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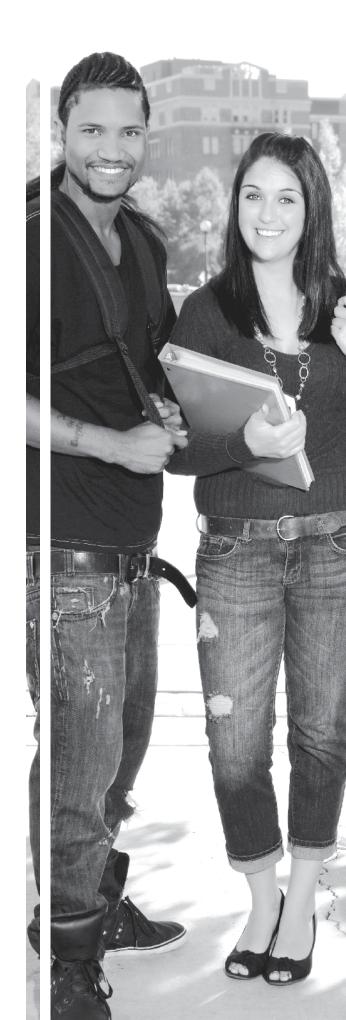
Your College Options

Choosing a College is published by the Minnesota Office of Higher Education to help you learn more about the many college opportunities in the state. Here you can find information about the colleges that interest you, including admissions policies, student demographics, college costs, graduation rates, programs and more.

Minnesota is home to some of the finest postsecondary institutions in the country. From campuses large to small, urban to rural, close to home or far away, the state's public and private colleges and universities offer a broad spectrum of educational opportunities and experiences that might surprise you.

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What's in the Guide?

Choosing a College is intended to help you explore your Minnesota college options. The guide includes public and private colleges and universities located in Minnesota offering two-year associate and four-year bachelor's degrees. In addition to the profiles for each degree-granting institution, there are program grids at the back to help you identify and locate programs of interest to you.

How to Use This Guide

Choosing a college is a big decision. Use this guide as a quick reference to learn about your Minnesota options. If you are interested in a particular college, be sure to request more information, visit the website, tour the campus and talk with the admissions and financial aid representatives, current students and recent graduates. Every prospective student should also apply for financial aid. If you are interested in a specific major or career, check out the grids beginning on page 84 first. Otherwise, browse through the two-and four-year college profiles beginning on page 6.

Two Years or Four?

Two-year colleges

Two-year colleges offer students two distinct options.

 Many public two-year colleges and some private career colleges offer students the first two years of a four-year bachelor's degree in any major. Students may choose to start at a two-year college and then transfer to a four-year college for a variety of reasons including location, cost, atmosphere or because they are uncertain of their program of study. Two-year colleges also offer career-specific programs leading directly to employment. Technical and career programs prepare students for careers in fields such as health care, manufacturing technology, law enforcement, computer networking, accounting, e-commerce and many other fields.

Four-year colleges and universities

Minnesota's four-year colleges and universities provide hundreds of different majors leading to careers in teaching, business, science, health care, engineering, the arts, communications, social services, computer science and many other fields. After students earn their four-year bachelor's degrees, some continue on in professional or graduate-level programs to become doctors, business professionals, lawyers, librarians, counselors, college professors, pharmacists, researchers, orthodontists and other professionals.

Preparing for College

The best way to prepare for college is to challenge yourself while in high school by taking rigorous courses in core subjects. Even if you have completed your high school's graduation requirements, you will increase your chances for success in college by taking more advanced mathematics, science, English and social studies courses. Most four-year colleges and universities require the following, at a minimum, for admission:

- Four years of English (including composition and literature)
- Three and one-half years of social studies (including one year each of U.S. history and geography)
- Three years of mathematics (including two years of algebra and one year of geometry)
- Three years of science (including one year each of a biological and a physical science)
- Two years of a single world language
- One year of either world culture or fine arts

Public two-year colleges accept all high school graduates and GED holders. However, some programs offered at these schools are more selective and have higher admissions standards and waiting lists to get in. Some students find they must spend a semester or even two just getting ready to enter a two-year career program by taking basic required courses they could have taken in high school. That is why your high school preparation is so important. Students who master core subjects while in high school save money and time in college.

Associate Degrees

Associate degree programs require the equivalent of two years of full-time study. They are designed to either prepare individuals for an occupation, or to provide a foundation for the completion of a bachelor's degree. Some general education courses are included in associate degree programs such as English and mathematics.

Bachelor's Degrees

All bachelor's degrees require the equivalent of at least four years of full-time study. The degree includes both general courses and advanced course work in a defined area of study, typically called a major. There are hundreds of programs of study that lead to either a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Bachelor of Science (B.S.), or discipline-specific bachelor's degrees such as a Bachelor of Music or a Bachelor of Fine Arts.



What is Not in the Guide?

Only degree-granting institutions serving 200 or more students are included in this guide. This guide does not include information about institutions offering only short-term certificates and diplomas or only graduate and professional degrees. For a more complete listing of Minnesota postsecondary institutions, visit www.getreadyforcollege.org.

Other Minnesota Resources

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities: Seven state universities and 25 community and technical colleges. www.mnscu.edu

University of Minnesota: Minnesota's flagship research university in the Twin Cities and four universities in Duluth, Morris, Rochester and Crookston. **www.umn.edu**

Minnesota Career Colleges: 14 private career schools that make up the Minnesota Career College Association. **www.mncareercolleges.org**

Minnesota Private College Council: 17 private, not-for-profit colleges and universities.

www.mnprivatecolleges.org

Career information: A gateway to Minnesota information on careers, training, education, employment and the workforce. **www.iseek.org**

Take College Courses in High School

High school juniors and seniors in Minnesota may be eligible to enroll in college courses at no cost. A program called Postsecondary Enrollment Options may allow you to take college courses on a nearby campus or right in your high school, for credit. The college courses you successfully complete will count toward your high school and college degrees and help you save time and money in college. To participate, you need a B average and must meet the college's admissions deadlines and standards. For more information see your high school counselor or contact the admissions office at a nearby college.

Evaluating Private Institutions

There are several ways to evaluate the quality and value of different programs and institutions. Most private and out-of-state institutions operating in Minnesota are required to be either registered or licensed by the Office of Higher Education. Public colleges and universities do not need to be licensed or registered. Some occupational training providers must be licensed by other state agencies and organizations as well. (For example, cosmetology programs are licensed by the Minnesota Board of Barber and Cosmetology Examiners.)

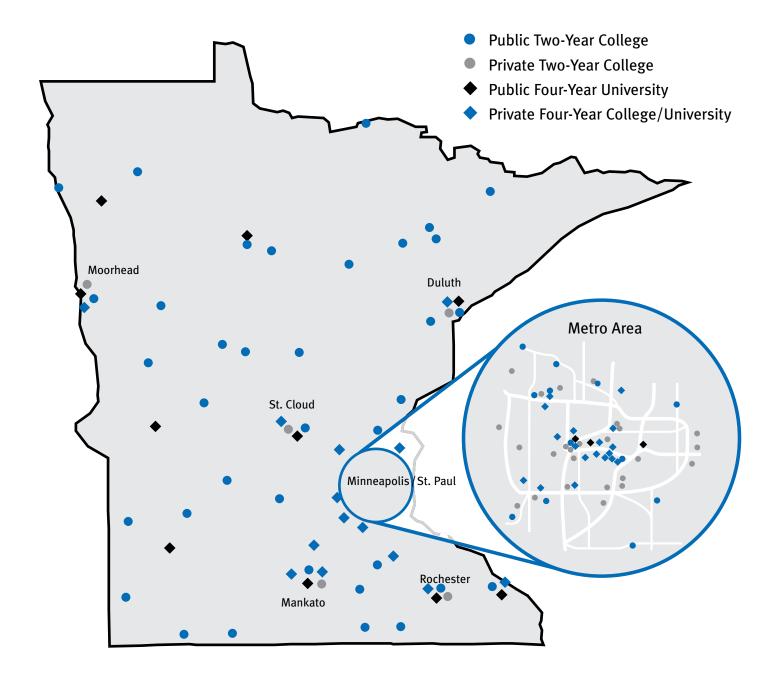
One way an institution can demonstrate that it meets basic standards is to become accredited. Accreditation means that the institution has been approved by a non-government agency that reviews institutions in a region or an occupational area. An institution should tell you whether it is accredited and identify which agency has granted accreditation. The federal government reviews and recognizes about 50 accrediting agencies across the country.

