

ORIENTATION GUIDE 2022



DARE

to

FLOURISH

WELCOME TO WELLESLEY

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NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

The 2022 Orientation theme, *Dare to Flourish*, and the corresponding design was developed as a charge for your time at Wellesley. Here you will have the chance to Dare—to dream big and take on new challenges. And you will also be encouraged to seek every opportunity to Flourish—to learn, grow, and succeed in all the ways that are meaningful to you. All of this will happen, of course, in a supportive community. A community that is filled with creativity and compassion, and is constantly evolving. We know that your arrival will contribute to and help to shape the community of Wellesley, in our classrooms, in the residence halls, on the athletic fields, in our sacred spaces, on this stunningly, naturally beautiful campus. *Dare to Flourish* with us.



OUR ORIENTATION PROGRAM

Orientation is your first step in transitioning into college and finding a sense of belonging at Wellesley. The New Student Orientation program will have something for all of our new students, including first-year, transfer, Davis Scholar, exchange, and international students. The program includes events, conversations, and activities that will enrich your Wellesley experience and help you feel at home in our diverse community.

Orientation activities will begin in July, with online interactions with your Orientation Mentor and your peers.

Through our hybrid Orientation program, you will be involved in a busy schedule of Orientation activities designed to address your needs and concerns. Orientation also will introduce you to life at Wellesley through discussions, lectures, panels, and advising sessions. Through these activities, you will begin to see the many ways that you can begin to flourish at Wellesley.

SPECIFIC PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED TO:

- Introduce you to the Wellesley College community, our history and shared values, and our rich tradition as a residential women's college
- Provide opportunities for you to meet members of the college community, develop friendships, and establish personal connections with faculty and others in the extended Wellesley family
- Familiarize you with the campus and its resources, including academic advising and support services
- Prepare you to become actively engaged in this community of life-long learners, as you embark on your liberal arts education

ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

VIRTUAL

LIVE VIRTUAL ORIENTATION EVENTS

All events begin at 8pm EST

JULY 20
Virtual New Student Orientation Begins

JULY 26
Connecting With Your Peers (Zoom)

AUGUST 2
Keeping Well at Wellesley (Zoom)

AUGUST 9
Choosing Courses 101 (Zoom)

AUGUST 16
Preparing for Registration (Zoom)

AUGUST 23
Building Community (Zoom)

IN-PERSON

AUGUST 28
International Student Move-in (8am–3:30pm)

AUGUST 29–31
International Student Orientation

AUGUST 31
Domestic Student Move-in (8am–12pm)

AUGUST 31
Parent & Family Programming:

- Resource Fair
- Welcome to Wellesley Ceremony
- Intro to Residential Life
- Farewell Reception

Programming will end in the afternoon with a Farewell Reception on August 31.

SEPTEMBER 1–4
New Student Orientation

SEPTEMBER 6
Classes Begin

VIRTUAL ORIENTATION

Our virtual New Student Orientation (NSO) is designed to help entering students feel well prepared as they enter the college experience here at Wellesley. In mid-July, students will be invited to join a platform called Wisr. During this time, students will meet their Orientation Mentor (OM) Group (composed of fellow entering students!) and begin connecting with their assigned student leader, aka, their Orientation Mentor. Students will also receive all sorts of information including, but not limited to, how to be successful academically, what opportunities exist to build community, and ways we prioritize your wellness here at Wellesley. Content will be posted daily, but it is not a requirement that the platform be checked every day. We recommend checking Wisr at least once a week until you get to campus.

In addition to these resources, we are hosting live Zoom events every Tuesday night at 8:00 PM, starting on July 26. In these live events, students will meet key department leaders and learn more about how they plan to help students flourish at Wellesley. These will be recorded and posted in Wisr, and are not required events (although we strongly encourage you to attend!).

PREPARING FOR YOUR ARRIVAL

As an incoming student you will have some tasks to complete before you arrive at Wellesley. Be sure to stay in contact with the College during the summer through MyWellesley, which serves as our information and communication hub. Engaging with the MyWellesley portal regularly will help you feel prepared for Orientation and your first year on campus.

YOUR ENTERING STUDENT CHECKLIST

You should have already received an email from the Wellesley Orientation Team containing your MyWellesley login credentials and access to the Entering Student Checklist. Completing the tasks on the checklist will help you get started on your path to becoming a member of the Wellesley community.

In preparation for Orientation and your first semester at Wellesley, you should visit the checklist regularly and complete tasks by the stated deadlines. There are some tasks that must be completed before you may move into your residence hall or attend classes, so pay close attention to those due dates.

YOUR HOUSING ASSIGNMENT

As a new student, you should access the Housing Portal through MyWellesley when the checklist opens. Your housing assignment will be based on the information you provided in the Housing Portal and be available through MyWellesley during the summer.

The residence halls vary in size and house students in a combination of single, double, and triple rooms, as well as suites. First-year students will be assigned one or more roommates. If you are an incoming transfer student, your assignment will be based on the availability of housing according to your class year.

RECEIVING MAIL AND PACKAGES

The Department of Mail Services coordinates all outgoing and incoming U.S. postal and campus mail service for the College. You may pick up your packages, purchase stamps, or mail your letters at the Mail Services retail window located in the Lulu Chow Wang Campus Center. Students may ship packages that weigh up to 10lbs. When a package arrives for you on campus, you will receive an email notification. Your OneCard and signature will be required upon pick-up.

Shipping your belongings

In the coming weeks, you will receive specific information about shipping your belongings in advance of your arrival, including the proper address format, and a list of ZIP codes for the student unit mailbox numbers.

YOUR MAILING ADDRESS

Prior to your arrival on campus, you will be assigned a unit (mailbox) number, which will serve as your mailing address during your entire stay at Wellesley. You will receive your unit number through your Workday account during the summer.

Delivery of all your campus and U.S. mail will be made directly to this assigned unit. Your mailing address will be as follows:

[Your name]
Unit XXYY
21 Wellesley College Rd
Wellesley, MA 02481

Curious about [local banking options](#)

Getting ready for college in New England requires some careful planning. For example, it is likely to be very warm in August when you arrive and very cold during finals week in December. It is also important to consider what your plan is for summer storage in between academic years before you bring your things to campus.

