Grant recipients who withdraw after the first four weeks of a semester are then subject to the same pro-rata return of funds as described in the Return of Federal Title IV Funds section. After 60% of the semester is completed, 100% of state aid is considered “earned” and will not be returned to the funding source.

Return of Funds for Non-Title IV Recipients

Wabash, state and other non-Federal Title IV aid will be returned to the funding source based on the same percentage used to determine a student’s refund of tuition and required fees, provided the funding source does not have specific return requirements.

EXAMPLE: A non-Title IV aid recipient withdraws prior to census and receives a 100% refund of tuition and fees. Subsequently, none of his aid is “earned” and all of it will be returned to the appropriate funding source.

Refund of Tuition & Fees

Non-Title IV Aid Recipients:

A non-Title IV aid recipient who officially withdraws from the College prior to the final census date of the semester will receive a 100% refund of tuition and required fees. If a student officially withdraws after the final census date, he will receive a refund on a per diem basis, based on the number of calendar days remaining in the semester divided by the number of calendar days in the semester. Scheduled breaks of five consecutive days or more are excluded. No refunds are given after the 60% point of the semester.

Title IV Aid Recipients: A Federal Title IV aid recipient who officially withdraws from the College will receive a refund of tuition and required fees on a per diem basis, based on the number of calendar days remaining in the semester divided by the number of calendar days in the semester. Scheduled breaks of five consecutive days or more are excluded. No refunds are given after the 60% point of the semester.

Refund of Room & Board Charges

A student who officially withdraws from the College will receive a refund of the unused portion of his room and board charges on a per diem basis, based on the number of calendar days remaining in the semester divided by the number of calendar days in the semester. That said, no refunds are given after the 60% point of the semester. Scheduled breaks of five consecutive days or more are excluded.

Nonrefundable Charges

Nonrefundable charges include admission application fees, enrollment deposit, and late payment fees. A student is responsible for 100% of any outstanding fines or prior balances due. No Federal Title IV Funds will be used to cover these fees if a refund is calculated.

Notes

The student may be required to repay all or some of his federal Title IV aid if he previously received a refund due to a credit balance on his account.

The semester during which a student withdraws is still considered to be a semester of aid received.

The policies described herein apply to all students who withdraw during a semester for any reason.

The calendar used for both the Return of Federal Title IV Funds and the College's per diem refund policy is developed and maintained in the Financial Aid and Business offices each semester.

After the 60% point of the semester, the Business Office reserves the right to adjust the per diem calculation used to determine refunds of tuition, fees, room and board on a case-by-case basis for non-Title IV aid recipients.

Calendar 2014-2015

FALL SEMESTER

Freshman Saturday.....	AUG 23
Classes Begin & First Day to Add Courses	AUG 28
Final Date to Add Full Semester and First Half Courses.....	SEP 5
Student Census.....	SEP 9-10
Final Date To Drop First Half Semester Course with “W”.....	OCT 3
Midsemester.....	OCT 15
Midsemester Break	OCT 16-19
Classes Resume; Second Half Semester Courses Begin.....	OCT 20
Final Date to Add Second Half Sem Course.....	OCT 24
Final Date to Drop Full Semester Course with “W”.....	OCT 31
Pre-Registration for Spring Semester	NOV 17-21
Final Date to Drop Second Half Semester Course with “W”	NOV 21
Thanksgiving Recess	NOV 22-30
Classes Resume.....	DEC 1
Classes End.....	DEC 12
Final Exams	DEC 15-20
Christmas Recess - SENIORS	DEC 21-JAN 11 7
Christmas Recess - UNDERCLASSMEN.....	DEC 21 - JAN 18

SPRING SEMESTER

Written Comprehensives for Seniors - Double Majors Only.....	JAN 8-9
Written Comprehensives for Seniors	JAN 12-13
Oral Comprehensive Exams for Seniors.....	JAN 14-16
Classes Begin; First Day to Add Courses	JAN 19
Final Date to Add Full Semester and First Half Courses.....	JAN 23
Student Census.....	JAN 27-28
Final Date to Drop First Half Semester Course with “W”.....	FEB 20
Midsemester.....	MAR 6
Spring Recess.....	MAR 7-15
Classes Resume; Second Half Semester Courses Begin.....	MAR 16
Final Date to Add Second Half Sem Course.....	MAR 20
Final Date to Drop Full Semester Course with “W”.....	MAR 20
Pre-Registration for Fall Semester.....	MAR 30-APR 3
Final Date to Drop Second Half Semester Course with “W”	APR 17
Classes End.....	MAY 1
Final Exams	MAY 4-9
Commencement	MAY 17

Final Examination Schedule 2014-2015 Academic Year

Final examinations are given at the end of each semester. No deferred examinations are given except by written excuse from the Dean of Students. The faculty has agreed that no exams will be given and no papers will be due the Wednesday to Sunday of the week prior to finals. No papers will be due during finals week unless there is not a final exam in the course, in which case the paper will be due at the end of the regularly scheduled exam time for that course. Classes not included in the schedule below will be examined during the final exam week under special arrangements made by the instructor. Exams are held in the same classrooms they met in during the semester.

FALL SEMESTER

Mon., December 15 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 8:00 MWF & 2:10 MWF Classes meeting at 1:10 TTH
Tues., December 16 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 9:00 MWF Classes meeting at 8:00 TTH
Wed., December 17 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 10:00 MWF Classes meeting at 2:40 TTH
Thurs., December 18 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 11:00 MWF Classes meeting at 1:10 MWF
Fri., December 19 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 9:45 TTH Classes meeting at 3:10 MWF
Sat., December 20	Multi-Section and other courses as assigned by the Registrar

SPRING SEMESTER

Mon., May 4 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 11:00 MWF Classes meeting at 1:10 MWF
Tues., May 5 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 9:45 TTH Classes meeting at 3:10 MWF
Wed., May 6 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 8:00 MWF & 2:10 MWF Classes meeting at 1:10 TTH
Thurs., May 7 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 10:00 MWF Classes meeting at 2:40 TTH
Fri., May 8 9:00 A.M. 1:30 P.M.	Classes meeting at 9:00 MWF Classes meeting at 8:00 TTH
Sat., May 9 the Registrar	Multi-Section and other courses as assigned by