To check the legitimacy of a claim of accreditation, contact the accrediting agency directly.

- U.S. Department of Education ope.ed.gov/accreditation/ (202) 219-7011
- Council for Higher Education Accreditation www.chea.org/directories/ (877) 955-2432

Understand Your Transfer Options

If you are considering enrolling in a two-year college with the possibility of transferring your credits later to a four-year institution, it's essential that you understand in advance how your credits will be received by the four-year institution. While many technical and career programs are transferable to a four-year degree program, some are not. Contact the four-year institution you would like to attend to find out how your credits will be applied toward a four-year degree. You can find the contact name of the transfer specialist at each institution at **www.mntransfer.org**.



At Alexandria Technical and Community College, students can graduate in two years or less in one of 50 programs including health, business, office professions, computers, law enforcement, management, manufacturing, marketing and transportation. Students receive personal attention from experienced faculty, and enjoy hands-on learning in a friendly, supportive atmosphere. The college features excellent technology, equipment and facilities and welcomes students from diverse backgrounds. Alexandria Technical and Community College offers degrees that can be applied to a four-year degree as well as online courses and degrees and flex-time courses for students who want to study when it is convenient for them.

Admissions

(320) 762-4520

Financial Aid

(320) 762-4540

Main Address

1601 Jefferson Street Alexandria, MN 56308

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

23:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	2,205
Full time	71%
Men	53%
Women	47%
25 or older	28%
Students of color	4%
Out-of-state	4%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,012
Total accepted	1,367
% Accepted	68%
Total who enrolled	1,110

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate55%
Transfer rate 14%
3-year graduation + transfer rate 68%
*See explanations of these rates on inside back cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

System (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open, rolling admissions through August 1 (preferred, fall term) or January 1 (preferred, spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview; varies by program

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,125
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 005544

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 85%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Anoka-Ramsey Community College, with campuses in Coon Rapids and Cambridge, has been a leading provider of higher education and training in the north suburban area of the Twin Cities and East Central Minnesota since 1965. Annually, the college serves more than 12,000 learners of all ages as they pursue associate degrees that transfer as the first two years of a bachelor's degree or certificate programs leading to rewarding careers. The college also offer a bachelor's degree in chemical dependency counseling through St. Cloud State University and a bachelor's degree in business administration (Coon Rapids campus only) through Metropolitan State University.

Admissions

(763) 433-1300

Financial Aid

(763) 433-1500

Main Address

11200 Mississippi Boulevard NW Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

26:1

Average Class Size

26

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, soccer

Women

Basketball, soccer, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	9,192
Full time	45%
Men	39%
Women	61%
25 or older	32%
Students of color	13%
Out-of-state	1%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	4,055
Total accepted	3,725
% Accepted	92%
Total who enrolled	2,457

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	14%
Transfer rate	44%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	58%
*See explanations of these rates on inside back	ck cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open admissions until the week classes begin

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,652
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,140

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002332

School Scholarship Deadline

March 15, July 1, October 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 73%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The college has highly regarded art, music and theatre degrees and vibrant student life activities, clubs and events.

Anoka Technical College offers educational options that provide career flexibility. All programs include hands-on, student-centered and experiential learning that stress the application of theory rather than the memorization of concepts. Many of the programs are transferable and apply toward a bachelor's degree. Free job placement assistance, free tutoring, access to industry technologies and financial aid (for those who qualify) are available.

Admissions

(763) 576-4700

Financial Aid

(763) 576-4760

Main Address

1355 West Highway 10 Anoka, MN 55303

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College in the Schools, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,454
Full time	50%
Men	40%
Women	60%
25 or older	51%
Students of color	15%
Out-of-state	1%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,821
Total accepted	2,629
% Accepted	93%
Total who enrolled	1,840

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	28%
Transfer rate	17%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	44%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions until enrollment capacity is reached or semester begins

Additional Requirements

ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,860
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 007350

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Argosy University is a private institution with a mission to provide high-quality education in practitioner fields. Argosy offers general education and associate degrees in health care, bachelor's programs in psychology and business, and master's and doctoral programs in business, education and psychology. These degree programs are designed to instill the knowledge and skills of professional practice as well as foster the values of higher education and social responsibility. Argosy offers comprehensive degree programs, student-focused faculty, financial aid, flexible curriculum options and academic support to assist students in meeting their educational goals.

Admissions

(651) 846-3300

Financial Aid

(651) 846-3539

Main Address

1515 Central Parkway Eagan, MN 55121

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

11:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary **Enrollment Options**

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,555
Full time	67%
Men	23%
Women	77%
25 or older	55%
Students of color	28%
Out-of-state	5%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,635
Total accepted	1,390
% Accepted	85%
Total who enrolled	1.010

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall	graduation	rate	47%
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^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Varies by program

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, letters of recommendation, application essay; varies by program

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, or Argosy entrance exam

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$17,292
Room & Board Off cam	pus only
Books & SuppliesVaries by	program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

021799

School Scholarship Deadline

July 15 (fall term), November 15 (spring term), March 15 (summer

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

91%

Affiliation

None

★Last updated in 2010

The Art Institutes International Minnesota offers degree programs in advertising, baking and pastry, culinary arts, culinary management, design management, fashion and retail management, graphic design, hospitality management, interior design, interior planning with AutoCAD, digital film and video production, media arts and animation, web design and interactive media, photography, and visual effects and motion graphics. Students are prepared for challenging careers and a lifetime of personal and professional opportunity. A qualified staff of financial planners, employment assistance advisors and counselors is committed to providing students with the individualized services they require in order to complete their programs successfully. Each student has an academic advisor who helps devise career strategies and choose courses consistent with career goals.

Admissions

(612) 332-3361

Financial Aid

(612) 656-7600

Main Address

15 South 9th Street Minneapolis, MN 55402

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

20:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

None

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,944
Full time	74%
Men	41%
Women	59%
25 or older	43%
Students of color	20%
Out-of-state	22%
International	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	748
Total accepted	731
% Accepted	.98%
Total who enrolled	475

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	44%
* See explanations of these rates	on inside back cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Varies by program

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, application essay, minimum 2.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

None, but ACT or SAT recommended

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$23,088
Room & Board	\$6,870
Books & SuppliesVaries	s by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 010248

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 96%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

The college is located near the Hennepin Theater District in downtown Minneapolis and offers students various opportunities throughout their program of study to meet with industry professionals through guest speaker engagements, workshops and seminars.

Augsburg College, located in a vibrant neighborhood in the heart of the Twin Cities, offers more than 50 majors and seven graduate degrees in the liberal arts, sciences and professional studies. An Augsburg education emphasizes direct, personal experience as students learn not only in the classroom but also through community service, civic engagement, internships and study abroad. A college of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Augsburg is open to students of all faith traditions and takes pride in its diverse student body.

Admissions

(612) 330-1001

Financial Aid

(612) 330-1046

Main Address

2211 Riverside Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55454

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

17

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, soccer, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,132
Full time	96%
Men	49%
Women	51%
25 or older	5%
Students of color	29%
Out-of-state	18%
International	2%
Live on campus	51%

Freshmen Profile

lotal applicants	2,218
Total accepted	1,196
% Accepted	54%
Total who enrolled	412
Average GPA	3.08
% submitting ACT	100%
Combined score	22
% submitting SAT	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.80%
6-year graduation rate	.59%
*See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ck cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$25, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions; students who apply by November 1 and choose to attend receive a \$1,000 Early Auggies Scholarship each year

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 2.5 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, students with GEDs over five years old are not required to submit scores

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$30,440
Room & Board	\$8,168
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

School Scholarship Deadline February 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Augsburg has added an environmental studies major and minor that focus on urban issues such as food sourcing, racial equity, environmental justice and transportation.

