

TIMELINE

DIRECT ADMIT WISCONSIN



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JUNIOR YEAR

PREPARE & LEARN

Students can:

- Learn about Direct Admit.
- Decide if they want to participate.
- Ensure they meet eligibility criteria.
- Explore UWs with the Find Your UW online tool as well as campus visits.

OPT-IN TO DIRECT ADMIT

May 1: Deadline for parents/guardians to confirm opt-in or opt-out status.

High school counselors are point of contact on school processes.

SUMMER

ACADEMIC RECORDS SENT BY HIGH SCHOOLS

June-July (or September)

- High schools provide academic records of opted-in students to the Universities of Wisconsin.

DIRECT ADMIT OFFER LETTERS SENT

Early August (or October*)

Direct Admit offers from UWs are listed together in one letter to the student from the Universities of Wisconsin, sent by email and mail.

August 1: Universities of Wisconsin Admission Pathway Portal opens (where students can complete the Direct Admit form as well as submit Traditional Applications)

**Most offer letters are sent in early August, but some are sent in October depending on when the high school transmits academic records.*

SENIOR YEAR

EXPLORE OPTIONS

Students watch for communication from the UWs to which they have been admitted on academics, campus visits, housing, and more.

STUDENTS COMPLETE DIRECT ADMIT FORM

Tells the UWs to which they have been admitted that they are interested and want to learn more.

By November: Recommended submission deadline.

May 1: Final submission deadline.

OPTIONAL: SUBMIT TRADITIONAL APPLICATION

If students did not receive a Direct Admit offer from a preferred UW, or if that UW does not participate in Direct Admit.

RECOMMENDED: FAFSA

Students complete the FAFSA to help UWs offer them the best financial aid package.

STUDENTS CHOOSE A UW

Complete enrollment steps with the UW of their choice by that UW's deadline.