

You're a

*Winthrop
Eagle!*

Now What?

A Guide for Accepted Students on
How to (Officially) Make Winthrop Home





Set Up Your Winthrop E-mail

Your Winthrop e-mail serves as both your e-mail address and your username to log in to Wingspan, Winthrop's student portal. Please remember to check your Winthrop e-mail account regularly — some departments will only send messages to your Winthrop e-mail. Ready to set up your Winthrop e-mail address?

1. Log in to your application portal at apply.winthrop.edu/portalladmit.
2. Click on the yellow "E-mail Account Setup" tab.
3. Click on the "Account Creation Page" link.
4. Use your last name and the last 5 digits of your student ID number to login (*your ID number is available on you portal*).
5. Create your account.

Questions? Contact the Office of Admissions
803/323-2191 | admissions@winthrop.edu



Register for Orientation

Orientation is one of the first experiences you get on campus as a Winthrop Eagle. Orientation takes place over the summer where you will be able to register for classes, sleep in a residence hall, meet your future classmates and learn all there is about being a Winthrop Eagle. Ready to register?

1. Log in to your application portal at apply.winthrop.edu/portalladmit.
2. Click on the yellow "Orientation Registration" tab.
3. Click on the "Orientation Reservation System" link.
4. Use your student ID number and date of birth to log in.
5. Register for the session that works best for you.

Questions? Contact the Office of New Student and Family Programs
803/323-2387 | orientation@winthrop.edu

Submit the Enrollment Deposit

Once you've decided to make Winthrop your home, it's time to pay the Enrollment Deposit. All students are required to submit this deposit of \$300 by May 1, or four weeks from the date of your acceptance if you are accepted after May 1. This pre-payment reserves a space for you at Winthrop and is credited toward your first semester fees. You can contact your admissions counselor or the Cashiers Office if you have any questions. The enrollment deposit can be paid by:



Credit card payment submitted online using Wingspan. Winthrop accepts all major credit cards. Credit card payments are subject to a 2.75% convenience fee.

Ready to pay?

1. Log in to Wingspan using your Winthrop e-mail and password.
2. Click the "**Account Summary and Payment Gateway**" link on the Wingspan home tab.
3. Click "**View Statements and Make Payment.**"
4. Ignore the current balance and click "**Make Payment.**"
5. Select "**Current Account Balance**" and enter \$300 in the box to the right.
6. Click "**Continue**" to enter your payment information.

NOTE:

- You do *not* have to submit the enrollment deposit before applying for housing or registering for Orientation.
- Outside scholarships cannot be used to pay the enrollment deposit.
- To pay by check, mail your enrollment deposit with your student ID number to the Cashiers Office (22 Tillman Hall, Rock Hill, SC 29733).

Questions? Contact the Cashiers Office
803/323-2167 | cashiersoffice@winthrop.edu



Confirm South Carolina Residency *(if applicable)*

Classification as a resident for tuition payment purposes is *not* based upon your address. If you live in South Carolina, you should review your residency status and submit the appropriate form, if required. Your eligibility for a Winthrop scholarship or South Carolina HOPE or LIFE scholarship (if applicable) cannot be confirmed if a decision on your residency status has not been rendered. To complete your South Carolina residency form:

1. Log in to your application portal at apply.winthrop.edu/portal/admit.
2. Look under the **forms section**.
3. Click on the **"SC Residency Form"** to begin.
4. Fill out the form (*Many questions are about your family's tax filing status. Be sure to have the correct information handy!*).
5. Click **"Submit"** at the bottom.

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Apply for Financial Aid

Apply for financial aid any time after October 1 at [FAFSA.gov](https://fafsa.gov). The priority deadline is February 1. You must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in order to be considered for certain federal and state financial aid programs. You and your parents can request a PIN that will be issued to sign the form.

When submitting the FAFSA, use Winthrop's code: **003456**. Financial aid packages are typically released in late March and will be posted to **Wingspan**.

Questions? Contact the Office of Financial Aid
803/323-2189 | finaid@winthrop.edu

Apply for Housing

Winthrop University believes that residing on campus results in the full immersion of students into the campus community and increases their chances of success. All first- and second-year students are required to live on campus. Only those with parents or legal guardians living within 50 miles of campus may elect to live at home (see winthrop.edu/reslife for exemption form).

A housing packet describing your residence hall options, academic success communities and meal plans will be mailed to you. The packet contains your housing application instructions. The housing application is accessible through the “**Eaglenest Housing**” link in Wingspan. Ready to apply for housing?

1. Log in to Wingspan with your Winthrop e-mail and password.
2. Click on the “**Eaglenest Housing**” link under the “**Student Tool**” section to the left.
3. Click on “**New Student Housing Application and Residence Hall Contract**” under the “**Newly Admitted Students**” section.
4. Fill out each page and click “**Next Step**” to move to the next page.

NOTE:

- Students will receive housing and roommate assignments in late July.
- You do *not* need to submit the enrollment deposit before applying for housing.
- The housing packet will have more information regarding each residence hall.

Questions? Contact Residence Life
803/323-2223 | residencelife@winthrop.edu



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YOUR NEW HOME!





Complete Immunization Form

Immunizations are an important part of college community health. Not only do they protect you, but they also protect your fellow students, family, faculty and staff. All on-campus students must satisfy all immunization requirements by the first day of classes or a non-refundable \$50 Non-Compliance Fee will be applied to your student account. To avoid this fee:

1. Create a Patient Portal account at patient-winthrop.medicatconnect.com.
2. Complete the required forms, enter your immunization dates, and upload your immunization documentation (*Paper forms will NOT be accepted*).

