

**THE COLLEGE OF WOOSTER**  
**NEED-BASED AID APPLICATION**  
**FOR STUDENTS ENTERING IN 2003-2004**

To apply for need-based financial aid, **complete the 2003-2004 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon after January 1, 2003 as you can and list Wooster on it.** Our federal school code is **003037**. We cannot determine your aid eligibility without your FAFSA data from the federal processor.

In addition to the FAFSA, Wooster requires one supplementary aid application; *either* the CSS FINANCIAL AID PROFILE *or* this form. If you submitted the CSS PROFILE for Wooster, you do not have to submit this application. Otherwise, complete this form *after* you have submitted your application for admission to Wooster and filed your FAFSA. Send it directly to the Office of Financial Aid. Include a photocopy of the FAFSA Worksheets on the last page of the FAFSA instruction booklet. (We do not need a copy of the FAFSA itself.)

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Student e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Fax number(s) to which confidential information may be faxed \_\_\_\_\_

I submitted my FAFSA on \_\_\_\_\_ and my application for admission to Wooster on \_\_\_\_\_.  
Date Date

I am applying for:  Early Decision Option 1  Early Decision Option 2  Regular Admission  Transfer Admission

**FAMILY/PARENTAL INFORMATION**

Complete the grid below for **all the people in the family you listed on the FAFSA. Always include yourself and your parent(s) or stepparent(s).** Include also siblings or other relatives (a) who live with you; (b) who receive half or more of their support from your parents; *and* (c) who will continue to receive that support between July 1, 2003 and June 30, 2004. List the schools and colleges which family members will attend **half-time or more** in 2003-2004. (Full-time: F/T; Half-time: H/T) Please add lines for other family members if necessary.

FULL NAME	AGE	RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT	SCHOOL/COLLEGE in 2003-2004 (if any)	GRADE LEVEL*	F/T or H/T
1 student:		self	Wooster		
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					
9					
10					

\*CODES FOR GRADE LEVEL PAST HIGH SCHOOL:

0. 1st year/never attended	4. 4th year/senior
1. 1st year/attended college	5. 5th year/undergrad
2. 2nd year/sophomore	6. 1st year grad/prof school
3. 3rd year/junior	7. continuing grad/prof

**FAMILY INCOME/EXPENSE INFORMATION**

We encourage you to submit signed copies of your complete 2002 federal income tax returns and W-2 statements with this form. They are required before need-based aid awards are credited to the student's account. Aid to families who file IRS Schedules C, D, or E is especially tentative until we review the tax return. If you submit this application before your parent(s) complete their 2002 federal income tax return, check here \_\_\_ to indicate that amounts below are estimated.

2002 business income (or loss) from Schedule C	\$ _____	2003-2004 employer tuition assistance for any family member. Explain in comment section.	\$ _____
2002 income (or loss) from Schedule E	\$ _____	2003-2004 private ( <i>elementary and secondary</i> ) school tuition cost to family (less scholarships)	\$ _____
2002 medical costs from 1040 Schedule A	\$ _____	Number of students in these private schools	_____
2002 <u>untaxed</u> Social Security benefits	\$ _____	2002 payments to state employee or public retirement programs (PERS, for instance) in lieu of Social Security deductions	\$ _____
2002 child support received for all children	\$ _____	2002 IRA distributions and pension/annuity income (IRS 1040, lines 15a + 16a) rolled over into another retirement account	\$ _____

**NON-CUSTODIAL PARENT'S INFORMATION**

Complete this section if one of your natural or adoptive parents is not listed in the family grid (unless the parent not listed is deceased). We may send your non-custodial parent the CSS Divorced/Separated Parent's Statement to determine his/her expected contribution.

Year: of separation \_\_\_\_\_ divorce \_\_\_\_\_. If they are not separated or divorced, please explain in the comment section below.

Other parent's name \_\_\_\_\_ His/her annual child support for you \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_ When will it end? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ How much does he/she expect to contribute towards your educational costs in 2003-2004? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Is there an agreement specifying this amount? \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Who claimed you as a tax exemption in 2002? \_\_\_\_\_ Who will claim you in 2003? \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENT SECTION**

Note here any special concerns you would like to bring to our attention as we analyze your aid eligibility. List any colleges you attended before coming to Wooster and your dates of attendance. Note also if you do not intend to live in campus housing.

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**SIGNATURE SECTION**

All of the information on this form is complete and accurate to the best of our knowledge. We agree to provide documentation for this information. The FAFSA Worksheets are enclosed. Copies of 2002 federal income tax returns and W-2s  are  are not enclosed.

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Step)mother \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Step)father \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN THIS FORM AND A COPY OF THE FAFSA WORKSHEETS TO:**  
**THE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID, THE COLLEGE OF WOOSTER, WOOSTER, OH 44691-2363**  
**Write the student's name and social security number on the worksheets and tax returns.**

*NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY*

*The College of Wooster does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, creed, national origin, disability, handicap, sexual orientation, or political affiliation in the admission of students or their participation in College educational programs, activities, financial aid, or employment.*