



THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

A 'one-stop shop' to apply to live at a UWA Residential College

All students wishing to apply to live at a UWA Residential College will now apply through the UWA Residential Colleges Application Portal.

This central online portal makes the application process much easier for new students wanting to live on campus at one of the five UWA residential colleges – St Catherine's College, St George's College, St Thomas More College, Trinity or University Hall.

Students will now apply to live on campus through the UWA Residential Colleges Application Portal. They need to only apply once to be considered by all colleges.

The portal asks students various questions about themselves along with which college they would most like to live in. Each college has its own distinct culture and students should visit the individual college websites to decide which college best suits their needs and budget.

Living on *College Row* offers students a world class living and learning environment by providing academic support; a full calendar of sporting, cultural and social events; leadership opportunities; and, fantastic facilities in a warm and welcoming home away from home.

The Process

- Student completes their online application and pays the one-off registration fee of \$125. (There are no longer application fees at the individual colleges.)
- Application is automatically sent to the college listed as the student's first preference.
- The college will contact the student asking them to complete any further information that is related to their placement for that specific college. If the student meets the college's criteria, they will receive their offer from that college.
- If the student is not offered their first preference, the portal will automatically send their application to their next highest preference. The portal will continue to do this until it has exhausted all five of the student's preferences.
- In the situation where a student does not receive a residential college offer, their application will be returned to a central waitlist.

Who

The UWA Residential Colleges Application Portal is for new students wishing to live on campus only. Returning college students will apply directly to their college.

Timeframes

Students can apply now through the portal.

Semester 2, 2015 applications will be assessed from 15 May 2015 at which time a college has a maximum of 14 days to assess a student's application.

Semester 1, 2016 applications will be assessed from 15 October 2015 and colleges will again have 14 days to assess the student's application.

Why

The UWA Residential Colleges Application Portal ensures that all applicants are offered residency in a fair and orderly manner according to the applicant's order of preferences.

Further Information

For further information regarding the process, please contact UWA Residential Colleges Admissions Officer, Danica van de Velde, at residentialcolleges@uwa.edu.au or phone +61 8 9488 0920.