Public Four-Year University

Located on the shore of beautiful 6,400-acre Lake Bemidji, Bemidji State University is a blend of classic education and state-of-theart technology. With small class sizes and a strong educational foundation, the university maintains a friendly and nurturing learning environment for all its students. By offering unique programs and supplying its students with opportunities to enhance their skills during hands-on internships, Bemidji State University has become known as a university that doesn't just teach out of the books; it educates for a lifetime.

Admissions

(218) 755-2040

Financial Aid

(218) 755-2034

Main Address

1500 Birchmont Drive Northeast Bemidji, MN 56601

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	4,932
Full time	77%
Men	48%
Women	52%
25 or older	24%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	5%
International	3%
Live on campus	28%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,326
Total accepted	1,736
% Accepted	78%
Total who enrolled	858
% submitting ACT	87%
Combined score	22
% submitting SAT	1%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	72%
6-year graduation rate	46%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through the first day of each term

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT (preferred) or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$7,796
Room & Board	\$6,674
Books & Supplies	\$840

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002336

School Scholarship Deadline February 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 78%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

After winning the homecoming game, the football team (and some enthusiastic fans) jump into Lake Bemidji. Students can also travel across campus without stepping foot outside by using underground tunnels!

Bethany Lutheran College is a private residential liberal arts college offering Bachelor of Arts degrees. Students enjoy a low student-to-faculty ratio, which creates a stimulating educational setting with a great deal of interaction with professors and fellow students. At Bethany, high academic standards, student involvement and Christian experiences are emphasized. The college is recognized for its high-quality fine arts, forensics and athletics programs.

Admissions

(507) 344-7331

Financial Aid

(507) 344-7000

Main Address

700 Luther Drive Mankato, MN 56001

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, tennis

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	607
Full time	98%
Men	44%
Women	56%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	28%
International	1%
Live on campus	72%

Freshmen Profile

iotal applicants	453
Total accepted	378
% Accepted	83%
Total who enrolled	165
Average GPA	3.36
% submitting ACT	98%
Combined score	23
% submitting SAT	2%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	73%
6-year graduation rate	56%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through July 1 (fall term) or December 10 (spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, writing portion of the ACT is recommended but not required

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$22,410
Room & Board	\$6,800
Books & Supplies	\$900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form, signed copies of federal tax returns and W-2s

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002337

School Scholarship DeadlinePriority deadline is April 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 98%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The college started as a women's college in 1911. The campus also once included a high school, which closed in 1969.

Bethel University is located 12 minutes from the downtown areas of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and its 230-acre campus is nestled on the shore of a picturesque lake. The university offers 68 undergraduate majors within 85 areas of study, including the arts, reconciliation studies, humanities, natural sciences and social sciences. It is renowned for a highly credentialed faculty dedicated to teaching, integration of faith and learning, and the translation of Christian belief into global service. Two-thirds of the students participate in short-term missions or community volunteer work.

Admissions

(651) 638-6242

Financial Aid

(651) 638-6241

Main Address

3900 Bethel Drive St. Paul, MN 55112

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

22

Study Options

Evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, soccer, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,797
Full time	97%
Men	40%
Women	60%
25 or older	3%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	25%
International	1%
Live on campus	75%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,212
Total accepted	1,750
% Accepted	79%
Total who enrolled	638
Average GPA	3.5
% submitting ACT	94%
Combined score	25
% submitting SAT	10%
Combined score	1,170

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.85%
6-year graduation rate	.72%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), application essay, minimum 2.5 GPA, names of references (will be contacted as appropriate)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$29,460
Room & Board	\$8,530
Books & Supplies	\$1,060

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002338

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 92%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The university is one of only a handful of colleges in the world to offer a social science and justice program in reconciliation studies.

Brown College is a private, career-focused institution accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges of Technology. The college serves the Twin Cities region with two convenient campuses and offers a diverse range of technology and design programs that stress the importance of real world career opportunities for students. Programs are designed to offer busy students attractive schedules such as short days, short weeks and the opportunity to graduate in as little as 18 months for some programs. Most faculty are industry-experienced full-time instructors.

Admissions

(763) 279-2400 (Brooklyn Center)(651) 905-3400 (Mendota Heights)

Financial Aid

(763) 566-2386 (Brooklyn Center)(651) 905-3400 (Mendota Heights)

Main Address

1440 Northland Drive Mendota Heights, MN 55120

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

11:1

Average Class Size

12

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, study abroad program, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,098
Full time	50%
Men	59%
Women	40%
25 or older	46%
Students of color	26%
Out-of-state	5%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	448
Total accepted	443
% Accepted	99%
Total who enrolled	443

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	48%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Varies by program

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$25

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview; varies by program, SLE assessment may be required (based on GPA)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$16,875
Room & Board Off cam	npus only
Books & SuppliesVaries by	program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 007351

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

The game design program is staffed with industry-recognized experts who have worked on the Harry Potter and Narnia films. Plus, 17 graduates of the radio broadcasting program are in the Minnesota Broadcasting Hall of Fame.

Carleton College is a coeducational residential college noted for bright and talented students and a strong faculty committed to teaching. Providing a first-class liberal arts education is Carleton's primary goal. By standard objective measures (such as the ability of new-entering students, the percentage of students who graduate or the number who earn doctoral degrees), Carleton is regarded as one of the country's best liberal arts colleges. Students come from nearly every state and many foreign countries as well as from a wide range of social, economic, racial and ethnic backgrounds.

Admissions

(507) 222-4190

Financial Aid

(507) 222-4138

Main Address

100 South College Street Northfield, MN 55057

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

9:1

Average Class Size

19

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, gymnastics, hockey, lacrosse, skiing, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, hockey, lacrosse, rowing, skiing, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

1,991
98%
48%
51%
0%
20%
70%
7%
94%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	4,856
Total accepted	1,496
% Accepted	31%
Total who enrolled	512
% submitting ACT	58%
% submitting SAT	68%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	97%
6-year graduation rate	92%
*See explanations of these rates on inside bad	ck cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Highly Selective

Accepted Applications

Common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$30, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 15 (early decision I), December 15 (early decision II), January 15 (regular decision)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, supplement to the common application

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, SAT subject tests recommended

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$42,942
Room & Board	\$11,238
Books & Supplies	\$1,460

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, CSS Profile, Noncustodial Parent's Statement from the College Board (if applicable), Business/Farm Supplement (if applicable)

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002340

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 55%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

You can bake cookies any time at the Dacie Moses House. This house was donated by Dacie Moses, a long-term business office employee, with the promise from the college that it keep providing the "dough".

A community and technical college, the campuses of **Central Lakes College** are located in the middle of Minnesota's heartland surrounded by recreational lakes and rivers offering many activities for students.

Admissions

(218) 855-8067 (Brainerd) (218) 894-5100 (Staples)

Financial Aid

(218) 855-8025 (Brainerd) (218) 894-5157 (Staples)

Main Address

501 West College Drive Brainerd, MN 56401

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, golf

Women

Basketball, golf, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,704
Full time	28%
Men	43%
Women	57%
25 or older	12%
Students of color	5%
Out-of-state	2%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	40%
Transfer rate	21%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	61%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); ability to benefit if not a high school graduate

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,165
Room & Board Off c	ampus only
Books & Supplies Varies	by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

002339

School Scholarship Deadline

June 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

75%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Century College is a comprehensive two-year college offering students a wide variety of academic options. Students can start the first half of a four-year degree and transfer to colleges and universities anywhere in the country, or they can pursue one of more than 60 technical and degree programs. The college offers many options for students to achieve their career goals, including day and evening courses and select online courses. Century College is located on 164 wooded acres of land with walking trails, a pond and athletic fields for intercollegiate men's and women's soccer, softball, baseball and intramural sports.

Admissions

(651) 773-1700

Financial Aid

(651) 779-3305

Main Address

3300 Century Avenue North White Bear Lake, MN 55110

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

30:1

Average Class Size

30

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, soccer

Women

Soccer, softball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	10,469
Full time	47%
Men	45%
Women	55%
25 or older	25%
Students of color	28%
Out-of-state	5%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	5,615
Total accepted	5,615
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	5,615

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	14%
Transfer rate	27%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	41%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

One week before the start of each semester

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,934
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

010546

School Scholarship Deadline

Early April

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

72%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Century offers a four-year degree in special education through a partnership with Minnesota State University Moorhead.