GET COZY

- Extra-long twin sheets
- Blanket
- Comforter
- Extra-long twin mattress pad (for extra comfort)
- Pillows
- Pillowcases
- Slippers/cozy socks

CAMPUS LIVING

- Power strips (UL approved)
- Power cables for your electronic devices
- Pillow for your chair
- Floor/desk lamp (the College does not provide lamps)
- Push pins
- Packing tape
- Stamps and envelopes
- Rolls of quarters (for doing laundry)
- Alarm clock
- Portable lap desk
- Command™ strips for decorating

SUMMER DAYS

- Sunglasses
- Swimsuit
- Reusable water bottle
- Fan for your room
- Sunblock
- Sporting equipment (like a frisbee!)
- Purple clothes! (for class picture and many other events)
- A pair of sneakers to go on a run or work out in the Fitness Center

WINTER NIGHTS

- Socks, socks, and socks
- Rainboots and snowboots
- Umbrella
- Winter jacket
- Hat, mittens, and earmuffs
- Mug for tea or coffee
- Warm blankets
- Snow pants for snow day fun

CLEANING

- Room freshener
- Trash bags
- Toolbox
- Space-saving clothes hangers
- Stackable storage containers
- Multi-surface cleaning wipes
- Swiffer duster or sweeper
- Laundry detergent, fabric softener and dryer sheets
- Laundry bag or hamper

GROOMING

- Shower caddy
- Shower shoes
- Extra toothbrushes
- Nail clippers
- Towels
- Bathrobe
- First aid kit
- Toiletries
- Face masks
- Hand sanitizer
- Thermometer

BUCKLING DOWN

- Backpack
- Stapler
- Tape
- Calculator
- Post-It® Notes
- Ruler
- Scissors
- Healthy snacks! (for those late night study sessions)
- Writing utensils
- Three-hole punch

SUSTAINABLE LIVING

As you pack, please keep in mind that Wellesley College is committed to reducing our collective impact on the environment. We encourage buying less, using recycled products, reusing items and developing community through the sharing of items in residence halls.

Please be thoughtful about what you really need, and what might be borrowed or bought used. In addition, during the first week of class, you will find bargains galore at our Sustainability Sale, featuring gently used student necessities at low prices. Here are some other ideas:

- Travel mug for hot beverages
- Canvas/reusable shopping bag
- Microwave safe dishes
- Eating utensils

LINEN AND LAUNDRY SERVICES

Some Wellesley students opt for a laundry and dry-cleaning contract during the school year. E&R Campus Laundry is a local company that provides on-campus services for Wellesley College Students. To learn more about their services, please visit www.EandRCleaners.com.

COMMUNITY STANDARDS

All Wellesley students are expected to be familiar with and comply with policies included in the Wellesley College Handbook. The Handbook is posted online at www.wellesley.edu/studentlife/aboutus/handbook, and includes both legally mandated guidelines and Wellesley specific policies. You will acknowledge your willingness to uphold those policies through the Entering Student Checklist this summer.

Fundamental to all our policies and our life together is the Wellesley College Honor Code, which binds everyone on campus together with a promise of mutual honesty, integrity, and respect.

ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS

Wellesley College utilizes a harm reduction approach to support students in making thoughtful and responsible decisions regarding substance use. In addition to educational programming during Orientation, all new students must complete AlcoholEdu, an online education program that explores substance use harm reduction strategies for a safer Wellesley community. This interactive program also provides feedback on your own alcohol behaviors, potential risk factors, along with helpful resources available to you at Wellesley College and in the greater community.

The information you provide in this program is anonymous and will only be used to verify completion of the program. You can find the program when you log in to your Entering Student Checklist on July 1. Be sure to complete the assessment using your Wellesley email address to ensure you receive a green checkmark for completion by August 13. You will see a green check mark approximately one business day after you've completed your training.

THE WELLESLEY HONOR CODE

As a Wellesley College student, I will act with honesty, integrity, and respect. In making this commitment, I am accountable to the community and dedicate myself to a life of honor.

The power of the Honor Code is in its asking of us that we make decisions informed by honesty, integrity, and respect. Each and all of these decisions contribute to the flourishing of our academic and social community. For detailed information regarding the Honor Code and Honor Code Council, its educational and adjudicatory work, please visit www.wellesley.edu/studentlife/aboutus/honor.

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

Wellesley College takes seriously its commitment to empower students to end sexual violence. In addition to an in-person training on sexual health, healthy relationships, consent and bystander intervention during Orientation weekend, starting July 1, all new students may complete Sexual Violence Prevention (SVP). SVP is an online education program that will provide you with information about sexual violence on college campuses, how to be an active bystander, as well as opportunities for personal reflection. Sexual Violence Prevention will also provide you with helpful resources available to you at Wellesley College and in the community.

The information you provide in this program is anonymous and will only be used to verify completion of the program. You will see a green check mark for this task approximately one business day after you've completed your training. Be sure to complete the assessment using your Wellesley email address to ensure you receive a green checkmark for completion by August 13.

Students are strongly encouraged to complete the program prior to arriving on campus, though students who wish to complete the program when they have access to on-campus support resources may do so. For any questions, please contact studentwellness@wellesley.edu.

CAMPUS BOOKSTORE

The Wellesley College Bookstore is more than a bookstore—it's a support system with everything you need to succeed at Wellesley, conveniently located on the 4th floor of the Lulu Chow Wang Campus Center. Stop in to pick up school supplies, Wellesley spirit gear and, of course, textbooks! Save big on textbooks each term with the Bookstore's rental program, and also discover new, used and digital books. Guaranteed to have the right book in the correct edition, the staff will be happy to help you find exactly what you need for class, or you can shop online for your books and pick them up FREE in store when you're on campus.

Bookstore Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 9am-4pm
Friday: 9am-2pm
Saturday: 10am-2pm
Summer: Monday-Friday 9am-2pm
Shop Online: wellesley.bncollege.com
Contact Us: 781.283.2136
Instagram: @thewellesleycollegebookstore

WHAT TO LEAVE AT HOME

- ✗ Alcohol and other drugs.
- ✗ Candles, incense, or scent pot burners.
- ✗ Extension cords (Exception: Power strips with built-in surge protectors are permitted).
- ✗ Cooking equipment (such as: microwave oven, toaster, hot plates, toaster ovens, grills, rice cookers or similar high-wattage appliance with exposed heating surface.)
- ✗ Non UL approved portable electrical devices.
- ✗ Halogen lamps or bulbs.
- ✗ Electric portable heaters or air coolers/ conditioners (Exception: air conditioners approved for use by College).
- ✗ Flammable decorations including natural or artificial Christmas trees.
- ✗ Draperies, curtains, and tapestries that are not labeled fire retardant.

