

Check Out Financial Aid Facts at Wellesley College

✓ Wellesley Grant Aid, 2009-2010, to U.S. Students, by Parent Income

<u>Income</u>	<u>% in Band</u>	<u>Average Grant</u>	<u>Range of Grants</u>
\$0-\$29,999	10%	\$47,003	\$20,566-\$53,622
\$30,000-\$59,999	18%	\$43,855	\$11,125-\$51,343
\$60,000-\$89,999	22%	\$35,315	\$0-\$48,364
\$90,000-\$119,999	18%	\$29,192	\$0-\$47,595
\$120,000-\$149,999	15%	\$20,221	\$0-\$41,094
\$150,000 and above	17%	\$12,152	\$0-\$46,510

- ✓ Admission for U.S. students and permanent residents is need-blind, without regard to a student's financial aid status. Wellesley meets 100% of calculated financial need, including international applicants who are admitted.
- ✓ An international student's family contribution is determined at the time of admission for remaining years, making college costs very predictable.
- ✓ 58% of our students receive need-based financial aid. In 2009-2010, students are receiving \$44 million in grant aid from Wellesley.
- ✓ Our average grant (not including outside scholarships) in 2009-2010 is \$33,500. Of the students qualifying for aid under Wellesley's policies, 41% have grants that exceed our tuition.
- ✓ Financial aid, along with the ability of our students to finish in four years, means that our real cost is often the same as, close to, or less than costs at public universities.
- ✓ Our loan policy features low packaged loans geared to family finances. Over 25% of our U.S. aid recipients are in a No Loan category. International students are all in this category. Grant funds replace the loans.
- ✓ Wellesley's student employment program helps students cover expenses and gain valuable work experiences and references for future employment.
- ✓ Students take their Wellesley aid with them when they study abroad or in the U.S. at other colleges on approved programs and exchanges. Loans are packaged in lieu of Work-Study since students cannot work abroad.
- ✓ Our aid program is funded mostly by donors who are graduates of Wellesley College. They value their education at Wellesley and are committed to opening the door for future students.
- ✓ Click on Financial Aid for more information and to find out how to apply.