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ADMISSIONS



Welcome Back from UWG Admissions!

The University of West Georgia wants to personally welcome you back to a new academic year and thank you for all your hard work helping graduating class of 2022 Go West! We hope you enjoyed your summer and we can't wait to collaborate with your school, counseling team, and students again this year.

With the new school year starting we are eager to share updates to our admission requirements, upcoming events, and important information with you!

UWG is Test-Optional for Select Students

We are excited to announce that we are waiving our SAT and ACT test requirements for first-year applicants through 2023-2024 academic year with a 3.2 GPA or higher! This group of students is no longer required to submit test scores with their application for admission. As a reminder, this GPA is calculated by our Admissions team based on only [required high school courses](#). Students who fall below this GPA may still apply with SAT or ACT scores under our [standard admissions requirements](#).



ACT On-Campus Offered at UWG

For Freshman and Dual Enrollment applicants who need to submit test scores, it's never been easier to test to go West. UWG is offering the ACT On-Campus, a special ACT test opportunity available only to UWG applicants. For a limited time, we are providing the ACT On-Campus at both our Carrollton and Newnan locations for free. Tests are available on multiple dates to fit busy student schedules. Students can [register to test at Carrollton here](#) or at [UWG Newnan here](#). *Note: Scores from the UWG ACT On-Campus are only applicable for admission at UWG and may not be submitted to any other institution.*



Go Apply! Go West!

Our application for Fall 2023 is open now! UWG's Early Action deadline is October 15. Students who apply by this deadline will get first-choice access to the housing application, giving them their first pick of building and room assignments. Early Action applicants will also receive priority recognition for scholarships. Students who are ready to Go West can [apply here!](#)

Afford West

The University of West Georgia is committed to providing a financially accessible education for our students. As part of this commitment, we have redesigned our scholarship model, creating pathways to award based on both academic achievement and financial need.

For priority scholarship consideration, Fall 2023 admitted students should [submit the FAFSA](#) by January 1, 2023. More information regarding award amounts and timelines is forthcoming!

In-state Tuition for Bordering States

Beginning Fall 2022, [UWG proud to offer in-state tuition](#) for residents of Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee! Qualifying students can now earn their UWG

degree at [nearly half the cost](#) when they Go West! For more questions about eligibility or how to apply, contact Zac Hodge at zhodge@westga.edu.



Campus Visit and Events

Our Campus Tours & Events team is eager to show off our Carrollton campus at UWG's [Fall Showcase](#) on Saturday, October 29! Fall Showcase is a chance for prospective students to go beyond a campus tour with exciting academic sessions, unique tracks, departmental information sessions, and even on-the-spot decisions. All attendees will also be invited to join us in <https://www.westga.edu/undergraduate-admissions/find-admissions-representative.php> cheering on the Wolves with a complimentary ticket to the football game! All interested students and family members are invited to attend. [RSVP](#) for this event is requested.

In addition to Fall Showcase, we are continuing to offer campus tours to all prospective students every Monday-Friday at 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM and on select Saturdays. Campus tours may also be customized with a Wolf Track, a chance to take a deeper look at a student's academic program of interest. UWG Newnan is offering tours every Monday and Thursday at 2:00 PM. Students can sign up for any of these visits at [westga.edu/visitwest](https://www.westga.edu/visitwest).

Stay in Touch

We would love to connect with you! The Office of Admissions is available at 678-839-5600 or admiss@westga.edu.

Need to get in touch with your Admissions Representative? [Find their contact information here!](#)



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