

# Brand Guidelines



Marywood  
UNIVERSITY

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# Find *more* at Marywood

A brand is the experience of a product, a company, or, in our case, an institution of higher learning. It's what people think of us. Marywood's brand is our reputation, our story, and our traditions, lived out through those who have experienced our University. Marywood's brand reflects the charism of the IHM Sisters. It's perhaps best understood through our core values:

## Catholic Identity

The pursuit of truth, goodness, beauty, justice, and the common good within the context of the Catholic faith tradition and in dialogue and service with persons of diverse faiths and worldviews.

## Respect

Honoring the uniqueness and dignity of each humanperson; demonstrating ethical and just interactions; and caring for the earth and all creation through a commitment to sustainability.

## Empowerment

Access to education that enables all to achieve their full potential to live as conscientious citizens in a pluralistic society.

## Service

A commitment to promoting social responsibility which fosters community engagement to meet real needs.

## Excellence

Manifesting Marywood University's pursuit of the highest level of achievement in support of "Sanctitas, Scientia, Sanitas" (Holiness, Knowledge, Health).





# Our Mission

Marywood University, sponsored by the Congregation of the Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, roots itself in the Catholic intellectual tradition, the principle of justice, and the belief that education empowers people.

Our undergraduate and graduate programs promote academic excellence, advance innovative scholarship, and foster leadership in service to others. Within a welcoming and supportive community, Marywood challenges individuals of all backgrounds to achieve their full potential and make choices based on spiritual and ethical values. Marywood University prepares students to seek sustainable solutions for the common good and educates global citizens to live responsibly in an interdependent world.

**The University integrates an enduring liberal arts tradition and professional disciplines to create a comprehensive learning experience.**







# Visual Guidelines

# Primary Logo

Our main logo should be used in all of our marketing applications, which will establish greater brand awareness and familiarizing audiences with the brand.

It is important never to modify, separate or manipulate any of its elements.

It is important to allow proper spacing so that the presentation of our brand is visually effective.

The logo for Marywood University. The word "Marywood" is written in a large, dark green, serif font. Below it, the word "UNIVERSITY" is written in a smaller, dark green, all-caps, serif font, with wide letter spacing.



# Primary Logo Spacing

Logo spacing is the area around a logo that ensures the logo remains legible and visually distinct from other elements.

This space prevents the logo from being crowded by text, images, or other graphics, preserving its impact and readability.

This area is defined by the University subtext in our main logo.



x | U N I V E R S I T Y

1x = minimum safe area

# Color Variation

There are two color variations to our primary logo, a white logo and a green logo.

Marywood  
UNIVERSITY

Marywood  
UNIVERSITY



## PRIMARY LOGO *Guidelines*

**X**



**DO NOT** stretch, distort, cut off or modify the logo

**X**



**DO NOT** alter the colors of the logo

**X**



**DO NOT** add effects such as drop shadow or emboss to the logo

**X**



**DO NOT** use logo within text

# Primary Logo Mark

A logo mark is a graphic symbol or icon that represents the brand, distinct from the primary logo wordmark. It is used for quick recognition and to convey the brand's identity visually.

Logo marks are useful in applications where space is limited or where a simple, memorable symbol is needed for branding purposes, like icons, cutouts, or other design elements.

Logo Mark Combination





# Combination Mark

A combination mark is a logo that pairs a wordmark (text) with a symbol or icon. This blend allows flexibility—brands can use the text and symbol together or separately while maintaining recognition.

Combination marks are effective for creating both a strong name association and a memorable visual identity.

Combination Mark



# Logo Mark Variations

When readability is a concern, 2 different versions of the M are acceptable for use. This also applies when the M is used as a design element.

