

Early Decision Application



What Is Early Decision?

Early Decision is an admission option designed for students who believe that Wabash College is their first choice for college and who are waiting on acceptance only from Wabash to conclude their college search. Applying Early Decision offers students the following benefits:

- **Early notification of admission decision.** Admission decisions will be mailed to Early Decision applicants on December 15, 2004.
- **Maximum consideration and early notification of Wabash merit-based scholarships.** Notification of Wabash President's Scholarships will be mailed to accepted Early Decision applicants on December 15, 2004. Students applying for financial assistance will receive early notification of their financial aid award and one-on-one financial aid counseling. Students also will have the option of receiving four-year financial planning information.

Instructions for Applying Early Decision

Please consider your choice of admission options carefully. If you conclude that Wabash College is the right school for you and the early decision option is preferable, complete and sign this agreement and return it to the Wabash College Admissions Office by **November 15, 2004**. In addition, the complete Application for Admission, including Part 1, Part 2, and the High School Report, must be submitted prior to, or with this agreement. Early Decision applicants are judged on their academic credentials through the end of their junior year.

Early Decision financial aid applicants should also complete the following two required applications:

- Students planning to apply for financial aid should file the College Scholarship Service's PROFILE application by November 15, 2004. Please contact the Wabash College Financial Aid Office for information regarding the PROFILE application. The Wabash College Financial Aid Office will begin to mail Early Decision award packages on December 15, 2004.
- The Early Decision financial aid award based on the student's estimated 2004 financial data is contingent upon the submission of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA must be submitted after January 1, 2005, and Wabash suggests filing by February 15, 2005. Any differences in financial aid information or the late filing of the FAFSA could result in an adjustment to the Early Decision financial aid award.

If you conclude that Wabash College is the right school for you, complete, sign, and return this Early Decision Application to the Wabash College Admissions Office by November 15, 2004. Retain a copy of this application for your records.

Name: _____
Last *First* *Middle*

Address: _____
Street *City* *State* *Zip*

High school: _____
Name *City* *State* *Zip*

I am applying to Wabash College as an Early Decision candidate. Wabash is my first choice for college, and I am making no other Early Decision applications. I understand that in accepting admission to Wabash and in paying the non-refundable enrollment deposit before January 15, 2005, I am agreeing to withdraw any applications I have made to other colleges and to enroll at Wabash. My signature below indicates that I understand the commitment I am making and agree to comply with the requirements stated above.

Signature _____ Date _____