VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE profile



33 MAJORS

30 Minors

6 Pre-Professional PROGRAMS

92% of graduates receive job offers or go on to graduate school within one year of graduation

13 Average
CLASS SIZE
of students



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Location Norfolk/Virginia Beach, VA – 15 minutes from downtown

Norfolk and just minutes away from the Chesapeake Bay and Atlantic Ocean; 2 hours from Richmond; 3.5 hours from

Washington, D.C.

Setting Beautiful 300-acre wooded campus situated in Coastal Virgina,

in a metropolitan area with a population of 1.7 million.

Enrollment Approximately 1,400 students, 74% in-state

36% male, 64% female

Demographics 32 states and 8 countries represented

41% underrepresented populations

Student/Faculty Ratio 13:1

Faculty Approximately 90% of faculty members hold the highest

degree in their field of study

Campus Visit Tours and information sessions are available Monday through

Saturday. Open Houses take place in spring and fall. Schedule

a visit at www.vwc.edu/visit or by calling 800.737.8684.

Application Process Priority deadline for freshman admission – March 1

Priority deadline for transfer admission:

Fall semester – May 1 / Spring semester – October 1

Application available at www.vwc.edulapplynow

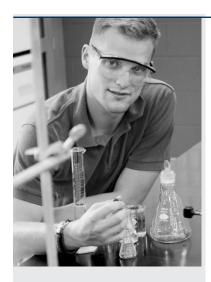
Freshman Admissions Approximately 2,900 applications

Class size: 400 (2016-2017) Top 25% of graduating class: 27% Top half of graduating class: 63%

SAT code: 5867 ACT code: 4429



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POINTS OF PRIDE 2016

- Named one of the nation's best institutions for undergraduate education by The Princeton Review; featured in its guide *The Best 380 Colleges: 2016 Edition*.
- Chosen as a 2016-2017 College of Distinction for excellence in student-focused higher education and commitment to engaged students, great teaching, vibrant community and successful outcomes.
- Selected for inclusion in The Princeton Review's Guide to 353 Green Colleges: 2015 Edition, recognized as one of the most environmentally responsible colleges in the U.S.
- Greer Environmental Sciences Center, scheduled to open in fall 2017, will feature state-ofthe-art laboratories and research space that will provide unprecedented opportunities for students while fostering regional collaboration.
- Birdsong Field, a new synthetic turf field, supports student-athletes playing NCAA Division III lacrosse and field hockey as well as intramural sports.

Academic Preparation Minimum of 16 academic courses (recommended):

4 English

2 Foreign Language (in one language)

3 Mathematics (Algebra 1, Geometry and Algebra II required)

2 Social Science2 Natural Science

Extra weight given to AP, IB, honors and dual-enrollment courses

Tuition for 2016/17

\$34,960 (tuition), \$8,768 (average room & board)

Financial Aid Financial aid form: Free Application for Federal Student Aid

(FAFSA) **Priority FAFSA deadline (code: 003767): March 1** More than 99% of full-time day students receive financial assistance

Average financial aid package: \$29,537 (scholarships, grants and loans)

Contact Financial Aid at 800.737.8684 or finaid@vwc.edu

Academics 33 majors, 30 minors, 6 pre-professional programs

Popular majors: Business, Education, Biology, Criminal Justice, Recreation & Leisure Studies, Communication Various internship and study away opportunities available

Three week Winter Session in January

Campus Housing Students reside in four villages, in a variety of housing options

ranging from traditional residence halls to suites and apartments.

Freshmen may bring cars to campus

Athletics NCAA Division III (Old Dominion Athletic Conference)

22 Varsity Sports (12 - Women, 10 - Men)

Intramural and club sport options through our RecX program

Contact Athletics at 757.455.3303 or vwcathletics.com

Honors & Scholars

Program

Scholarships ranging from \$22,000 to \$24,000

(renewable annually)

Priority registration, honors housing, undergraduate research,

internships and independent projects available

Greek Life 15% (5 sororities and 2 fraternities with on-campus Greek housing)

Marlin Ministries 7 different group opportunities to be in fellowship including

LIFE Groups, Worship team and Gospel Choir

Clubs & Organizations 50+

Information Technology

All residence halls are networked, wireless and Internet accessible. Wireless access in academic buildings and the

Hofheimer Library. For more information: www.vwc.edu/administration/it-services

Special Facilities Eight-lane, 25-yard swimming pool, whirlpool and sauna;

50-foot Alpine Tower; 36-foot climbing wall; 2,000-yard disc golf course; 4,800-square-foot fitness facility; elevated indoor track; outdoor achievement center/ropes course; nature trails





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