THE COLLEGE PROVIDES

- Extra-long twin bed and mattress
- Bookshelves
- Desk and chair
- Bureau
- Mirror (size varies by residence hall)

It makes sense for you to confer with your new roommate(s) before you start packing as you may decide to share some items rather than having duplicates. Many of these items may be purchased on or near campus after you arrive at Wellesley, or at the Sustainability Sale.



CAMPUS LIFE

Wellesley's community is a remarkable blend of treasured tradition and contemporary creativity. As our campus community evolves, grows, and diversifies, our traditions help to unite and shape our common identity, spirit, and Wellesley pride. Living and learning together in our residential community, Wellesley students engage with others to create modern ways of honoring tradition and upholding our values.

OFFICE OF STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

The Office of Student Involvement guides students through the process of exploring their interests and passions in clubs, organizations, activities and events which will complement and enhance their educational, social, and relational experience at Wellesley College, as well as support traditions such as Lake Day and Hooprolling. We believe that by participating in activities outside the classroom, students create meaningful interpersonal connections through common experiences and provide a foundation for community development.

SOCIAL PROGRAMMING

Throughout the year our student organizations host various social programs. The Office of Student Involvement hosts a variety of events each semester. These events include trivia nights, BINGO, off-campus trips and more.

WENGAGE

WEngage is an online portal for students to learn about our 180+ student organizations and events happening on campus. Students can request membership to student organizations, find information about what events are happening on campus, as well as access forms and information about starting a new organization on campus.

For more info about events happening on campus, visit [WEngage](#)

WORKING ON CAMPUS

Students who have been awarded Federal Work-Study or Wellesley Work awards have first priority for on-campus jobs. There may be some additional opportunities throughout the year for non-work study students including positions that require highly specialized skills or are unable to be filled with a work-study student.

Jobs are competitive and there is no guarantee of securing a position. Available academic year jobs are listed online and can be accessed through Workday.

Prior to being hired, students must complete a federal Form I-9 (Employment Eligibility Verification) and federal Form W-4. Students should review the Student Employment website with their parents/guardians so that students can bring the appropriate documentation with them to school.



RESIDENTIAL LIVING

Wellesley is a residential college. This means we house more than 95% of the student body on campus, and your living together creates a special community that is the heart of the College.

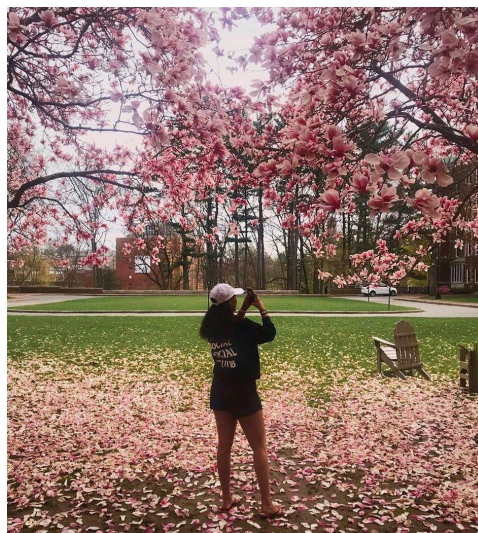
We want you to feel at home no matter where you live on campus. Our residence halls are configured into three main campus neighborhoods: East Side, Quint, and Tower Court. As you prepare to join our community, we'd like you to get to know these campus neighborhoods!

EAST SIDE RESIDENCE HALLS

Bates, Dower, Freeman, McAfee, and Stone-Davis

Bates, Freeman, and McAfee are all connected by a shared dining hall and are near the Science Center and a short distance to the Ville (town of Wellesley). Students love living in these buildings because the rooms are large, many have nice big windows, and there is a kitchenette and lounge on each floor. McAfee, Bates, and Freeman have recently been updated and all rooms are carpet free. Stone-Davis actually was designed as two buildings that have become one. This horseshoe-shaped building has its own dining hall and provides a wide variety of living options for all students. The living room is a fluid space and the modern interior is a contrast to the building's stately exterior. In addition to beautiful public and private spaces, Stone Davis also houses the Kosher and vegetarian dining hall.

Interested in getting involved on campus and staying active through physical education?



QUINT RESIDENCE HALLS

Beebe, Cazenove, Munger, Pomeroy, and Shafer

The grand old buildings in the Quad are more than 100 years old, and Munger became part of the "Quint" in 1933. All of these residence halls are amazing to look at, as well as to live in.

Something unique about the Quad is that Beebe and Cazenove (Caz) are mirror images of Shafer and Pom. Munger is a very short walk from the center of the Quad's courtyard and is actually the closest hall on campus to the Academic Quad. Students love living in the Quint because of its high energy level, the friendly atmosphere, the number of cozy newly renovated spaces in Pom and Shafer to hang out (inside and outside), and its close proximity to the Campus Center, the Keohane Sports Center and the academic buildings. A fun fact about the Quint is that the Boston Marathon runs directly past these buildings each spring—this portion of the race is known as the Wellesley Scream Tunnel.

TOWER COURT RESIDENCE HALLS

Claflin, Severance, and Tower

Tower Court is the neighborhood for castle-like buildings and many historic images. Each of the halls offers some rooms on main corridors, while others are tucked into corners you will have to search to find. This charm and unique layout—along with some terrific views of Lake Waban—are some of the reasons students love living in these spaces. Tower Dining Hall is central to this group of buildings, and features nut-free dining. In all three buildings you will be able to find extraordinary wood carvings, some of famous characters from literature, and others that are purely decorative. Part of the movie "Mona Lisa Smile" was actually filmed in Claflin hall, which also hosts carvings of Alice in Wonderland characters in the living room.

We hope that you will explore the many different options of places to live on campus, as there is definitely something for every style and type of person. Welcome to your new community and to your new home!