The College of Saint Benedict is a nationally-leading liberal arts college whose unique partnership offers students the educational choices of a large university and the individual attention of a premier small college. The college shares academic programs with Saint John's University, and students attend classes and activities together and have access to the resources of both campuses. This integrated learning experience is enlivened by Catholic and Benedictine traditions of hospitality, stewardship, service and the lively engagement of faith and reason. Ranked nationally among the top baccalaureate institutions for the number of students who study abroad, the college is committed to preparing students for leadership and service in a global society. The college enrolls students from around the world and integrates global citizenship into the curriculum.

Admissions

(320) 363-5055

Financial Aid

(320) 363-5388

Main Address

37 South College Avenue St. Joseph, MN 56374

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	2,082
Full time	98%
Men	0%
Women	100%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	6%
Out-of-state	14%
International	6%
Live on campus	80%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,707
Total accepted	1,382
% Accepted	81%
Total who enrolled	536
Average GPA	3.71
% submitting ACT	94%
Combined score	26
% submitting SAT	13%
Combined score	1,128

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	88%
6-year graduation rate	78%
* See explanations of these rates on inside b	oack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 15 (preferred, early action), January 15 (preferred, regular decision)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 3.0 GPA **Required Admissions Tests** ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$34,308
Room & Board	\$8,956
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form, parent(s) and student's income tax forms

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The Benedicta Arts Center is one of the finest performing arts centers in central Minnesota.

The College of Saint Scholastica is an independent college founded in the Catholic intellectual tradition and shaped by its Benedictine heritage. The college offers programs in the liberal arts and sciences and professional career fields. The Saint Scholastica community is committed to an educational process that requires students to meet rigorous academic standards, broaden the scope of their knowledge and be accountable to both self and society. The small, friendly community enables students to participate in extracurricular and recreational activities, and a low student-teacher ratio makes it easy to seek individualized help and encouragement. Last year, 97 percent of graduates either secured employment or enrolled in graduate school within six months of graduation. The School of Extended Studies offers students an accelerated degree evening program in Brainerd, Rochester, St. Cloud and St. Paul.

Admissions

(218) 723-6046

Financial Aid

(218) 723-6047

Main Address

1200 Kenwood Avenue Duluth, MN 55811

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

21

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, hockey, skiing, soccer, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, hockey, skiing, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

2,856
.90%
.32%
.68%
.19%
.12%
.13%
4%
.41%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,886
Total accepted	1,558
% Accepted	83%
Total who enrolled	550
Average GPA	3.46
% submitting ACT	95%
Combined score	23
% submitting SAT	5%
Combined score	1,513

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.76%
6-year graduation rate	.70%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Liberal

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), minimum 2.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$29,506
Room & Board	\$7,716
Books & Supplies	Varies by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002343

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 98%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Saint Scholastica was founded by Benedictine sisters in 1921 and sits on 80 acres of what was known as the Daisy Farm. The first medical records (health information management) bachelor's degree in the nation was started at the college in 1935.

Concordia College is a liberal arts and sciences college affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. The college is a four-year residential college offering a friendly, challenging and supportive community where students can discover themselves, their calling and the world. Concordia enrolls students from 38 states and 40 countries. The college is known for its internationally renowned music ensembles and is a leader in study abroad programs.

Admissions

(218) 299-3004

Financial Aid

(218) 299-3010

Main Address

901 8th Street South Moorhead, MN 56562

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, soccer, tennis, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,784
Full time	98%
Men	39%
Women	61%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	5%
Out-of-state	33%
International	4%
Live on campus	65%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,425
Total accepted	2,034
% Accepted	84%
Total who enrolled	681
Average GPA	3.59
% submitting ACT	93%
Combined score	25
% submitting SAT	11%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.84%
6-year graduation rate	.66%
* See explanations of these rates on inside b	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$29,360
Room & Board	\$6,790
Books & Supplies	\$900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002346

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 99%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Concordia College annually hosts 11,000 students, ages 7-18, from all 50 states at its language camps featuring villages in 15 languages: Arabic, Chinese, Danish, English, Finnish, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Norwegian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish and Swedish.

Concordia University is a Christian liberal arts university. The university's student-centered focus creates a caring, supportive and energetic environment, making the university a place that stands out for its warmth, character and academic strength. Backgrounds, cultural heritage and age of students may vary widely, yet all have found a welcoming, accepting place to grow academically, spiritually and interpersonally. At Concordia, you'll be a part of a close-knit, caring community that encourages you to explore your talents and achieve your potential. Concordia is a laptop university with wireless internet. All full-time, traditional students receive a laptop while they study at Concordia.

Admissions

(651) 641-8230

Financial Aid

(651) 603-6300

Main Address

275 Syndicate Street North St. Paul, MN 55104

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

16:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,776
Full time	80%
Men	42%
Women	58%
25 or older	38%
Students of color	21%
Out-of-state	22%
International	1%
Live on campus	24%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	746
Total accepted	566
% Accepted	76%
Total who enrolled	216
Average GPA	3.1
% submitting ACT	95%
Combined score	21
% submitting SAT	8%
Combined score	

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-	2nd year ret	ention	.72%
6-year	graduation i	rate	.50%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$30, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

August 1 (absolute, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, minimum 2.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT only

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$28,500
Room & Board	\$7,500
Books & Supplies	\$1,400

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002347

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 100%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Crown College is a Christian liberal arts college affiliated with the Christian and Missionary Alliance. Crown offers over 35 majors that prepare students for a variety of vocations while developing and educating them spiritually.

Admissions

(952) 446-4142

Financial Aid

(952) 446-4177

Main Address

8700 College View Drive St. Bonifacius, MN 55375

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer

Women

Basketball, cross country, soccer, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	621
Full time	94%
Men	43%
Women	57%
25 or older	6%
Students of color	18%
Out-of-state	37%
International	1%
Live on campus	77%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	383
Total accepted	295
% Accepted	77%
Total who enrolled	149
Average GPA	3.28
% submitting ACT	87%
Combined score	22
% submitting SAT	11%
Combined score	897

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retent	ion73%
6-year graduation rate	·49%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Liberal

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through August 23 (preferred, fall term) or December 31 (preferred, spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), application essay, minimum 2.0 GPA, top 50% of high school graduating class

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$21,470
Room & Board	\$7,380
Books & Supplies	\$1,140

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002383

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 99%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

The college is situated in the far western suburbs of the Twin Cities on 215 acres. The scenic campus offers a new 18-hole golf course, lakes for fishing and boating, and a variety of other outdoor activities.

Dakota County Technical College is a two-year college offering specific hands-on training in over 50 programs of study in such career areas as business and professional development, design, transportation, information technology, technical careers and health and human services. The college operates in three locations and consistently places over 90 percent of its graduates in jobs. Dakota County Technical College offers unique programs in woodfinishing technology, interior design, railroad conductor, nanoscience and GM automotive service.

Admissions

(651) 423-8000

Financial Aid

(651) 423-8299

Main Address

1300 145th Street East Rosemount, MN 55068

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

38:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College Level Exam Program,
Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, soccer

Women

Soccer, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	3,671
Full time	46%
Men	59%
Women	41%
25 or older	53%
Students of color	15%
Out-of-state	1%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,548
Total accepted	2,356
% Accepted	66%
Total who enrolled	1,702

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	34%
Transfer rate	19%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	53%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions on first-come, firstserved basis

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test, immunization form, some programs have additional requirements; campus visit recommended

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,298
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies Varies	s by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 010402

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 85%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Private Two-Year College

Duluth Business University is a private college specializing in skill-specific training. Programs are scheduled to meet the needs of busy students with day, evening and online classes, and emphasize hands-on training, employers' needs and long-term employment opportunities. Small class sizes provide students with significant one-on-one time with instructors. The university is open year-round with programs starting quarterly.

