

# WHEATON COLLEGE Parent Prayer Card

*Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.*

*1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NIV*

*We invite you to join Wheaton families around the world in praying for Wheaton College through the month. We depend on your prayers as we seek to relate Christian liberal arts education to the needs of contemporary society.*

- 1. Wheaton College:** that the community will remain true to Christ and His Kingdom.
- 2. Students:** that each one will grow in knowledge, faith, and wisdom.
- 3. President Philip Ryken:** that God will grant wisdom and spiritual encouragement as he leads the College community.
- 4. Board of Trustees:** that they will have wisdom and insight as they determine policy and provide direction for the College.
- 5. Vice Presidents and Deans:** that they will be good stewards of time, talent, and energy as they manage the affairs of the College, encourage their employees, and administer policies and programs.
- 6. Faculty:** that they will continually grow in their learning and the care with which they impart it.
- 7. College Staff:** that they will be satisfied and challenged in their work and enjoy opportunities to encourage students.
- 8. Student Leaders:** that their skills and leadership will grow as they serve the campus and fellow students.
- 9. International Students and Missionary Kids:** that they will find their place in relation to American culture and make new friends.
- 10. First Generation Students and Families:** that students and parents feel encouraged and supported, and that the college experience will bind the family together.
- 11. Residence Life:** that resident directors and resident assistants will have wisdom to ascertain the needs of students in residence halls and outside the classroom.
- 12. Chaplain's Office and Chapel Program:** that the chapel program will nurture students' commitment to corporate worship and spiritual growth.
- 13. Office of Christian Outreach:** that our students' faith and learning will grow through the experience of sharing Christ in local communities and around the world.
- 14. Office of Multicultural Development:** that all students will embrace and pursue every culture's contribution to the Body of Christ.
- 15. Center for Vocation and Career:** that students' vocational direction will come to life during their time at Wheaton through the mentoring, networking, and skills development offered here.

16. **Student Activities Office:** that clubs and events will unite our students in creativity, service, and friendship.
17. **Student Care Services:** that students will continue to develop good habits of physical and emotional health and be strengthened by the care they receive.
18. **Athletic Teams:** that they will experience spiritual growth through sports, and share the love of Christ through action and words.
19. **Summer Ministries:** for students who travel to various parts of the world and share the Gospel through Student Ministry Partners, Youth Hostel Ministries, and Global Urban Perspectives.
20. **Student Choral and Instrumental Groups:** that their music will lift hearts to God as they perform locally, nationally, and internationally.
21. **Summer and Off-Campus Study Programs:** that students will gain wisdom and insight about God's world and grow spiritually through these experiences.
22. **College and Student Publications:** that Wheaton magazine and student-run publications such as Tower, Kodon, and The Record will be used to honor the Lord in communicating news about Wheaton.
23. **Wheaton's Outdoor Center for Leadership at HoneyRock and the Science Station in the Black Hills:** that these satellite campuses will continue to grow as dynamic places of hands-on learning from a Christian perspective.
24. **Global and Experiential Learning Programs (GEL):** that students' commitment to God's kingdom will widen and deepen through cross-cultural learning experiences.
25. **Campus Safety:** that Public Safety personnel serve and protect the campus community well and that God's hand of protection would cover the entire campus.
26. **Prospective Students and Families:** that they will sense God's leading and provision for their future.
27. **Area Churches:** that their ministries will utilize and enhance students' commitment to the global and local church.
28. **Fellow Parents:** that God will richly satisfy and renew all parents as they enter a different season of life and support their student's launch into adulthood.
29. **Student Financial Needs:** that no one will have to leave school due to financial hardship, and that God's people will continue to support His work at Wheaton.
30. **Young Alumni:** that recent graduates will be encouraged by the faithfulness of God and the learning received at Wheaton as they look for employment and make early adulthood decisions.
31. **Wheaton Alumni around the World:** that Wheaton graduates will be bold witnesses to the gospel of Jesus Christ in their community and professional worlds.

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