Logo Mark Fill



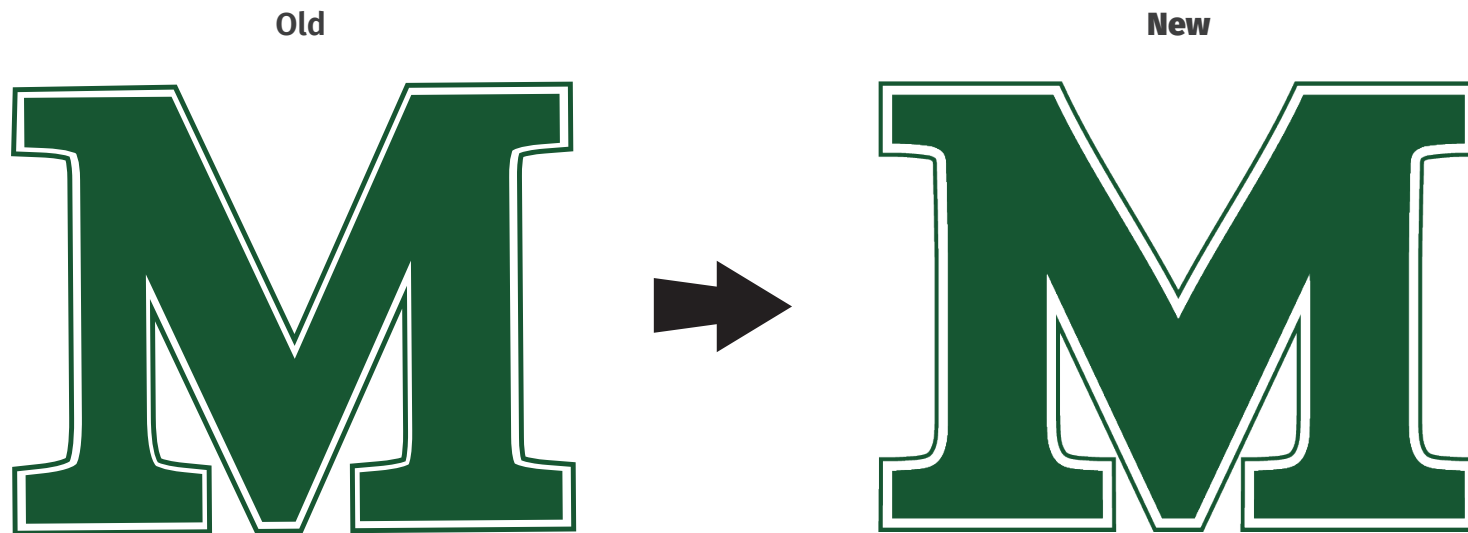
Logo Mark Outline





## LOGO MARK UPDATE

The logo mark "M" has been updated to feel more symmetrical for banners, signage, and official use across campus and marketing.



## LOGO MARK USAGE



**DO NOT** use Marywood M in any admissions marketing.  
*Campus/internal use only.*



**DO NOT** alter the colors of the logo outside approved brand colors in this guide



**DO NOT** stretch, distort, cut off or modify the logo



**DO** use outline in approved brand colors.



**DO NOT** add effects such as drop shadow or emboss to the logo

## DISCONTINUED BRANDS

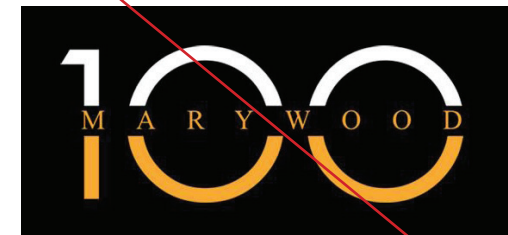
Seal Combination Mark



M Combination Mark



Previous Campaign Slogans





# Marywood Seal



# Primary Seal

Our primary seal is used for official use only.

Secretary of the University and  
General Counsel pursuant to  
**ARTICLE I. AUTHORITY AND  
ORGANIZATIONS**  
Section 6 Seal of the University Bylaws



# Seal Variation

There are two color variations to our primary logo, a white logo and a green logo.



## SEAL LOGO *Variations*

Marywood Security Seal



Alumni Association Seal



## SEAL LOGO *Application*



The official Marywood seal may be used as a design element on branded campus materials and select marketing materials.



# Official Use Font

Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. These font selections are clear and easy to read, use, and have a modern and classic feel without being trendy.

**Garamond Premier** is the secondary font for the brand. Variations can be downloaded and installed with ease from Google Fonts for university-wide integration.