Admissions

(218) 722-4000

Financial Aid

(218) 722-4000

Main Address

4724 Mike Colalillo Drive Duluth, MN 55807

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

10

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

None

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	3//
Full time	65%
Men	18%
Women	82%
25 or older	62%
Students of color	4%
Out-of-state	8%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	599
Total accepted	597
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	375

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate45%	Overall	graduation	rate	45%
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* See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$35, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions through first day of classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$15,750
Room & Board Off car	mpus only
Books & Supplies Varies b	y program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form, authorizations **Title IV (FAFSA) School Code**

009892

School Scholarship Deadline Early July

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 85%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Private Two-Year College

A private, coeducational technical college located in the heart of Minneapolis, **Dunwoody College's** vision is to be recognized as a "best-in-class" leader and innovator in learner-centered workforce development. Dunwoody's mission is to provide leading-edge technological education and service to a diverse population of learners preparing for and practicing in business and industry. Founded in 1914, Dunwoody has an international reputation for outstanding career education programs.

Admissions

(612) 381-3041

Financial Aid

(612) 374-5800

Main Address

818 Dunwoody Boulevard Minneapolis, MN 55403

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Average Class Size

32

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,038
Full time	80%
Men	90%
Women	10%
25 or older	39%
Students of color	25%
Out-of-state	2%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	883
Total accepted	760
% Accepted	86%
Total who enrolled	656
Average GPA	2.85
% submitting ACT	0%
% submitting SAT	

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	54%
* See explanations of these rates on	inside back cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$50, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through June 15 (fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, application essay, minimum 2.0 GPA; some programs have additional requirements

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$15,800
Room & Board Off of	campus only
Books & Supplies Varies	by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

004641

School Scholarship Deadline

Quarterly

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

Dunwoody College's founder, William H. Dunwoody, also founded General Mills.

Founded in 1987 as the nation's only combined tribal college and state community college, Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College offers two-year associate degrees across a wide range of program areas. Popular programs include law enforcement, nursing, human services, business, liberal arts, American Indian studies and environmental science. Students may also choose to complete credits for transfer to another college. The college's goal is to provide a well-rounded experience for students so they can be successful in their educational endeavors. Classes are offered during the day, evening and on weekends. Intercollegiate athletics teams, student clubs and activities are added bonuses at Fond du Lac. Students can also earn a bachelor's degree in social work through the College of St. Scholastica or a bachelor's degree in business through Bemidji State University.

Admissions

(218) 879-0808

Financial Aid

(218) 879-0800

Main Address

2101 14th Street Cloquet, MN 55720

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Basketball, football

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,348
Full time	41%
Men	59%
Women	41%
25 or older	38%
Students of color	21%
Out-of-state	2%
International	0%
Live on campus	1%

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.28%
Transfer rate	17%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	45%

 $[\]ensuremath{^{\star}}$ See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

System (paper)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions prior to beginning of term

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,770
Room & Board	\$1,700
Books & Supplies	\$455

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 031291

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 90%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The main building on campus is designed in the shape of a thunderbird and is surrounded by pine trees.

Founded in 1885, Globe University is a private, proprietary career school offering diplomas as well as associate, bachelor's and master's degrees in programs including allied health, business, accounting and information technology. The university places 86 percent of its students in full-time employment after graduation.

Admissions

(612) 455-3000 (Minneapolis) (651) 714-7311 (Woodbury)

Financial Aid

(612) 455-3000 (Minneapolis) (651) 714-7311 (Woodbury)

Main Address

8089 Globe Drive Woodbury, MN 55125

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

10:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,442
Full time	40%
Men	36%
Women	64%
25 or older	61%
Students of color	36%
Out-of-state	35%
International	4%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	350
Total accepted	332
% Accepted	95%
Total who enrolled	250

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	.31%
* See explanations of these rates on inside be	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (online)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

None

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	. \$16,110
Room & Board Off car	npus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,620

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 004642

School Scholarship Deadline

Prior to enrollment

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

Globe University also has campuses in Sioux Fall, South Dakota and in Eau Claire, Green Bay, La Crosse, Madison, Middleton and Wausau in Wisconsin.

Gustavus Adolphus College is a private, coeducational liberal arts college committed to helping you make your life count in the classroom, on the field, on campus and wherever you go after college. The college culture is based on a powerful sense of community and the will to enhance the common good. Founded in 1862 by Swedish Lutheran immigrants, Gustavus is affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and hosts the annual Nobel Conference, which brings the world's greatest minds to campus each October to discuss important scientific issues of the day.

Admissions

(507) 933-7676

Financial Aid

(507) 933-7527

Main Address

800 West College Avenue St. Peter, MN 56082

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

11:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, skiing, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, hockey, skiing, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,396
Full time	98%
Men	57%
Women	43%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	14%
Out-of-state	17%
International	1%
Live on campus	80%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,213
Total accepted	2,259
% Accepted	70%
Total who enrolled	614
Average GPA	3.63
% submitting ACT	90%
Combined score	27
% submitting SAT	10%
Combined score	1,180

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	91%
6-year graduation rate	85%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	hack cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 1 (early action), December 1 (regular decision), rolling admissions after January 1

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, Gustavus Common Application Supplement

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$35,100
Room & Board	\$8,700
Books & Supplies	\$900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002353

School Scholarship Deadline

Priority date is January 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Of all 435 NCAA Division III colleges in the country, Gustavus ranks 18th for its overall athletics program and third in the number of Academic All-Americans.

Hamline University has been making history since 1854. Today more than 1,900 undergraduate students are developing their intellectual, creative and leadership potential and making their own mark on the world. Students choose from more than 40 areas of study and receive personal attention from faculty members who are at the top in their fields. Outside the classroom, students participate in more than 80 student organizations and 19 Division III athletic teams. All students engage in their local and global communities through internships, service-learning projects or study abroad opportunities. Hamline is the top-ranked and only "Great Schools, Great Prices" university of its class in Minnesota, according to *U.S. News & World Report*. Founded in 1854, Hamline also is Minnesota's first university and among the first coeducational institutions in the nation.

Admissions

(651) 523-2207

Financial Aid

(651) 523-3000

Main Address

1536 Hewitt Avenue St. Paul, MN 55104

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

19

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, hockey, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, gymnastics, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,982
Full time	95%
Men	45%
Women	55%
25 or older	7%
Students of color	23%
Out-of-state	17%
International	4%
Live on campus	39%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,155
Total accepted	1,662
% Accepted	77%
Total who enrolled	440
Average GPA	3.33
% submitting ACT	91%
Combined score	24
% submitting SAT	13%
Combined score	1,596

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	79%
6-year graduation rate	66%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Fall term: December 1 (absolute, early action), rolling admissions after February 1 (priority)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay; interviews are recommended; additional information may be required based on high school academic performance

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$31,948
Room & Board	\$8,504
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002354

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 93%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Hamline University hosted and played in the world's first intercollegiate basketball game on February 9, 1895 and is known as the "Birthplace of Intercollegiate Basketball".

The focus at Hennepin Technical College is hands-on training and education for employment. The college offers more than 50 majors in a variety of classroom and lab settings. Campuses are located in Brooklyn Park and Eden Prairie, and classes are offered during the day as well as in the evening. Programs run from five weeks to two years. The college awards degrees, diplomas and certificates.

Admissions

(763) 488-2500

Financial Aid

(763) 488-2500

Main Address

9000 Brooklyn Boulevard Brooklyn Park, MN 55445

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

25:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	13,832
Full time	32%
Men	57%
Women	43%
25 or older	60%
Students of color	68%
Out-of-state	2%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	7,690
Total accepted	7,690
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	4,430

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.26%
Transfer rate	.17%
3-year graduation + transfer rate.	.43%
* See explanations of these rates on inside h.	ack cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,414
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$2,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 010491

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School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

59%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Herzing University prepares students for careers in the health care industries. Graduates meet or exceed the expectations of their employers, and programs focus on the skills necessary to succeed. Herzing University offers diplomas, associate, bachelor's and master's degrees in the areas of technology management, business administration, dental assisting, dental hygiene, medical assisting and medical billing and insurance coding.