STUDENT HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Wellesley is committed to supporting the overall well-being of each student. A variety of services and programs can help you meet your physical, emotional, and spiritual needs. We encourage you to utilize any of these services, and when needed, seek out the support we provide during your time at Wellesley.

OFFICE OF STUDENT WELLNESS

Through programs, events, and education, the Office of Student Wellness (OSW) works with campus partners and Peer Health Educators to support your holistic well-being while at Wellesley and beyond. We see well-being as shaped by many intersectional identities and factors that change throughout one's life, and we know that there is no one-size-fits-all approach to wellness. That's why we are here to support wellness your way!

Do you want to meet with a Registered Dietitian-Nutritionist? Learn strategies to improve your sleep or stress management? Explore support for all 8 dimensions of your wellness, but don't know where to begin? We are here for you! We offer consultations and workshops, provide training on wellness topics (like substance use harm reduction, intuitive eating, healthy relationships, and more), send monthly wellness newsletters, and host programs like the Stress Free Fair, Wellness Wednesdays, and Therapy Dog visits...plus much more! Follow @wellesleywellness on social media to stay up-to-date with upcoming programs and events.

For any questions about where to begin for supporting your holistic wellness, please don't hesitate to contact studentwellness@wellesley.edu, visit wellesley.edu/studentlife/studentwellness, or stop by the OSW office in Billings 100!



HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED BY NEWTON-WELLESLEY COLLEGIATE HEALTH

Medical services at Wellesley College are provided by Newton-Wellesley Hospital (part of the Mass General/Brigham Network). Health Services is staffed by providers (physician and nurse practitioners) who are board certified in Family Medicine and who have additional expertise in Sports Medicine and Women's Care. Providers at Health Services are employees of Newton Wellesley Hospital who are based on campus and whose sole job it is to take care of the student body.

Health services provides many services including (but not limited to): primary and preventative care, management of chronic diseases, urgent care, travel consults, gynecologic care, musculoskeletal care, and mental health support. We have in-office point of care testing (including rapid COVID PCR testing) and have a full-service lab on site. We also offer routine immunizations, EKG monitoring, and administration of injectable medications.

Because of Wellesley College's relationship with the hospital, students also have access to the resources (specialists, ER/urgent care, medical record, on-call services, COVID care etc.) in the Mass General/Brigham System.

Health Services collaborates with multiple offices on campus including Residential Life, Counseling, Campus Police, Office of Disability and Accessibility, Office of Student Life, Dean's Office and the Slater International Center. We will also collaborate with your home treatment team as necessary to keep you healthy while on campus.

We are committed to providing easy access, quality, and comprehensive care on campus and to remove barriers to care or gaps in care while you are away from home. For more information, please visit www.wellesley.edu/healthservice. For any further questions, please call the office (781-283-2810) or email us through your Patient Gateway account.

STONE CENTER COUNSELING SERVICE

The mission of the Stone Center Counseling Service is to foster student's psychological resiliency and capacity to change. We support students by working collaboratively and relationally, being mindful of their diverse needs and backgrounds, encouraging self-reflection and self-acceptance. We offer students a continuum of counseling services that promote wellness, balance, acceptance of self, and connection to others. We provide an array of developmental and mental health services and build partnerships to raise awareness and educate about emotional well-being.

The service provides time-limited personal counseling and a variety of groups and outreach programs, as well as consultation to the community, after hours support and emergency intervention. Counseling is confidential and there is no fee. The Counseling Service also provides referrals for long-term counseling, and if clinical need arises, referral for medication consultation and assessment will be facilitated. The Counseling staff consists of an experienced team of psychologists, social workers, a clinical nurse specialist, a psychiatrist and advanced trainees and interns. For more information about counseling, please visit www.wellesley.edu/counseling.

OUR DIVERSE COMMUNITY

The student body at Wellesley College is among the most diverse on any campus in the nation. This diversity enriches the experience of all our students and provides us with incentives to respond to and support the varied backgrounds and experiences of community members.

OFFICE OF INTERCULTURAL EDUCATION

Wellesley's Office of Intercultural Education works in partnership to examine issues of campus climate, to encourage dialogue around issues of diversity with the goal of creating broader understanding, and to respond to issues and concerns that have an impact on the quality of student life. Each member of the team engages with colleagues and students to create a multiculturally inclusive environment at Wellesley, and also works to develop a vibrant and inclusive sense of community on campus by affirming social identities through the support of cultural communities.

The college has a network of multicultural spaces on campus that will allow our students to collaborate with and draw strength from those with whom they share a common identity while, at the same time, promoting intercultural dialogue and connection among all members of the Wellesley community.

ACORNS HOUSE

Acorns House is a space that provides social, emotional, cultural, and academic support to students of Asian and Latinx descent at Wellesley College. Additionally, Acorns House provides educational and cultural programming for the Wellesley College community. Acorns houses the offices for the Assistant Deans and Advisors to students of Asian descent, Latina students, Mixed Race students and Native American students.

HARAMBEE HOUSE

Harambee House is committed to facilitating a healthy and supportive campus environment for students of African descent, with a wide array of services and programs that foster academic, personal, and communal growth. Harambee House also offers enlightening cultural activities that raise a sense of consciousness and awareness to the history and culture of people of the African Diaspora.

SLATER INTERNATIONAL CENTER

The Slater International Center promotes intercultural awareness, mutual respect, and global leadership by providing collaborative programming and support services for international students and scholars. The Center is the focal point for international activities and events that bring together members of the College community who share a desire to explore global issues and to increase intercultural understanding. Students meet here to study, learn, cook, entertain, and gather informally.

The Slater staff works closely with other departments to provide a variety of services to assist international students and scholars, including advising services and referrals related to immigration, employment, academic, social and cultural issues. The Slater International Center supports international and multicultural student organizations and promotes global student leadership. For more information on the Slater International Center, please visit www.wellesley.edu/international.

LGBTQ PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

Did you know that more than a third of the Wellesley student population identify as LGBTQ+? LGBTQ+ identified Wellesley students enjoy the support of many faculty, staff and other students who identify as LGBTQ+ or are strong allies. Campus resources for LGBTQ+ and questioning students include Rainbow Connection (Orientation for incoming first year LGBTQ+ students), Big/Little LGBTQ+ Siblings (pairing reception for first years and upper class student mentoring matches), LGBTQ+ History Month events, and other programs sponsored by the Office of LGBTQ+ Programs and Services throughout the year. The Director of LGBTQ+ Programs and Services is also available for individual and small group advising and can be found in Billings Hall, room 402.

