

The Financially Possible WELLESLEY COLLEGE

Practical advice and real numbers



A Wellesley Education is a TRANSFORMATIONAL INVESTMENT

Our mission is to provide an excellent liberal arts education to women who will make a difference in the world.

We offer need-based financial aid and are committed to making Wellesley accessible to students from all walks of life!

Here's how we make it affordable for you and your family!

\$200,000

Wellesley students whose total family income is less than \$200,000 with typical assets will attend the College tuition-free.

100%

Wellesley meets 100% of the calculated need for *all* students.

\$70,519

Our average grant award is \$70,519. This is money you do *not* have to repay. Nearly 60% of our current students receive financial aid.

\$0

Wellesley College is part of the College Cost Transparency initiative—there are no hidden fees you'll be charged with later and you'll know how much you're going to pay up front.

GET AN ESTIMATE!

We want all applicants to have as much information as possible as they consider applying to Wellesley College.

We encourage you to use the financial aid tools on our website to better understand your financial aid eligibility should you choose to enroll.

The Instant Net Price Estimator and the MyinTuition Quick College Cost Estimator, both developed by a Wellesley College economics professor, provide a great starting point and snapshot your eligibility. The Net Price Calculator offers a more detailed and personalized estimate. Scan the QR code to explore all three!





A PERSONALIZED FINANCIAL SERVICES EXPERIENCE

You've got a person at Wellesley College. At Wellesley, you'll have assistance from the committed staff of Student Financial Services (SFS) as you navigate the financial aid, student accounts, and educational financing paths you may take across your educational journey here at Wellesley. All students and their families have a dedicated counselor who will assist them with questions regarding financial aid or their student account. Your counselor will meet with you and your family by Zoom, phone, or in person at the Schneider Center. We look forward to assisting you from your initial application to graduation!

WHAT'S IN A WELLESLEY AWARD?

Grants

Our aid packages rely heavily on grants. They come from a range of sources: the College, the state, and the federal government. They *do not* need to be repaid.

Work Study

Students with work-study generally work 6 to 8 hours a week at a campus-based job: in the library, an administrative office, an academic department, etc.

Student Loans

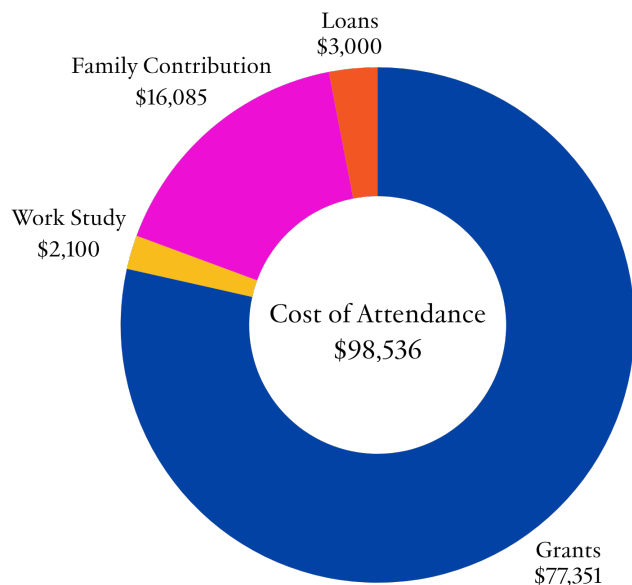
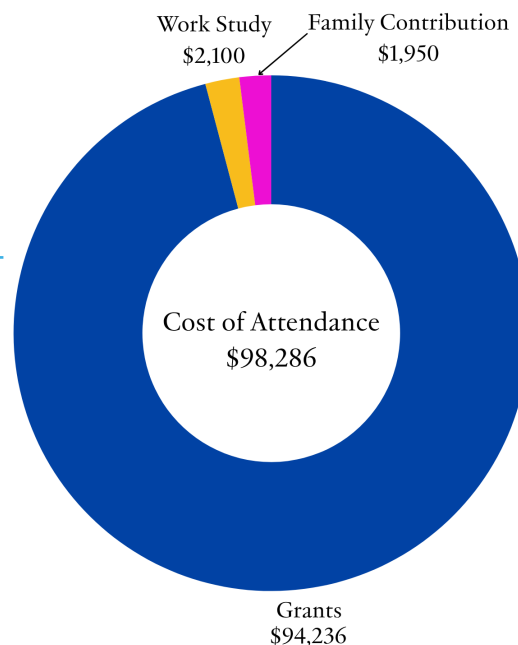
Some packages include the offer of a small loan, either from the College or the federal government. In either case, interest rates are low, repayment is deferred until after graduation, and the repayment period typically lasts 10 years.

Sample Awards

Applying for financial aid at Wellesley College is an individualized process. These samples are based on offers given to recent Wellesley families. In each sample family, both parents are employed and only one student is enrolled in an undergraduate program.

Family A

This family's total income is \$40,000. They have no assets and live in a rental apartment. The student will travel from New York.



Family B

This family's total income is \$140,000. They have \$40,000 in assets and live in a rental apartment. The student will travel from Virginia.

Questions?

Email: sfs@wellesley.edu
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Scan the QR code to find your counselor!