Regular

Regular  
Italic

Medium

Medium  
*Medium Italic*

Bold

Bold  
*Bold Italic*

# Font Application

Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. **Garamond** can be used for official use and affiliation logos.



Marywood University  
2300 Adams Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18509

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**Lisa Lori, J.D.**  
President, Marywood University



# Color

# Primary Palette

These are our main brand colors. These colors must be used in any graphic or communication piece in which our brand appears.

## **Pantone Matching System (PMS)**

Use case: Print (e.g. consistency, color precision, spot colors, special finishes)

## **HEX # (Hexadecimal)**

Use case: Web and digital design (primarily in HTML/CSS)

## **CMYK (Cyan, Magenta, Yellow, Black)**

Use case: Print (e.g., magazines, posters, brochures)

## **RGB (Red, Green, Blue)**

Use case: Digital screens (e.g., monitors, TVs, mobile devices)

## MARYWOOD GREEN

PMS 357  
PMS Uncoated 357 U  
CMYK 86, 40, 91, 39  
RGB 26, 86, 50  
#1a5632

40%

80%

## BRIGHT WHITE

CMYK 0, 0, 0, 0  
RGB 255, 255, 255  
#FFFFFF

## PACER GOLD

PMS 130  
PMS Uncoated 129 U  
CMYK 2, 38, 100, 0  
RGB 244, 168, 0  
#F5A800

40%

80%

# Secondary Palette

These are our Secondary brand colors. These colors must be used in any application as an accent color to the main palette.

Gradient exclude the green pms 357 to stand out from the primary color.

## MINT GREEN

PMS 345  
CMYK 44, 0, 42, 0  
RGB 144, 213, 172  
#90D5AC

40%

80%

## MINT GRADIENT

CMYK 79, 0, 44, 31  
RGB 38, 177, 99  
#26b163

CMYK 30, 0, 18, 18  
RGB 146, 208, 170  
#92D0AA

CMYK 0, 31, 88, 4  
RGB 244, 168, 29  
#00A5B5

## BLACK

CMYK 0, 0, 0, 100  
RGB 0, 0, 0  
#000000



# Color Application

## Green (PMS 357) - 50%

\*Primary color is green. the majority of the design material should be in this color.