Winthrop University Health Services can provide anything you need to meet your immunization requirement for a nominal fee.

Questions? Contact Health and Counseling Services
803/323-2206 | Fax: 803/323-3332



Request for Accessibility Accommodations *(if applicable)*

Winthrop is committed to providing students with disabilities an equal opportunity to participate fully in their educational experience by facilitating accommodations, discourse, and engagement. We can make classroom or residence hall accommodations for students with a documented disability.

Accommodations are provided on a semester-by-semester basis and are provided only when requested. To be eligible for services, you must provide relevant and current documentation of your disability to the Office of Accessibility.

Questions? Contact the Office of Accessibility
803/323-3290 | accessibility@winthrop.edu



Send Final Transcripts

After graduation you must have your high school send an official final high school transcript to Winthrop's Office of Admissions. The transcript must show your graduation date, final GPA and class rank (if applicable).

If you took any college courses while in high school, you must request that an official final college transcript be sent to the Office of Admissions. You should do this as soon as you complete the course so that credit can be entered prior to attending Orientation.

NOTE:

- The Office of Admissions cannot accept an unofficial final high school or college transcript. An official final transcript *must* be sent directly from your high school or college.

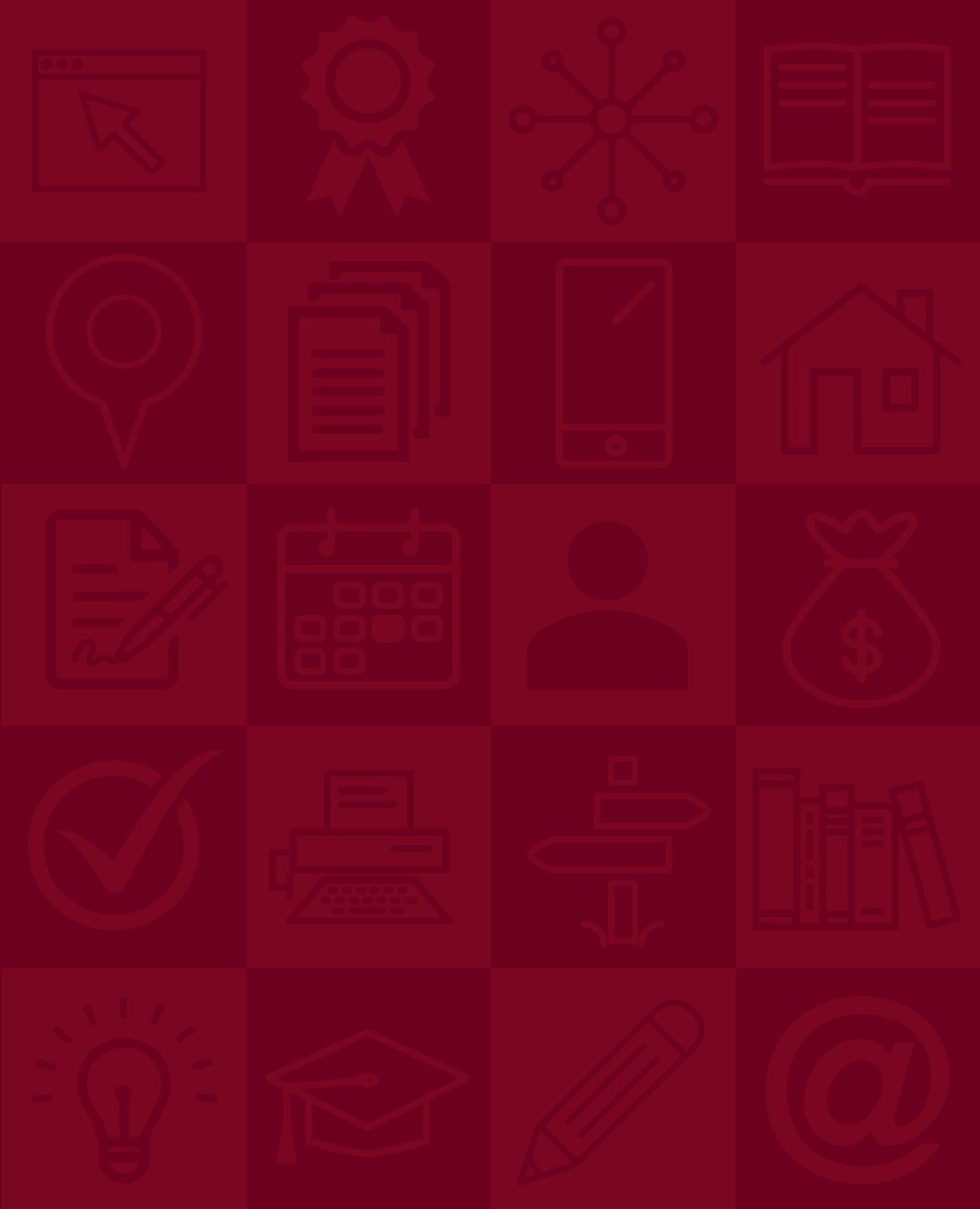
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Do a Happy Dance!

We know how stressful transitioning into college can be, so that's why we think you should dance it out once you have completed all these steps! Plus, successfully completing these steps means that you are **OFFICIALLY** enrolled as a Winthrop Eagle — and that deserves some celebration. Tag @WinthropAdmissions in your Instagram stories and posts!





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