Some students become involved in LGBTQ+ affinity student groups, including blackOUT, Familia, Siblings, and Tea Talks. Other resources include out and proud Orientation Mentors, ResLife Resident Assistants and House Presidents, LGBTQ+ specific mentorship program with Wellesley Alums through Career Education and LGBTQ+ specific support groups offered by the Stone Center.

OFFICE OF STUDENT SUCCESS

The Office of Student Success (OSS) was established to enhance and expand the support that is available to first-generation, underrepresented and underserved students at Wellesley College. This is done in partnership with other units on campus, including but not limited to: The Office of Intercultural Education, Class Deans, Career Education, Student Wellness, Stone Center, Office of LGBTQ+ Programs and Services, Office of International Study, Slater International Center, and Student Financial Services. Additionally, OSS oversees the WellesleyPlus program, which provides cohort instruction, programming, mentorship, and community building for eligible first-year students, and the FLI Network, which creates opportunities throughout the academic year for all first-gen students to connect with each other, as well as with the faculty and staff that are available to support them. Students can learn more about OSS by visiting the website.

RELIGIOUS AND SPIRITUAL LIFE

The Office of Religious and Spiritual Life (ORSL) nurtures the spiritual lives of all Wellesley students through diverse religious celebrations, compassionate pastoral care, dynamic multifaith programs, and contemplative mindfulness practices. Inspired by Wellesley's historic belief that education is a spiritual as well as an intellectual journey, ORSL celebrates and affirms the diversity of religious and cultural experience of our students, both creating space for particular traditions and fostering communities for multifaith and intercultural exchange. Led by a diverse team of chaplains, students can connect to religious communities for weekly or high holy day services, seek confidential counsel and guidance from our multi faith chaplains, participate in interfaith programs, or learn new skills to foster resiliency and spiritual wellness. Students of all faith or no faith can find a home in the Office of Religious & Spiritual Life.

Houghton Chapel and the Multifaith Center (MFC) are accessible to students 24 hours a day through swipe card access. Students can walk the labyrinth in the Chapel, hang out in the gathering area, study in the library, practice mindfulness in the meditation room or pray alone or together in the prayer room.

Here you can wrestle with life's most pressing questions as you explore your own values, beliefs, and convictions. Here you can gather for fellowship and fun, explore new spiritual practices, or learn to dialogue across difference. Here you can connect to an enriching and beloved community to accompany you on your Wellesley journey. Here you can become you.



ACADEMICS AT WELLESLEY

Wellesley is dedicated to providing you with an excellent liberal arts education. Our curriculum is designed to support students as you explore and learn, and later to encourage you to work in depth in your specific field of interest.

ACADEMIC PLANNING FOR YOUR FIRST YEAR

Wellesley's liberal arts curriculum provides an incredible entry point for your intellectual growth. Your first year is the best time for you to explore the breadth of all that Wellesley has to offer, identify new subjects that are exciting to you, and solidify your interest in familiar fields. It is also the right time to develop a network of resources that will support and sustain you throughout your years at Wellesley.

Below is some basic information about academic programs and requirements to help you get started.

FIRST-YEAR WRITING COURSES

During the first year, every Wellesley student is required to take a First-Year Writing course during either the fall or spring semester. This course introduces students to the rigors of college-level writing, and each section delves into a different topic conducive to intensive writing instruction. In these Writing courses, students are able to hone their writing skills, explore new topics, develop critical thinking skills, and prepare for further college study and writing assignments.

QUANTITATIVE REASONING AND DATA LITERACY

Each first-year student must satisfy the quantitative reasoning (QR) basic skills requirement in one of two ways: by passing the QR assessment, or by completing the Quantitative Reasoning 140 course. An additional Data Literacy course, which applies quantitative reasoning skills to a specific discipline, must be completed prior to graduation.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Proficiency in a foreign language is a key component of a liberal arts education.

Wellesley requires each student to demonstrate mastery of a language up to, or beyond, the second year of college-level study. As an entering student, you will be placed into an appropriate level of foreign language study based on your prior experience, along with placement exam results.

CHOOSING COURSES FOR YOUR FIRST YEAR

The best way to take full advantage of Wellesley's academic opportunities is to vary your coursework during your first year.

As you look through the course browser for courses of interest and start to build some possible schedules, a good strategy is to consider courses with varying content and kinds of work. With so many courses to choose from, you may find this information helpful.

EXPLORE THE CURRICULUM

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DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS

During your time at Wellesley, all students are expected to complete a series of distribution requirements that exposes them to the liberal arts across the curriculum. In order to ensure that you gain insight and awareness in areas outside of your major, the College requires that you elect nine units from the three groups of distribution areas as part of the total number of units required for graduation. Students have the opportunity to take courses in a variety of disciplines, in such areas as language and literature, social and behavioral analysis, mathematical modeling and problem solving, historical studies, and natural and physical sciences. With so many courses to choose from, this is an exciting educational objective!

FIRST-YEAR SEMINARS

Wellesley offers a limited number of first-year seminars, which are optional, small, participatory classes in which first-year students work closely with a faculty member and with each other. Seminars are designed to foster the skills and habits of mind essential for intellectual inquiry at the college level. A respected member of the faculty teaches each seminar; enrollment is limited to 15 or fewer first-year students.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Wellesley students must choose a major by the end of their sophomore year, at which time they begin to focus more on courses which satisfy the requirements outlined by the applicable department or program. All students must satisfy Wellesley's multicultural requirement by taking a course that focuses on the exploration of different cultures or societies. In addition, students must take courses in physical education, and we encourage each student to complete this requirement by the end of the sophomore year. For further information about degree requirements, please visit: www.wellesley.edu/academics/theacademicprogram/requirements.

SHADOW GRADING

To encourage you to explore the curriculum and support your transition into college academics, Wellesley has a shadow grading policy for students in their first semester. You will receive grades and other feedback in your first semester courses, and you should use those to learn about Wellesley's academic standards and your own abilities and interests. These grades are not reported on your official transcript, however, and will not be released outside of the College. This practice frees you to take some risks during your first semester, to focus on what you are learning in your courses, and to develop effective study skills and practices.

