



Admission Requirements

Home schooled students will be considered for admission to the University of Winnipeg on an individual basis. Each applicant must provide proof of completion of Grade 12, or its equivalent; including Mathematics and English.

Documents required for admission assessment:

1. The **Confirmation of Notification letter** from Manitoba Education, Homeschooling Office.
2. **A Portfolio** of completed courses and the curriculum for each Grade 12 course. The portfolio should include the following:
Grade 12 Course Outlines/Syllabi – which would include the following information:
 - a. Course Name/Title and Academic Level (i.e. grade 12)
 - b. Course description, objectives and topics covered
 - c. Textbooks: titles with author's name and publisher
 - d. Other assigned reading (journals, articles, etc.)
 - e. Evaluation methodology (how was the course graded? Grading Scale used)
 - f. List of assignments, term tests, and final examinations
3. **Writing Samples** - Minimum of three – Essays, Poetry, Research Papers
4. A **Homeschool transcript** (prepared and signed by the primary educator) outlining the Grade 12 level courses completed.
And/Or:
Department of Education final mark statement and graduation certificate (Independent Study Option) – Students who hold the Senior Years Diploma may qualify for Regular Status Admission (see the Admission Requirements for [Manitoba High School Student's](#)).
5. **Optional - not required:** Scores for Standardized Tests such as SATs, ACTs, the CAAT (Canadian Adult Achievement Test) or Manitoba Provincial Examination results.

An interview may be scheduled to discuss qualifications and proposed program of study.

Conditions of Admission

Successful applicants will be accepted under “*Home School*” Status, which will allow them to do first year university studies.

After the Home School Status student has completed a minimum of 18 credit hours of course work, or at the end of the first academic year, whichever occurs first, the student will be evaluated in accordance with the University of Winnipeg's [Minimum Performance Table](#) and the student's status will be changed accordingly.

Mature Access Status and Mature Status Admission

Homeschooled students who do not meet the admission requirements as outlined above may be considered for Mature Access Status or Mature prerequisite Status Admission. Students entering University under Mature Access Status or Mature Status must be 21 years of age or older and meet the Admission Requirements. More information visit www.uwinnipeg.ca (Proof of Age documentation required)

Prerequisites for University of Winnipeg courses

Some University of Winnipeg courses require students to have successfully completed a particular Manitoba high school course before they can register for a specific university course. This is known as a prerequisite.

Homeschooled students who do not hold the necessary Manitoba high school credits will be required to submit a detailed portfolio of their coursework (including textbooks and curriculum used) for consideration by individual departments. The department may choose to give a prerequisite waiver based on high school coursework completed. If a prerequisite waiver is not provided, the student will need to upgrade his or her school credentials before taking courses for which there is a high school prerequisite.

Scholarships

Homeschooled applicants who qualify for admission with a Manitoba Grade 12 Diploma are welcome to apply for University of Winnipeg Entrance Awards. The [2021-22 Entrance Awards online](#) application is due March 1st.

If you submit a complete application for admission, including application fee payment, by March 1, 2021 you will automatically be considered for our [Special Entrance Scholarship](#) program.

Home schooled students that miss the deadlines for Entrance Award consideration can apply for [In-Course Awards](#). For more information on these award programs, visit the Awards and Financial Aid website: www.uwinnipeg.ca/awards

For More Information

For more information on the admission of homeschooled students, contact our Admission Office at 204.786.9159 or admissions@uwinnipeg.ca.

To schedule a personalized Campus Tour, please contact Student Recruitment at 204.786.9844 or welcome@uwinnipeg.ca

Visit our student welcome site at <https://www.uwinnipeg.ca/future-student/index.html>