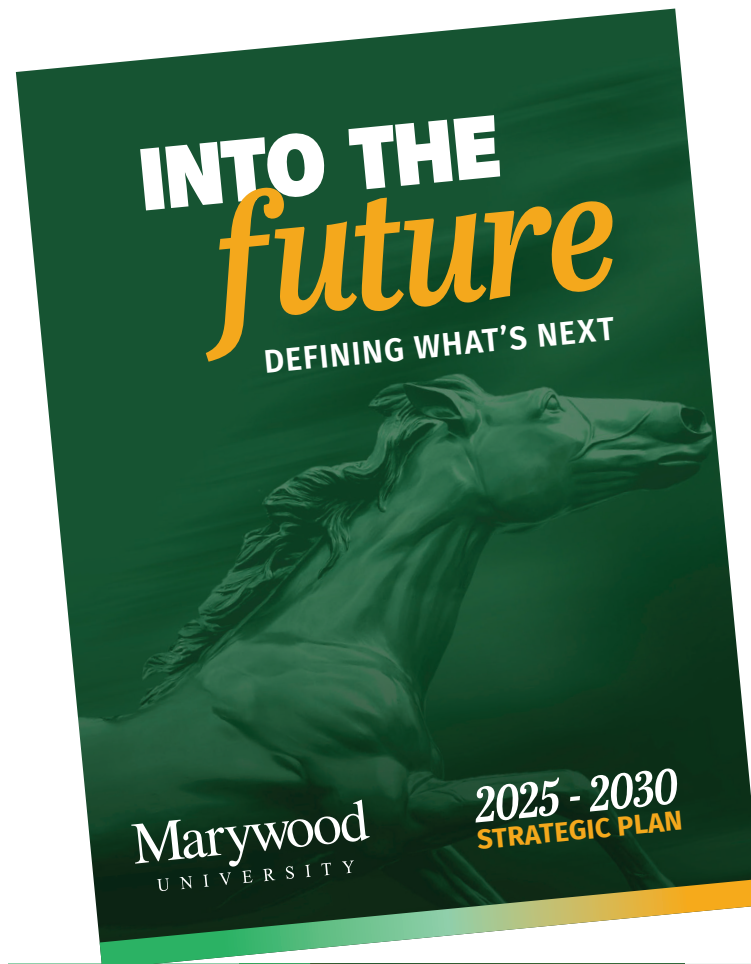
## White - 30%

## Mint Green - 15%

## Yellow (PMS 130) - 5%

\*Secondary colors are yellow and mint green. Mint green is used as a complimentary color for emphasis and heirarchy. Yellow is used as a highlight and very sparingly for the main brand.

Gradient Bar used sparingly mainly on the bottom of print or digital pieces or as a highlighting element.



“I’d definitely recommend Marywood. You get hands-on experience early, and they really focus on learning by doing—no matter what you’re studying.”

**Raena**  
Nursing Major

**SETTING THE PACE**  
ON AND OFF THE FIELD

**50+ MAJORS**  
OPPORTUNITIES TO FIND THE RIGHT FIT FOR YOU.

Architecture Art Business Communication Sciences and Disorders Computer Science and Info Security Construction Management Education English Language and Literature	Environmental Studies Exercise Science Mathematics Modern Languages Music, Theater, and Dance Multimedia Communication Nursing Nutrition and Dietetics Philosophy Pre-Physician Assistant Pre-Law Psychology Religious Studies Respiratory Therapy Science Social Sciences Social Work Undeclared Major
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**DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU WANT TO STUDY YET?**  
It's not uncommon to be undecided. Our advisors are ready to help you discover which program is right for you.

**23**  
NCAA D3 ATHLETIC TEAMS

**ESPORTS PROGRAM**  
MARYWOOD ESPORTS

**MULTIPLE**  
INTRAMURAL & CLUB SPORTS

**KEEP TRACK OF YOUR GOALS!**  
We developed a checklist to keep you on track.

- ☐ **Maintain good grades.**  
With sophomore year behind you, now is a good opportunity to assess what you need to do to maintain good grades over the next two years of high school.
- ☐ **Get involved with extracurriculars.**  
Colleges like to see students who are involved. Find clubs and activities that support your interests.
- ☐ **Meet with your school counselor.**  
Make time in the fall to talk to your school counselor about your interests and college goals and develop a plan with their help.
- ☐ **Think about what you want in a college.**  
You may not know your area of study, major, or even where you want to go to school, but you may be able to identify what you like and what you don't like. Decide whether you want to go to a small school or big university, and if you'd like to stay closer to home or go to school in a different state.
- ☐ **See what's out there.**  
Compile a list of colleges that interest you and start researching their websites. Request more information from those that impress you.

**YOUR JOURNEY STARTS HERE.**  
Scan the code to see what life at Marywood is all about!

# Gradient Application

**Digital Use:** Teal gradient is primarily used on digital media only in the form of overlays and accent graphics.

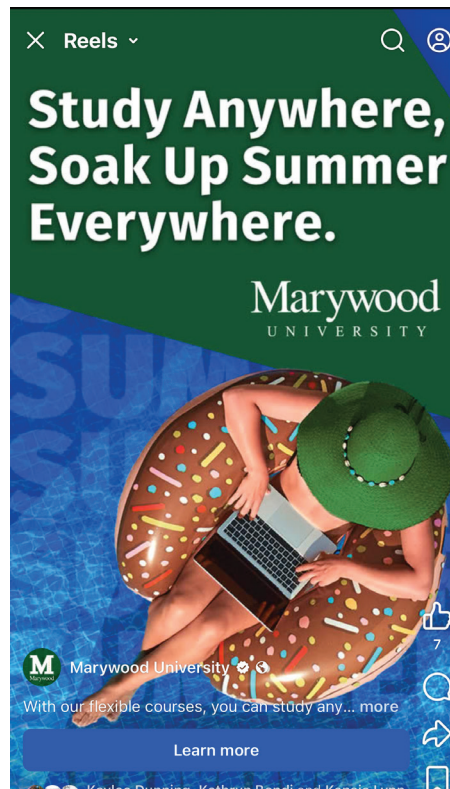
**Print Use:** Mint gradient is primarily used on print media only in the form of fill colors and accent graphics.