Admissions

(763) 535-3000

Financial Aid

(763) 535-3000

Main Address

5700 West Broadway Crystal, MN 55428

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

25:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College Level Exam Program

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	370
Full time	66%
Men	10%
Women	90%
25 or older	50%
Students of color	25%
Out-of-state	5%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	344
Total accepted	340
% Accepted	99%
Total who enrolled	235

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	59%
* See evaluations of these rates on inside ha	ck cove

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Varies by program

Accepted Applications

School (paper)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	. \$15,870
Room & Board Off car	mpus only
Books & Supplies	\$0

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 011017

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 91%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Hibbing Community College offers associate degrees that transfer and can be applied as the first two years of a bachelor's degree and technical career programs that prepare students for employment.

Admissions

(218) 262-7207

Financial Aid

(218) 262-7378

Main Address

1515 East 25th Street Hibbing, MN 55746

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, golf

Women

Basketball, golf, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	1,645
Full time	64%
Men	48%
Women	52%
25 or older	38%
Students of color	5%
Out-of-state	2%
International	0%
Live on campus	5%

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	30%
Transfer rate	26%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	56%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions through first day of classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); certain programs require physicals and background checks along with special entrance requirements

Required Admissions Tests

ACT required for certain programs, not required for general admission

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,024
Room & Board	\$6,075
Books & Supplies	\$900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002355

School Scholarship Deadline

March 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Private Two-Year College

The Institute of Production and Recording is a Minneapolis-based school featuring associate degrees in media arts with emphasis in audio production and engineering and music and entertainment business. Its 50,000+ square foot campus, staffed by award-winning entertainment industry professionals, is complete with more than 100 Pro Tools HD Accel, LE and M-Powered workstations including Logic and Final Cut, Adobe Creative Suite, and Ableton Live platforms and 15 Digidesign ICON integrated consoles. The institute is also an Apple/Authorized Training Center and a McDSP Education Partner.

Admissions

(612) 375-1900

Financial Aid

(612) 375-1900

Main Address

312 Washington Avenue North Minneapolis, MN 55401

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

15:1

Average Class Size

17

Study Options

Evening courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	463
Full time	87%
Men	86%
Women	14%
25 or older	21%
Students of color	13%
Out-of-state	34%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	812
Total accepted	802
% Accepted	99%
Total who enrolled	326

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	.57%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

Open admissions through the third day of the quarter

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, letters of recommendation; students need to complete a survey that is used to determine skills, ambitions and career goals

Required Admissions Tests

Applicants must have a minimum composite score of 21 on the ACT, a composite SAT score of 990 (math and reading), achieve at least the minimum score on the Career Programs Assesment test (CPAt) or provide documentation of a bachelor's degree.

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$25,875
Room & BoardO	ff campus only
Books & Supplies Va	ries by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 38%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

The institute's students are able to record their own music and produce multimedia content in 10 studios at more than 125 workstations 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Inver Hills Community College offers two-year associate degrees in a wide array of fields. Many graduates transfer to four-year schools to complete bachelor's degrees. Classes are offered days, evenings and some Saturdays, and over 25 percent of courses are available online. Being placed in a small learning community is an option for students, and new programs have been developed to help students of color and first-generation students succeed in college. Inver Hills is a scenic campus with 90 acres of rolling woodlands and wetlands and eight separate buildings with distinctive natural architecture. Many student clubs and organizations are available to help students enjoy the feel of a larger four-year school, but with the added service and attention of smaller liberal arts colleges.

Admissions

(651) 450-3000

Financial Aid

(651) 450-3518

Main Address

2500 East 80th Street Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

26:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	6,396
Full time	39%
Men	40%
Women	59%
25 or older	43%
Students of color	23%
Out-of-state	2%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

lotal applicants	3,442
Total accepted	3,442
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	1,901
Average GPA	2.27

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	16%
Transfer rate	35%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	50%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ha	ck cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions through August 12

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); some programs have additional requirements or applications, including nursing, emergency health services and international students

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,965
Room & Board	Off campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,500

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 006935

School Scholarship Deadline

April and September
First-Year Students Receiving Aid

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 60%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The college offers CISCO certification and is a Center of Excellence for computer training.

At Itasca Community College, you can take general education courses, earn an Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree in two years and then transfer to a four-year college as a junior. You can also complete one of the college's career programs and be ready for work in two years or less. You'll find the "big college" experience on a friendly, comfortable and academically challenging campus surrounded by majestic pine trees. Itasca has exceptional programs in engineering, psychology, early childhood education, business, natural resources, education, geographic information systems and practical nursing. The college offers free tutoring, study skills assistance, dormitory and apartment housing on and near campus, up-to-date computer labs, online registration and library services. Students can earn the last two years of a four-year degree in business management through the College of St. Scholastica.

Admissions

(218) 322-2340

Financial Aid

(218) 322-2320

Main Address

1851 East Highway 169 Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

22:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, wrestling

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,300
Full time	76%
Men	55%
Women	45%
25 or older	30%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	7%
International	2%
Live on campus	11%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	887
Total accepted	887
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	574

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	35%
Transfer rate	33%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	68%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Open admissions through end of August

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,944
Room & Board	\$6,214
Books & Supplies	\$700

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002356

002356

School Scholarship Deadline

Early March

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 91%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Itasca county is home to more than 1,000 lakes and endless acres of north woods for exploring.

Private Two-Year College

ITT Technical Institute provides technology-oriented postsecondary programs at the associate and bachelor's degree levels in four programs of study: information technology, electronics engineering technology, drafting and design and criminal justice. Programs of study are delivered through a combination of resident and online formats. Most classes have about 15 students, which ensures students receive plenty of face-to-face time with instructors, and a lot of hands-on experience.

Admissions

(952) 914-5304 (Eden Prairie) (651) 379-7700 (Woodbury)

Financial Aid

(952) 914-5300 (Eden Prairie) (651) 379-7700 (Woodbury)

Main Address

8911 Columbine Road Eden Prairie, MN 55347

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College Level Exam Program

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	565
Full time	100%
Men	85%
Women	15%
25 or older	46%
Students of color	20%
Out-of-state	1%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

732
659
.90%
366
.17%
.80%

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Open admissions until term begins

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, Wonderlic test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$17,748
Room & Board Off carr	npus only
Books & Supplies Varies by	program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form, tax returns, W-2s **Title IV (FAFSA) School Code** 030875

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 90%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

*Last updated in 2010

Lake Superior College is a public community and technical college offering training opportunities in over 70 different careers as well as a transfer program of study designed to assist students who seek a bachelor's degree. The college offers unique training opportunities including massage therapy, radiologic technology, diagnostic medical sonography, a professional pilot program and fire technology and administration.

Admissions

(218) 733-7601

Financial Aid

(218) 733-7601

Main Address

2101 Trinity Road Duluth, MN 55811

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

25:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	4,515
Full time	53%
Men	46%
Women	54%
25 or older	40%
Students of color	7%
Out-of-state	10%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,241
Total accepted	2,601
% Accepted	80%
Total who enrolled	1.190

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	25%
Transfer rate	26%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	51%
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^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

System (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions until one week prior to the start of the term

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$18,020
Room & Board Off carr	pus only
Books & Supplies Varies by	program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 005757

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 67%

Affiliation

Leech Lake Tribal College is an institution of higher education grounded in Anishinaabe knowledge and culture responsive to the changing academic, vocational and personal enrichment goals of its diverse community.

Admissions

(218) 335-4220

Financial Aid

(218) 335-4220

Main Address

6945 Littlewolf Road Northwest P.O. Box 180 Cass Lake, MN 56633

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

11:1

Average Class Size

13

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	235
Full time	72%
Men	38%
Women	62%
25 or older	63%
Students of color	88%
Out-of-state	0%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	107
Total accepted	94
% Accepted	88%
Total who enrolled	63

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-vear	graduation	rate	20%
J-yeai	graduation	rate	20 /0

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper)

Application Fee

\$15

Application Deadline

Open, rolling admissions through August 20 (preferred, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,430
Room & Board	Off campus only
Books & Supplies	\$800

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, verification

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

030964

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 75%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

Leech Lake Tribal College offers courses in Ojibwe language, history and art.

