

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY

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APPLICATION FOR GRADUATE ADMISSION

FOR NONDEGREE, POST-MASTER'S AND VISITING STUDENTS

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☐ Nondegree ☐ Post-master's ☐ Visiting

For the ☐ Fall 200____ ☐ Spring 200____ ☐ Summer I 200____ ☐ Summer II 200____

Social Security Number

E-mail address

Last Name

First Name

Middle Initial

Maiden Name

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Home Telephone Number

Business Telephone Number

Date of Birth: _____

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Intended nondegree program (Applied Clinical Psychology and Educational Leadership are not open to nondegree students)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Art* | <input type="checkbox"/> Biology/Biotechnology | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Communication Disorders** |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling* | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Education | <input type="checkbox"/> English |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ESL/Bilingual | <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Media Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Music* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing* | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Policy* | <input type="checkbox"/> Reading | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sociology | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate | |

* Programs require departmental authorization to take nondegree courses.

**Students must submit official transcripts; proof of bachelor's degree is insufficient.

Are you a graduate of William Paterson? ☐ Yes ☐ No.

(If yes, your William Paterson University transcript will be obtained on your behalf.)

Ethnicity: ☐ American Indian/Alaskan ☐ Asian/ Pacific Islander ☐ Black/African American
(optional) ☐ Hispanic ☐ White ☐ Other

Are you a U.S. citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, are you a permanent resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, attach a copy of your "Green Card," Alien Registration Card.

If no, please specify your current nonimmigrant status: _____. Attach copies of I-94 and visa.

Nonimmigrant applicants are required to submit TOEFL scores and credential evaluation if degree is from outside the U.S.

F-1s and J-1s in student status are not eligible to attend William Paterson University on a nonmatriculated basis.

Have you previously applied to a William Paterson graduate program? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How did you learn about graduate studies at William Paterson University? _____

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I understand that this application is subject to the policies outlined in the graduate catalog. I also state that the answers I have given to the questions in this application are complete and true. Should any of this information be fraudulent, it may be cause for academic dismissal and/or will void this application.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

NONDEGREE

- *A graduate student who has earned a baccalaureate degree or higher and does not wish to pursue a degree program.
- *May accumulate no more than three (3) graduate courses or nine (9) graduate credits, whichever is less.
- *Proof of bachelor's degree (copy of transcript or diploma), if other than from William Paterson University, is required.

POST-MASTER'S

- *A graduate student who has earned a master's degree and wishes to undertake further graduate study.
- *May take up to thirty (30) credits.
- *Proof of a master's degree (transcript or diploma), if other than from William Paterson University, is required.

VISITING

- *A matriculated graduate student at another college/university
- *An official permission letter from the dean of the home institution to take courses at William Paterson University is required.
- *May take only those courses specified in the letter.

PLEASE NOTE:

Admission into one of these categories does not imply eligibility for matriculation or acceptance into any degree or certification program.

Students in these categories are subject to the same academic standards and policies as matriculated students.

The applied clinical psychology and educational leadership programs are not open to nondegree students.

Courses in art, communication disorders, counseling, music, and nursing are only available to nondegree students with approval of the appropriate graduate program director.

Deadline for application is the first day of each semester.

*An application fee of **\$50.00** must accompany this application.*