# Social Images

Social images should show students engaged in conversation or activities that add motion and excitement to the image.





# Affiliate Logos

# Colleges Logos

These logos should be used in official marketing and communications from their respective schools.



MARYWOOD UNIVERSITY

**College of  
Health Sciences**



MARYWOOD UNIVERSITY

**Reap College of Creative  
& Professional Studies**





# Find More Campaign

# Campaign Typography

Use **Akagi Pro** for the first line in the title, in all caps.

Use **Abril Titling Condensed** for the second line in the title, lowercase.

Overlap the two lines slightly in a way that is still legible and balanced.

**MORE**  
*possibilities*

# Typography Usage

Color combinations may vary within the brand colors base on the background color or image.



**MORE**  
*experience*

At Marywood, you don't wait to get started in your major. From day one, you'll be in labs, studios, classrooms, clinics, cockpits, and beyond. Learning by doing.

100% OF STUDENTS COMPLETE HANDS-ON LEARNING THROUGH INTERNSHIPS, CLINICALS, SERVICE, OR FIELDWORK.

“ My favorite part is the *instructors* who always have your best interests at heart. ”  
Zach  
AVIATION MANAGEMENT  
PILOT/FLIGHT OPERATIONS



**MORE**  
*than a major*

If you're driven to care, heal, and help others thrive, you'll find your path here. The College of Health Sciences prepares students for in-demand careers in healthcare through hands-on experience in real clinical settings. From nursing and nutrition to respiratory therapy and physician assistant studies, our programs are rooted in science, service, and compassion — helping you make a difference from day one.

“ You get hands-on experience early, they really focus on *learning by doing* no matter what you're studying. ”  
Raena  
NURSING

**MARYWOOD UNIVERSITY**  
**College of Health Sciences**

**Communication Sciences & Disorders**  
• Speech-language Pathology 

**Health, Nutrition & Exercise Science**  
• Exercise Science  
• Health and Physical Education  
• Health Sciences  
• Nutrition & Dietetics 