Macalester College has been preparing students for world citizenship and providing an integrated international education for over six decades. The college challenges students to consider ideas from multiple perspectives, to be responsible global citizens and to forge solutions to problems that the world faces today and will encounter tomorrow. Macalester students come from every state and 90 countries for an academic program ranked among the top 20 in the nation. Students also benefit from the opportunity to learn in an international community with faculty who love to teach, and a location that offers broad accessible research and internship opportunities, plus a friendly neighborhood. Most students study abroad for a semester, and graduates reap the benefits of a global education in the job market and at the nation's top graduate programs.

Admissions

(651) 696-6357

Financial Aid

(651) 696-6214

Main Address

1600 Grand Avenue St. Paul, MN 55105

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

11:1

Average Class Size

17

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,033
Full time	98%
Men	42%
Women	58%
25 or older	0%
Students of color	20%
Out-of-state	73%
International	11%
Live on campus	65%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	4,317
Total accepted	1,837
% Accepted	43%
Total who enrolled	515
% submitting ACT	57%
Combined score	30
% submitting SAT	65%
Combined score	1,351

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	94%
6-year graduation rate	86%
* See explanations of these rates on inside b	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Highly Selective

Accepted Applications

Common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$40, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 15 (early decision I), January 3 (early decision II), January 15 (regular decision)

Additional Requirements

Transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$42,021
Room & Board	\$9,396
Books & Supplies	\$1,010

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, CSS Profile, tax returns and W2s from parent(s) and student, Noncustodial PROFILE (if applicable)

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002358

School Scholarship Deadline

February (for need-based aid)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

70%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Café Mac, the college dining hall, offers four food centers with foods from all over the world, including Tso chicken with jasmine rice, North Shore fish and chips, and Spanish omelets with corn tortillas and chili. Chefs even try new recipes from students.

Martin Luther College is is owned and operated by the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. The college prepares men and women for various areas of the Christian ministry in the Wisconsin Synod. It is situated on top of a wooded range of hills overlooking New Ulm which is located 100 miles southwest of Minneapolis.

Admissions

(507) 354-8221 x280

Financial Aid

(507) 354-8221

Main Address

1995 Luther Court New Ulm, MN 56073

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Weekend courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary **Enrollment Options**

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	/10
Full time	98%
Men	50%
Women	50%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	3%
Out-of-state	90%
International	1%
Live on campus	90%

Freshmen Profile

256
250
98%
185
3.0
99%
0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd y	ear retent	ion	85%
6-year gradı	uation rate		71%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through May 1 (fall term, regular decision) or November 15 (spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, letters of recommendation, minimum 2.5 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$11,320
Room & Board	\$4,390
Books & Supplies	\$800

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002361

School Scholarship Deadline April 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 90%

Affiliation

None

Located in the heart of St. Paul, McNally Smith College of Music is one of the preeminent colleges of contemporary music in the world. The college offers diplomas and Associate of Applied Science degrees in live sound, recording engineering and Hip Hop Studies. Bachelor's degrees are offered in music business, composition, music production and music performance (guitar, bass, percussion, voice, keyboard, strings, and brass and woodwinds). As musicians, engineers, songwriters and current and former music industry executives, faculty members are actively engaged in all aspects of today's music industry and provide a comprehensive education for the next generation of music industry leaders and others with a passion for music.

Admissions

(651) 361-3460

Financial Aid

(651) 361-3321

Main Address

19 Exchange Street East St. Paul, MN 55101

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

7:1

Average Class Size

10

Study Options

Summer courses, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	641
Full time	75%
Men	79%
Women	21%
25 or older	12%
Students of color	19%
Out-of-state	52%
International	3%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	550
Total accepted	450
% Accepted	.82%
Total who enrolled	300
% submitting ACT	.60%
Combined score	22
% submitting SAT	.10%

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	/8%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$75, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through August 1

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview, letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 2.0 GPA (associate applicant) or 2.5 GPA (bachelor's applicant); audition, music demo or entrance exam (or a combination of these) may be required for some programs

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT (required for bachelor's degree programs only)

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$24,820
Room & Board	\$5,000
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 030012

School Scholarship Deadline March 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 75%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

The college's alumni are employed at major music industry companies or signed to labels throughout the world, including many headquartered in the Twin Cities, New York, Los Angeles and Nashville.

Mesabi Range Community and Technical College is located in the heart of beautiful northeastern Minnesota. Campuses are located only minutes from Giants Ridge Golf and Ski Resort, which boasts some of the finest downhill skiing and snowboarding in the Midwest, and two 18-hole championship golf courses. The nearby Boundary Waters Canoe Area wilderness and Superior National Forest also provide unique outdoor opportunities. Campuses feature state-of-the-art equipment in the college's career programs which enables exciting, hands-on learning. Small class sizes ensure that students receive personal attention and interact with other students. A full slate of activities and athletics are offered to enhance the college experience.

Admissions

(218) 744-7506 (Eveleth) (218) 749-0313 (Virginia)

Financial Aid

(218) 749-7755

Main Address

1001 Chestnut Street West Virginia, MN 55792

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

20:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, golf **Women**

Basketball, golf, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,702
Full time	57%
Men	56%
Women	43%
25 or older	33%
Students of color	0%
Out-of-state	4%
International	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,030
Total accepted	1,030
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	1,030

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	44%
Transfer rate	19%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	263%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Fifth day of fall classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,024
Room & Board	\$6,032
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 004009

School Scholarship Deadline March

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

Public Four-Year University

Metropolitan State University serves nearly 10,000 undergraduate and graduate students throughout the Twin Cities metropolitan area each year. The university is an urban, public university providing a wide range of degree programs. The faculty have extensive real world experience in the areas they teach.

Admissions

(651) 793-1302

Financial Aid

(651) 793-1414

Main Address

700 East 7th Street St. Paul, MN 55106

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

16:1

Average Class Size

40

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, online courses, study abroad program, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	6,599
Full time	36%
Men	41%
Women	59%
25 or older	90%
Students of color	29%
Out-of-state	4%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	345
Total accepted	287
% Accepted	83%
Total who enrolled	129
% submitting ACT	21%
% submitting SAT	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	59%
6-year graduation rate	14%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

June 15 (fall term), November 15 (spring term), March 15 (summer term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), 21 on ACT or ranked in top half of high school graduating class

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, not required if you are ranked in the top half of your graduating high school class

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$6,322
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,500

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 010374

School Scholarship Deadline April

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 50%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Thirty percent of Metropolitan State's students and faculty represent communities of color.

Private Two-Year College

Minneapolis Business College offers programs in medical assisting, administrative assisting, legal administration, paralegal, travel and hospitality, accounting, graphic design, computer programming, network management and office administration. The college assists with financial planning, graduation and career placement.

Admissions

(651) 636-7406

Financial Aid

(612) 636-7406

Main Address

1711 West County Road B Roseville, MN 55113

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

30:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

None

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

None

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	52/
Full time	100%
Men	33%
Women	67%
25 or older	10%
Students of color	41%
Out-of-state	4%
International	0%
Live on campus	12%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	815
Total accepted	711
% Accepted	87%
Total who enrolled	370

Student Retention & Graduation*

	Overall	graduation	rate	82%
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^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

Open admissions through end of August

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); some students may be required to pass an entrance exam; those applying to the paralegal program must pass an entrance test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$14,040
Room & Board	\$6,780
Books & SuppliesVarie	es by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 004645

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 99%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

All of the college's graduates receive lifetime job placement assistance.

The Minneapolis College of Art and Design is a small four-year private college committed to educating individuals to become professional artists and designers, leaders and effective critical thinkers. The college offers rigorous programs focused on studio-based and liberal arts courses and offers Bachelor and Master of Fine Arts degrees with 13 majors in fine arts, media and design as well as the unique Bachelor of Science degree in visualization. Some of our more prominent majors include comic art, web and multimedia environments, graphic design and advertising. State-of-the-art facilities are available 24/7 and students have the opportunity for personal studio space and on-campus living. The college was founded in 1886 and has the highest level of accreditation for a school of its kind.

