

# Westwood College

Westwood was accredited by ACICS. The campus ceased enrolling new students on November 11, 2015. In late January, Westwood College notified its students, faculty, and staff that the January 2016 term would be the last term taught by Westwood College. Westwood College officially closed on March 8, 2016.

## **Transcripts:**

To request a transcript, Westwood students can email <https://www.parchment.com/u/registration/45424/account> to set up an account. Information is also listed on the institution's website at [www.westwood.edu](http://www.westwood.edu) – select *How to Obtain a Transcript*.

For Tech Support for Transcripts, please go to [support.parchment.com](http://support.parchment.com) where you can search our Help Center for answers to questions. Or [email us](mailto:email@westwood.edu) and a member of our support team will get back to you right away.

## **Employment Verification:**

For employment verifications, please contact Inverify  
Telephone: 866-295-7363 Fax: 720-358-2700

## **Questions for Westwood College:**

To address additional questions, Westwood has a hotline at 877.553.7010 or a website at <http://www.westwood.edu/>

## **Closure Letter:**

To obtain a copy of the official closure letter, please visit <http://www.westwood.edu/> and select *Official Campus Closure Letters*.

## **General Financial Aid or MAP Funding Questions:**

Please contact the Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) at [isac.studentservices@isac.illinois.gov](mailto:isac.studentservices@isac.illinois.gov) or call 1.800.899.ISAC (4722) from 8-5 CT for assistance.

## **Federal Student Loan Repayment Questions:**

Please contact the Department of Education for additional federal student loan questions:

**Commonly Asked Questions:** <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/contact>

**Repayment Questions:** <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/repay-loans>

## **Federal Loan Forgiveness:**

**IMPORANT NOTE:** Visit the link below to evaluate your eligibility for discharge of Federal Direct Loans, Federal Family Education Loans (FFEL) Program loans, or Federal Perkins Loans. This information **does not apply to non-federal student loans**. Please contact your lenders directly to see your options and understand your repayment obligations: <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/repay-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/closed-school>.

**Resolving Disputes:** <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/repay-loans/disputes>

## **Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools ACICS Contact (Teach Out Plans):**

<http://www.acics.org/contact/content.aspx?id=1438>

## **Filing Complaints:**

There are several avenues for filing a complaint. To file a complaint with the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE), the student must first follow the institution's complaint process. Once you have completed the institution's complaint process and you feel that it needs additional attention, [a formal complaint can be filed here with IBHE](#). Through that process, IBHE staff will work with the institution to determine the best means for resolving your concern. **Please note that the IBHE does not handle complaints or answer questions regarding financial aid, student loans, etc.**

For complaints for the Illinois Attorney General's Office, click on this link: [Illinois Attorney General's Office](#).

**General Questions for the Illinois Board of Higher Education:** Please email [info@ibhe.org](mailto:info@ibhe.org).