**Nursing & Respiratory Therapy**  
• Nursing  
• Respiratory Therapy

**Psychology & Counseling**  
• Clinical Services  
• Psychology

**School of Social Work**  
• Social Work

 Program Available as a 3-Year Bachelor's to Master's degree



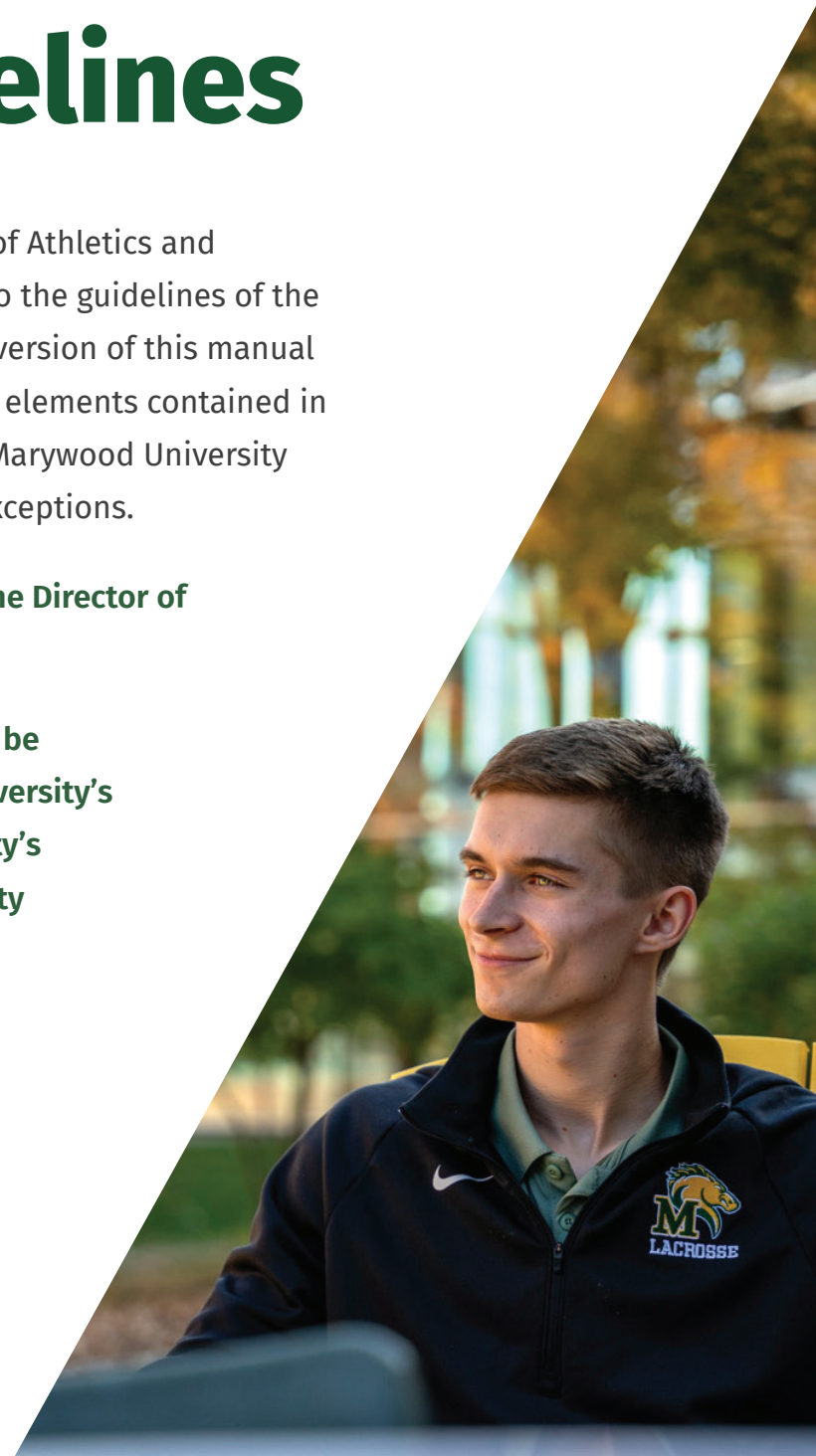
# Athletics

# Visual Identity Guidelines

All materials printed or produced by the Marywood University Department of Athletics and Recreation, or in the name of the Marywood University Pacers, will adhere to the guidelines of the Marywood University Athletics Visual Identity. You may print the electronic version of this manual found on the Department of Athletics and Recreation webpage. The graphic elements contained in this guide are not to be altered in any manner and are reserved for use by Marywood University Athletics only. The Director of Athletics and Recreation must approve any exceptions.

- **Apparel-related items may require additional guidelines. Please contact the Director of Athletics (570-961-4724 ) and Recreation or the Art Director (570-961-4741).**
- **All design and ordering of stationary, envelopes, and business cards must be initiated through the Marketing and Communications Office. Marywood University's athletics imagery is one of the most visible representations of the University's visual identity. In order to strengthen and maintain this image, the University has developed this guide to define specific, acceptable uses of athletics marks, images, and fonts (Times New Roman and Fir Sans).**

**When logos are used on official uniforms, helmets, playing surfaces, or equipment, TM's are not required.**





# Uniform Policy

Uniform design/approval must be approved by the **Director of Athletic Communications**. Approval must first be secured prior to order. Design/approval will cover colors, numbering/lettering style/color, logo usage and placement.

Vendors must have the logos to ensure proper use for embroidery/screening. This can be secured from the Director of Athletic Communications.

**MARYWOOD** should be used for all “away” uniforms and can be used for home uniforms, but PACERS can be used on home uniforms as well. DO NOT put PACERS alone on away uniforms.

If you use the Pacers logo as just the horse head (without the M)\* on athletic identity guidelines, Marywood must be written somewhere on the piece of apparel (uniforms, coaching shirts, polos, practice shirts, etc.).