COURSE PLACEMENT

As an entering student, you may find that you can begin some of your coursework above an introductory level based on previous preparation, including credit earned through advanced placement exams and prior college-level courses. When it comes time to choose your courses, it is important to choose those that will build upon your previous study, and not to repeat material you have already mastered.

TAKING PLACEMENT EXAMS

Placement examinations are used to determine your proficiency in a particular subject and to identify the appropriate level of course work for you. Through the Entering Student Checklist, you will have the opportunity to take the placement exams listed below. All exams are offered online.

All students must complete the Quantitative Reasoning Assessment.

To help you prepare for this assessment, a QR study booklet is available online at www.wellesley.edu/qr/qr-assessment-study-packet.

Additional optional placement exams are available in the following subjects: Music, Physics, Chemistry, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Latin, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT, INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, A-LEVELS OR OTHER INTERNATIONAL EXAMS

A maximum of four units from AP or IB examinations can be applied toward the Wellesley degree. You will be awarded credit after your first year, provided you have not taken an equivalent course at Wellesley. You will earn one unit of credit if you have earned a score of 5 on an AP examination of the College Entrance Examination Board (two units of credit will be given for a score of 4 or 5 on the Mathematics BC examination and one unit for a score of 4 or 5 on Mathematics AB or AB sub-score on Mathematics BC examination). You may also be eligible to receive credit for International Baccalaureate, A-level, or other international exams. For more detailed information about Wellesley College guidelines on awarding credit for AP and IB exams, please visit www.wellesley.edu/registrar.

TRANSFER CREDITS

If you have successfully completed college coursework at a different institution before coming to Wellesley, and it did not appear on your high school transcript, you may be eligible to earn some credit toward the Wellesley degree. Credit for college-level work completed during high school will be granted only if the course does not appear on your high school transcript and if it meets our criteria for transfer credit. Information about transfer of college credit toward the Wellesley degree once a student is enrolled can be obtained from the Registrar or the Class Deans' office.

International students who have attended another college or university before matriculating at Wellesley have until the end of the first year to decide whether to accept advanced standing by transferring credit from the prior institution(s).

Entering Davis Scholars and transfer students should consult a Class Dean about transfer credits for previous college work, placement issues, and course selection.



CHOOSING COURSES FOR YOUR FIRST YEAR

The best way to take full advantage of Wellesley's academic opportunities is to vary your coursework during your first year.

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ACADEMIC ADVISING AND SUPPORT

In addition to providing rich academic opportunities, Wellesley is committed to broadly supporting our students' intellectual growth. All students need guidance and advice as they begin to define their academic goals and start to make choices about how they want to spend their time in college and beyond. Learning how to make these decisions independently is often as important a part of one's education as the substance of what they learn in the classroom, laboratory, and library.

To ensure that our students have early opportunities for these kinds of conversations with our faculty, each incoming student is matched with a faculty advisor. The faculty advisor's role is to be a general guide through the first semesters at Wellesley, until the student has defined their interests specifically enough to choose a major (and a major advisor in their field). The faculty advisor is one person in an important network of advising resources, including Orientation Mentors, Academic Success Coaches, the Class Deans, and other members of the faculty and staff.

OFFICE OF THE CLASS DEANS

The Dean of First-Year Students is responsible for coordinating all first-year students' general advising needs. The Office of the Dean of First-Year Students coordinates advising resources for first-year students, including the Orientation Mentor Program and New Student Orientation. The Dean meets with students daily throughout the academic year regarding the academic, social, and personal issues arising from the transition from high school to college. After the first year at Wellesley, students are guided by one class dean, from the beginning of their sophomore year through graduation. Class Deans work collaboratively with faculty and staff across campus to support individual student needs and objectives. For more information, please visit: www.wellesley.edu/advising/fydean. You may contact the Dean at 781.283.2327.

PFORZHEIMER LEARNING AND TEACHING CENTER [PLTC]

Located on the third floor of Clapp Library, the PLTC provides many resources to help students take full advantage of Wellesley's educational opportunities and realize their academic potential.

At the PLTC, students can develop strong study habits and learning strategies to improve the way they navigate course material. There are several types of tutors available to students through the PLTC. Among them are the residence-hall based Academic Success Coaches (ASCs), who help with time management, academic planning, resource referrals, etc.; content tutors who provide both one-to-one tutoring, as well as group tutoring support; Supplemental Instruction (SI) leaders who conduct regularly scheduled study and review sessions for specific course sections; and public speaking tutors. Wellesley students do not incur any additional costs for these services. For more information, please visit www.wellesley.edu/pltc.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Wellesley is committed to providing students who have disabilities the access and support they need to achieve their academic potential and to participate fully in Wellesley's activities. The Office of Accessibility and Disability Resources works with the entire campus community: from applicants and prospective students to lifelong staff members, faculty, alumnae, and visitors for special events. They also work collaboratively with many offices on campus, including but not limited to, the Health Service, the Counseling Service, and the PLTC.

Students with all types of disabilities (including physical, medical, chronic health, food allergies, mental health, learning disabilities, temporary injuries, etc) who are interested in developing a plan for obtaining access to programs and services, or to requesting reasonable accommodations should contact accessibility@wellesley.edu (or 781-283-1300). Students may also go directly to the online system, AIM, to fill out a registration form and upload documentation. (If you need to upload your documentation at a later point in time, you may do so.) You will receive an email inviting you to meet to go over your request. This form is also available on your Entering Student Checklist.

CAREER EDUCATION

Located on the 4th floor of Green Hall, Career Education equips and empowers Wellesley students and graduates to engage, personally and professionally, in an ever-changing world with a keen awareness of self, an expansive sense of possibility, and the confidence in their abilities to make decisions, build connections, and pursue a life of purpose.

Starting day one, all Wellesley students are assigned an Advisor for Career Exploration (ACE) based on their class year who stays with them through graduation to help them explore their values, strengths, and skills in relation to their interests. Students can also work with Career Advisors and staff in regards to opportunities in specific industries and fields of interest, fellowships and scholarships, civic engagement, and Wellesley-funded internships. As a lifelong service, Career Education is here for students from Orientation through graduation and beyond. For more information, visit: www.wellesley.edu/careereducation or email careereducation@wellesley.edu.

