



Dear Students:

Welcome to Northwestern College. Please read the below information regarding your Student Account.

You will find a statement of your account at Northwestern College on your MyNWC under the Billing Information tab for the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of the 2020-2021 school year, according to your preregistration.

***Everyone must make payment in full by August 1<sup>st</sup> unless you are signed up on a monthly payment plan. Please make your payment on time to avoid any difficulty in completing the registration process, and to secure your spot in classes.*** In order to apply for the payment plan, click on the Billing Information tab, and then "Payment Plan" on the left hand side to read information regarding the plan and to get signed up. Anyone on a monthly payment plan will have their first payment automatically withdrawn on **July 25**.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Students may access their account balance and view a statement of account online at any time through MyNWC by clicking on the "billing information" tab. Additionally, parents are able to view the student's bill by visiting [www.my.nwciowa.edu](http://www.my.nwciowa.edu), clicking on the Billing Information tab, and then clicking "Make Online Payment" on the left hand side. Here you are able to see the statement as well as make an online payment. If you would like a paper copy of your bill, there is an option to print out a copy. **Secure payments may be made online through e-check/ACH (no fees) or credit card (2.75% credit card processing fee applies).**

Your accepted financial aid awards are shown on the enclosed statement and have reduced your balance due. If you haven't accepted your financial aid awards, then this amount has not been deducted from your account balance. ***If the Financial Aid Office has not received your required paperwork, you must be prepared to pay the full amount due by other means.*** Please refer to the Applying for Loans document for directions on how to complete loan applications.

Students receiving a Stafford Loan, Parent Plus Loan, or other private loan must be prepared to pay the full amount due if the loan application has not been filed online or received by the Financial Aid Office and isn't reflected on your statement. **Please contact the Financial Aid office at [finaid@nwciowa.edu](mailto:finaid@nwciowa.edu) or (712) 707-7132 if you have questions regarding any of these loans.**

As in the past, undergraduate students whose parent's address is outside of the U.S., are required to prove insurability while in the U.S.A. To help you with the process, Kevin McMahan can provide options for you to consider to meet this requirement. Kevin can be reached at: [kmcmahan@nwciowa.edu](mailto:kmcmahan@nwciowa.edu) or (712) 707-7016.

We hope this information will be helpful to you, and knowing what is expected of you, as you begin to plan for the semester. If you have questions, please call (712) 707-7125 and speak with Mariah McKinney.

I am confident that you will find the Northwestern College experience to be all you have hoped and worked for.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kent Wiersema".

Kent Wiersema

Vice President for Finance and Operations