\*Labeled as **Secondary Mark 1** in the athletic identity guidelines.

If you use the Pacers logo with the M (horse head with M)\* you do not need to put Marywood. The use of the logo with the words “Marywood University” together will not be approved.

\*Labeled as **Primary Mark 3** in the athletic identity guidelines.





# Uniform Policy

White is a secondary color, and Pantone 130 gold can be used as a backup. However, **the logo should never be black** unless it is on a gray/anthracite background. **Black may be a secondary/alternate uniform but not a team's primary uniform (in other words, don't wear it all the time as your only home/away uniform).** On black uniforms, yellow may not be used as a primary infill to numbering or lettering (must be green or white). Green or white outlines for numbering and lettering are preferred (yellow may be used as an outline only as a secondary option if the infill is green). Approval must first come from the Director of Athletic Communications. All letterings/logos must be green or white if they are on a black uniform. In addition, black may be used for travel suits, warm-ups, etc.

If you have any questions about this policy, please contact the Director of Athletic Communications or Art Director.

**Jay Monahan**

Director of Athletic Communications

x2453 ON CAMPUS

[monahan.j@marywood.edu](mailto:monahan.j@marywood.edu)



# Primary Mark 1

Official Horizontal Lockup.

Pacer Logo Combination



# Primary Mark 2

Official Vertical Lockup



# Primary Mark 3

Use of the full color logo is preferred wherever possible. The one-color logo should be used only when other forms of multicolor or tonal logos cannot be used. The one-color logo is also appropriate for etching and embossing. Never use one-color versions in RGB (video/web)

**Example:** Baseball hat has the mark on the front and Marywood on the back.

Pacer Logo Mark Combination



# Secondary Mark 1

Use of the full color logo is preferred wherever possible. The one-color logo should be used only when other forms of multicolor or tonal logos cannot be used. The one-color logo is also appropriate for etching and embossing. Never use one-color versions in RGB (video/web) If you use this mark, you **must have Marywood somewhere** else on the item.

**Example:** Baseball hat has the mark on the front and Marywood on the back.

Pacer Icon



# Tertiary Mark

This mark cannot be used on game apparel, inclusive of uniforms, with the exception of hats.

When using the M only on the front of a Baseball hat, it is required that Marywood must be on the back.

Athletics M





# Team Logos

Individual athletics teams must use the approved lockup for their respective teams name.

The sport name must be listed below in wide-spaced all caps **Fira Sans Medium**.



MARYWOOD  
BASKETBALL



BASKETBALL

# Esports Logo

This is the only exception to the sport brand rule, as Marywood's Esports team has their own unique brand.

There is a dimensional and flat version of the logo that may be used.





# Typography

# Primary Font

Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. These font selections are clear and easy to read, use, and have a modern and classic feel without being trendy.

**Fira Sans** is the primary font for both headline and body copy. Variations can be downloaded and installed with ease from Google Fonts for university-wide integration.

Light

Light  
*Light Italic*

Regular

Regular  
*Italic*  
Condensed  
*Condensed Italic*

Medium

Medium  
*Medium Italic*

Bold

Bold  
*Bold Italic*

Extra Bold

Extra Bold  
*Extra Bold Italic*

# Primary Font Application

Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. These font selections are clear and easy to read, use, and have a modern and classic feel without being trendy.

— **The *college decision* process has a lot of moving pieces.**

— **Keep the Focus on Senior Year**

— Keep your student's eye on the prize through the end of senior year. Even after they get their university acceptances, students should stay focused on finishing strong.

## TYPOGRAPHY *Guidelines*



**OPEN HOUSE**  
**APRIL 5**

**DO** use all caps in titles, 3-5 words long, and large branding materials such as billboards.



**Find it all at  
Marywood.**

**DO** use sentence case. Kerning is set to 0.



Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. These font selections are clear and easy to read, use, and have a modern and classic feel without being trendy.

**DO** use Left align in body copy. Kerning is set to 0.



## TYPOGRAPHY *Guidelines*

X

Find it all at  
Marywood.

**DO NOT** use unapproved fonts outside of campaigns and promotional event branding.

X

Find it all at  
marywood.