CAMPUS TECH

Our friendly staff members in Library and Technology Services are eager to meet you and support you in all matters related to the use of Library Resources and various technologies in support of learning and research at the College.

Your new Domain Account username and a default password were emailed to you in May, to the personal email address you provided to us. We also asked that you immediately change it to a hard to guess password by visiting: reset.wellesley.edu. If you have not done so, do this immediately. It is this username and password that you will use to access everything mentioned below.

Please read the following sections carefully. Stay tuned! We will be in touch with you again in July to provide interesting insights into the services we provide and how you can take advantage of them.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Technical support staff and highly trained students provide support, troubleshooting, training, and academic project support for students through the LTS Helpdesk. You can reach them by sending an email to helpdesk@wellesley.edu or by calling 781.283.7777. You can also visit the Helpdesk on the 2nd floor of Clapp Library. You can also borrow video cameras, audio recorders and other equipment, digitize and edit audio and video in the Knapp Center on the first floor. Also, all libraries (Clapp, Art and Music) have scanners. More information can be found on the LTS Help website at: www.wellesley.edu/lts/helppage.

LIBRARY SERVICES AND RESOURCES

Wellesley has three libraries: Clapp, Art and Music. Clapp Library holds the majority of our collections, and also houses Special Collections, Archives, the Book Arts Lab, the Knapp Multimedia Center and Makerspace, as well as the Helpdesk, some classrooms, and offices for most LTS staff.

You can get help finding or borrowing materials, and research assistance from librarians by contacting askus@wellesley.edu, coming to the service desk at any of the libraries, or by calling x2166.

WORKDAY

We are sure that you have already accessed Workday. This is an important system that you will be using over the course of your time at the College. You will access Workday from the My Wellesley portal (see below) and use it for several functions. Some of the initial functions that you will use this for are:

- Complete the entering student checklist
- Maintain your personal information and emergency contact information
- Provide information for bill payment (by designating third party payers)
- Register for classes

Any questions, email workday@wellesley.edu. Also review [this document](#) for detailed instructions on using the various functions in Workday.

MYWELLESLEY PORTAL

MyWellesley Portal is the gateway to many of the resources that you will need during your time at the College. You can access Gmail, Workday, Course Browser etc easily with one click on the icons in the top right corners. You will also find links to other important forms and applications either from Student Self Service or Administrivia tabs.

You can access MyWellesley portal at: portal.wellesley.edu. Log into it regularly and familiarize yourself with the links there since this will be how you will be directed to access various services.

GOOGLE WORKSPACE FOR EDUCATION

Wellesley uses Google Workspace for Education for email, calendaring, collaboration through documents, groups, and sites. If you have used Gmail before, the features available through this will be familiar. Your email address will be your Wellesley Domain username@wellesley.edu. You also get additional

email aliases based on your full name and preferred name. When you are logged into Wellesley's Gmail, click on the gear on the right top and choose **See all Settings** and then **Accounts**. You will see a section **"Send mail as"** where you will see all your email aliases. You can access Google Workspace through the MyWellesley portal or by visiting: mail.wellesley.edu.

PROTECT YOURSELF

Start building good security habits now—beware of emails or other websites asking for your personal information; do not share your username and password with anyone. Learn more about our security best practices by visiting: www.wellesley.edu/lts/techsupport/security.

You will likely receive emails pretending to come from members of the Wellesley community offering you jobs or asking you for money urgently etc. **Always examine the email address where these requests are coming from.** Never respond to such emails immediately without independently verifying that it is legitimate—reach out to the Helpdesk when in doubt! Act on the advice you receive from the Helpdesk.

BRING A COMPUTER TO CAMPUS

We strongly recommend that you bring your own laptop to help ensure your success as a Wellesley student. By doing so, you will be able to take advantage of the secure wireless network access available in all campus buildings, including the residence halls. If you are unable to afford a laptop, please reach out to your class dean. Computing workstations and printers are also available in several locations, while high-end laboratories provide opportunities for developing skills with advanced software.

You can view the current computer and software recommendations and options on our Purchasing Guide website at: www.wellesley.edu/lts/purchaseguide.





YOUR STUDENT ACCOUNT AND FINANCIAL AID

Student Financial Services (SFS) works with students and families in all areas of financing your Wellesley education including student accounts, educational financing (monthly payment plans and student and parent loans), and financial aid.

BILLING NOTIFICATIONS

Fall semester billing notifications are sent in early July and are due August 5. In early December, you will receive a billing notification for the Spring semester, with payment due by January 3, 2023. Billing notifications will be issued in any month when there is a balance due on your account or any month with account activity. All notifications are sent directly to students and any registered third party user (TPU) on their account. Instructions for setting up a TPU are available on the Student Self-Service tab in MyWellesley.

PAYMENT

You can pay by check or credit card online, by wire transfer, or sign up for a monthly payment plan through Nelnet. Timely resolution of your balance is important, as it allows you to focus on starting the semester being fully engaged in the Wellesley experience, not concerned about your student account. Consequences of late payment may include late fees and the loss of, or inability to, register for classes, participate in the housing selection process, have official transcripts sent, and obtain your diploma at graduation. Please carefully review the billing and payment information letter that was sent to you in May or visit the SFS website for more information about Wellesley's payment policy.

OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIPS

Outside scholarships must be reported to SFS via the outside scholarship reporting tool on the Financial Services tab of your MyWellesley portal. Once your scholarship is reported, it will be added as an anticipated resource to reduce the balance due on your student account. Please note, outside scholarships are divided between the fall and spring semester unless the provider tells SFS that a scholarship is for one semester only.

FINANCIAL AID?

Grants and loans from Wellesley College are credited to your account in two installments, one each semester, approximately ten days before the start of classes. Students should monitor their student account and confirm that all financial aid is disbursed (or paid) and reach out to SFS with any questions. If you have work-study as part of your financial aid offer, it is important to realize that your work-study is not credited to your student account. Students are responsible for finding employment and applying directly for jobs they are interested in (student jobs are not guaranteed). Students are paid directly for the hours they work and typically use this money to pay for books, personal expenses, and travel home.

STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE

Health insurance is mandatory in Massachusetts. All students are charged for insurance each fall. You may request to waive this charge if you are covered under a comparable plan. SFS provides information and a link to an online waiver through our website. You will be prompted in the Entering Student Checklist to provide information regarding your insurance coverage and needs. The insurance waiver must be completed every year to comply with state law. If you do not have comparable health insurance, you must remain enrolled in the college health insurance policy.

ADDITIONAL PAPERWORK

Sometimes SFS needs additional information to disburse (or pay) some of your financial aid. SFS will communicate with you regularly regarding outstanding requirements; it's important that you do not ignore our communications. Student loans, for example, require entrance counseling, the review of required disclosures, and the student's signature on a loan promissory note (a promise of repayment).

CONTINUED ELIGIBILITY

Students are required to reapply for financial aid each year, to determine your eligibility for need-based financial aid. SFS will send you information on the renewal process.



PARENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

The Office of Parent & Family Programs would like to welcome you to Wellesley! The Office serves as your point of contact for questions about resources available to your student.

To keep you informed of campus events and important dates and deadlines, the Parents Office emails a monthly newsletter to all families from August through June. Please be sure we have your current email address as the vast majority of College communications are sent electronically. The best way to ensure we have your correct contact information is for your student to complete the Family Information Update Form in the Entering Student Checklist in the student portal.

Families are encouraged to get involved in the Wellesley community throughout the year in many ways:

- ▶ **Enjoy concerts, lectures, and other events on campus, in accordance with health and safety protocols, or via Livestream.**
- ▶ **Cheer for the Blue at sporting events, in accordance with PERA's spectator policy, or watch the competitions on YouTube.**
- ▶ **Work with Wellesley Career Education to share internship and job opportunities for students.**
- ▶ **Join us for Friends and Family Weekend on October 21-23, 2022.**

First year Wellesley College students begin to establish their independence and become their own best advocates. The Office of Parent & Family Programs is here to help you navigate College services and support your student during their time here. You can reach Lesley Robertson, Director of Parent and Family Programs, at parents@wellesley.edu or 781-283-2808.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

Some students maintain daily contact with their parents as they settle into life on campus, while others prefer to check in less frequently. Your family should develop a communication plan that is mutually satisfying, and is responsive to your student's need for independence. As a Wellesley College family, you will see your student find and create meaningful connections on campus and you may also hear about missteps and frustrations from time to time. Your student will be well supported at Wellesley and we encourage you to help them reach out and find their way to the various supports they need.

Please note that while the College welcomes parental feedback and contact, our obligation is to communicate directly with our students. Information regarding grades, personal conduct, and other student progress will not be shared with parents except in unusual circumstances, or with the explicit consent of the student.



GETTING HERE

Please refer to the [Arrival Planning Guide 2022](#), which will be distributed via email later this summer, for information on getting to Wellesley. It may be particularly helpful while planning your trip.

SHOPPING IN THE AREA

There are several shopping options nearby if you need last minute items for move-in, including Target, the Container store, Walmart, Home Goods, the Natick Mall, as well as smaller local stores in the town of Wellesley.

Please note that during orientation, the Office of Sustainability will host the Student Sustainability Move-in Sale—a student-only sale of gently used items donated by other students in the spring, such as lamps, rugs, mugs, and more, for purchase at a fraction of the retail cost.

HOTEL INFORMATION

If you plan to stay overnight in the area, the following local hotels may offer a special Wellesley College orientation rate, if you book in advance. Please note that family members may not stay on campus on move-in days, or during Orientation programming.

THE VERVE

5 miles from campus, on Route 9
1360 Worcester St.
Natick, MA 01760
508.653.8800

HAMPTON INN

5 miles from campus, off of Route 9
319 Speen St.
Natick, MA 01760
508.653.5000

MARRIOTT COURTYARD

5 miles from campus
342 Speen St.
Natick, MA 01760
508.655.6100



CONFIDENTIALITY OF STUDENT RECORDS

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) governs how all colleges protect and release information about students. The principle behind FERPA is that college students have access to the educational records schools maintain about them. According to these guidelines, certain directory information may be released to the public by the College without the student's explicit consent. At Wellesley, directory information includes identifiers such as name, class year, and College email address. Participation in officially recognized sports and activities, as well as height and weight of student athletes, may also be made public in certain circumstances. In addition, Wellesley College maintains a photo directory of students, staff, and faculty available only within the College community. Other information is released to parents or others only at a student's request or with prior notice to the student.

College policies discourage the indiscriminate release of any information about individual students. FERPA allows individual students to place limitations on the release of specific information. A student who wishes to do so must inform the Registrar in writing each year by July 1 for the following academic year. For details about how Wellesley maintains educational records and complies with FERPA, please consult a class dean or the Registrar's office. For additional information about FERPA, please visit the [college's website](#).

2022–2023 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER

Labor Day (no classes)	Monday, September 5
First day of classes, Convocation	Tuesday, September 6
Flower Sunday	Sunday, September 18
Indigenous Peoples' Day (no classes)	Monday, October 10
Fall Break (no classes)	Tuesday, October 11
Friends and Family 2022	Friday, October 21– Sunday, October 23
Tanner Conference (no classes)	Tuesday, November 15
Thanksgiving recess (no classes)	Wednesday, November 23– Friday, November 25
Classes resume	Monday, November 28
Last day of classes	Wednesday, December 14
Reading period	Thursday, December 15– Sunday, December 18
Exam period*	Monday, December 19– Thursday, December 22

WINTER SESSION Tuesday, January 3 – Friday, January 20

SPRING SEMESTER

First day of classes	Monday, January 23
Presidents' Day (no classes)	Monday, February 20
Substitute Day (Monday schedule)	Tuesday, February 21
Spring Break (no classes)	Monday, March 27– Friday, March 31
Classes resume	Monday, April 3
Patriots' Day (no classes)	Monday, April 17
Ruhlman Conference (no classes)	Wednesday, April 26
Last day of classes	Wednesday, May 3
Reading period	Thursday, May 4– Sunday, May 7
Exam period*	Monday, May 8– Thursday, May 11
Commencement	Saturday, May 20

Although many final exams are self-scheduled, students should plan on being at Wellesley for the entire exam period and make travel arrangements accordingly.

* Residence halls close for the fall semester 24 hours after the exam period ends and close for the spring semester 72 hours after the exam period ends. All students must vacate their residence halls by these times.

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