Marywood should always be uppercase. **DO NOT** use lowercase.

X

Type style can lend a great deal to the personality of the University. These font selections are clear and easy to read, use, and have a modern and classic feel without being trendy.

**DO NOT** use justified body copy.

X

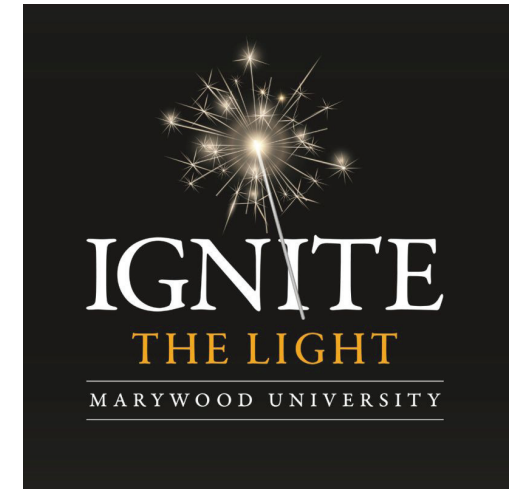
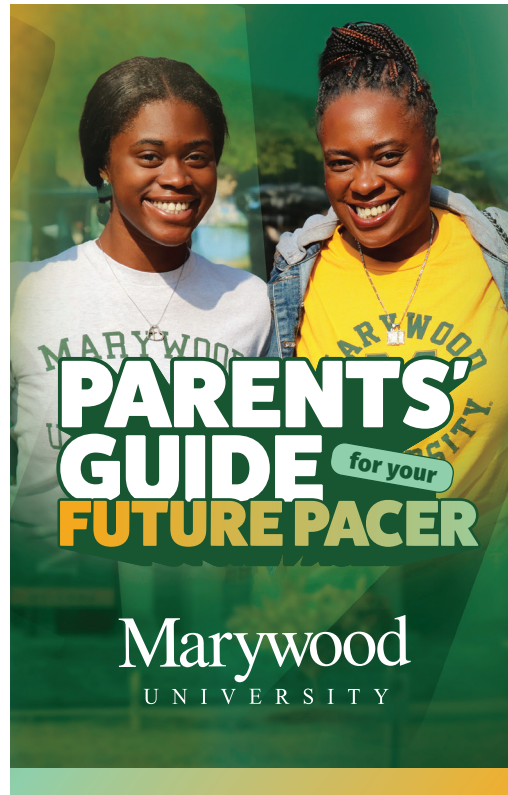
Find it all at  
Marywood.

**DO NOT** add harsh effects such as gradients, emboss. Drop shadow may be used only if needed for contrast.

# Campaign Fonts

These are fonts outside of our standard brand fonts. They are a case-by-case basis to help bring visual interest to a specific holiday or campaign. These fonts must be used sparingly and primarily used for lockups or headlines. Marywood logo must be paired with any campaign executions.

All supporting text should adhere to the brand fonts.





# Photography



## PHOTOGRAPHY *Portrait Examples*



Use the rule of thirds for composition. Have the subject smiling / looking off to the side instead of directly into the camera. Use clear depth of field to isolate the subject from the background.



## PHOTOGRAPHY *Lifestyle Portrait Examples*



Use the rule of thirds for composition. Have the subject smiling / looking off to the side instead of directly into the camera. Use clear depth of field to isolate the subject from the background.





## PHOTOGRAPHY *Lifestyle Group Examples*



Have subject/models engaged in an activity showing off campus life while the subject/models are smiling and looking off to the side instead of directly into the camera.





## PHOTOGRAPHY *Major Examples*



Have subject/models engaged in an activity showing off the major in practice while the subject/models are smiling and looking off to the side instead of directly into the camera.





## PHOTOGRAPHY *Campus Examples*



Use foreground elements to create visual separation.  
Use camera angles and composition to allow for more interesting perspective.





# Overlay Useage

When applying the overlay gradient to photos - convert photo to black and white, apply overlay colors in a mesh or linear gradient.

Set the opacity to the gradient to 60%.

Contrast levels may need to be adjusted per photo.