Admissions

(612) 874-3760

Financial Aid

(612) 874-3782

Main Address

2501 Stevens Avenue Minneapolis, MN 55404

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

15:1

Average Class Size

17

Study Options

Evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	668
Full time	94%
Men	41%
Women	59%
25 or older	11%
Students of color	13%
Out-of-state	56%
International	1%
Live on campus	42%

Freshmen Profile

lotal applicants	611
Total accepted	417
% Accepted	68%
Total who enrolled	185
Average GPA	3.3
% submitting ACT	83%
Combined score	24
% submitting SAT	25%
Combined score	.1,660

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.79%
6-year graduation rate	.73%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (online)

Application Fee

\$50, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through February 15 (priority, fall term) or May 1 (absolute, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 2.5 GPA, portfolio of visual art (Bachelor of Fine Arts candidates) or creative writing essay (Bachelor of Science candidates)

Required Admissions Tests ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$30,585
Room & Board	\$4,540
Books & Supplies	\$2,640

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002365

School Scholarship Deadline

February 15 (for new student merit scholarships)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 90%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

MCAD is one of only three accredited art colleges in the country offering a bachelor's degree in comic arts.

Minneapolis Community and Technical College is conveniently located in downtown Minneapolis with easy access to jobs, internships, city life, restaurants, entertainment venues, and cultural activities. The college is among the most culturally diverse postsecondary institutions in the state. Students learn in an environment filled with people of all ages, races, ethnic cultures and socio-economic backgrounds. With 130 programs in liberal arts, career and technical fields, the college offers an array of academic and career choices. Classes are held days, evenings, weekends and online. The campus has a state-of-the-art library and science center as well as a new culinary kitchen and dining room, Boynton Health Service clinic and outdoor plaza connected to Loring Park.

Admissions

(612) 659-6200

Financial Aid

(612) 659-6240

Main Address

1501 Hennepin Avenue Minneapolis, MN 55403

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

27:1

Average Class Size

23

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

iotai fali enrollment	10,545
Full time	40%
Men	46%
Women	54%
25 or older	52%
Students of color	52%
Out-of-state	3%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	9%
Transfer rate	.25%
3-year graduation + transfer rate.	.34%

$\ensuremath{^{\star}}$ See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open admissions through early-August (fall term), end of December (spring term) or end of May (summer term; February 1 for nursing program)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,081
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 68%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Over 80 languages and dialects are spoken on campus.

Blaine, Brooklyn Center, Elk River, Lakeville, Moorhead, Plymouth, Richfield, Rochester, St. Cloud, Shakopee

Private Four-Year College / University

Minnesota School of Business has provided specialized career training programs for 130 years and offers diploma to master's degree programs. The school is recognized as a highly respected provider of private business, allied health, legal science and technology education in the upper Midwest. Students acquire the skills and education necessary to become successful in their chosen careers through its employer-approved curriculum and hands-on training.

Admissions

(507) 225-8000 (Blaine)

(763) 566-7777 (Brooklyn Center)

(763) 367-7000 (Elk River)

(952) 892-9000 (Lakeville)

(218) 422-1000 (Moorhead)

(763) 476-2000 (Plymouth)

(612) 861-2000 (Richfield)

(507) 536-9500 (Rochester)

(507) 257-2000 (St. Cloud)

(952) 345-1200 (Shakopee)

Financial Aid

(763) 225-8000 (Blaine)

(763) 566-7777 (Brooklyn Center)

(763) 367-7000 (Elk River)

(952) 892-9000 (Lakeville)

(218) 422-1000 (Moorhead)

(763) 476-2000 (Plymouth)

(612) 861-2000 (Richfield)

(507) 536-9500 (Rochester)

(320) 257-2000 (St. Cloud)

(952) 345-1200 (Shakopee)

Main Address

8089 Globe Drive Woodbury, MN 55125

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

10:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	6,689
Full time	31%
Men	28%
Women	72%
25 or older	63%
Students of color	27%
Out-of-state	5%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,500
Total accepted	2,250
% Accepted	90%
Total who enrolled	1.500

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall	gradua	ation rate	 .34%

* See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity Open

Accepted Applications

School (online)

Application Fee

\$50

Application Deadline

None

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$19,575
Room & Board	. Off campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 017145

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

93%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical is a two-campus technical college offering more than 80 diverse programs. Small classes, experienced instructors and labs and shops with state-of-the-art technology provide the training needed for today's high-tech careers. Certificates, diplomas and associate degrees can be earned on campus or through online classes.

Admissions

(651) 385-6300 (Red Wing) (507) 453-2700 (Winona)

Financial Aid

(651) 385-6323 (Red Wing) (507) 453-2710 (Winona)

Main Address

1250 Homer Road P.O. Box 409 Winona, MN 55987

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Average Class Size

22

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	3,433
Full time	72%
Men	39%
Women	61%
25 or older	49%
Students of color	11%
Out-of-state	24%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,081
Total accepted	2,834
% Accepted	92%
Total who enrolled	1,777

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate3	3%
Transfer rate1	8%
3-year graduation + transfer rate 5	1%
* See explanations of these rates on inside back	cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

System (online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); applicants without a high school diploma or GED may be admitted if, at the discretion of the college, that applicant demonstrates potential for being a successful student

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,986
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1.000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002393

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 75%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Community and Technical College offers more than 120 academic and career programs on its four campuses and through its online eCampus. Financial aid (including the eCampus) and scholarship opportunities makes it an affordable option for a top-notch education. All campuses are wireless. While all locations offer intramural athletics, the Fergus Falls location offers varsity football, volleyball, basketball, softball, baseball and golf. Affordable housing is near all campuses with the Fergus Falls and Moorhead campuses offering college-operated housing. Some of the most popular and unique programs include electrical line worker, equine science, powersports and dental hygiene. All campuses also offer nursing programs, and the college's most popular program is its Associate of Arts transfer degree. Students can also earn a bachelor's degree in business 4.0 (Fergus Falls campus only) through Minnesota State University Moorhead.

Admissions

(218) 846-3700 (Detroit Lakes) (218) 736-1500 (Fergus Falls) (218) 299-6500 (Moorhead) (218) 631-7800 (Wadena) (218) 736-1500 (Online Education)

Financial Aid

(218) 846-3754 (Detroit Lakes) (218) 736-1534 (Fergus Falls) (218) 299-6539 (Moorhead) (218) 631-7820 (Wadena)

Main Address

1414 College Way Fergus Falls, MN 56537

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Varies

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, golf

Women

Basketball, golf, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	6,980
Full time	70%
Men	41%
Women	59%
25 or older	35%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	26%
International	1%
Live on campus	1%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	4,059
Total accepted	3,270
% Accepted	81%
Total who enrolled	2.781

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	35%
Transfer rate	20%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	55%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ha	ck cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions through mid-August

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	.\$4,914
Room & Board*	.\$6,724
Books & Supplies	.\$1,960
* Forgus Falls and Moorhoad campuses or	

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 85%

Affiliation

Public Four-Year University

Just 85 miles south of Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minnesota State University, Mankato is a beautifully landscaped, 300-acre campus overlooking the majestic Minnesota River Valley. The university is among the largest in Minnesota, offering a full college campus experience in an inspiring academic setting. In addition to the popular majors such as business, education and marketing, the university also offers bachelor's degrees in astronomy, athletic training, automotive engineering technology, construction management, civil engineering, computer engineering technology, family consumer science, Scandinavian studies, technical communication, urban planning and regional studies, plus 16 preprofessional programs. The university has \$80 million in scholarships, assistantships, grants, work study and loans available to students.

Admissions

(507) 389-1822

Financial Aid

(507) 389-1866

Main Address

122 Taylor Center Mankato, MN 56001

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

23:1

Average Class Size

27

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	13,048
Full time	89%
Men	52%
Women	48%
25 or older	5%
Students of color	17%
Out-of-state	14%
International	3%
Live on campus	25%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	6,149
Total accepted	5,640
% Accepted	92%
Total who enrolled	2,383
% submitting ACT	95%
% submitting SAT	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.77%
6-year graduation rate	.51%
*See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions until five days before the semester starts

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); letters of recommendation and personal letter may be requested, if needed

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$7,088
Room & Board	\$6,988
Books & Supplies	\$900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002360

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by department

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The university is the current location of the Minnesota Vikings training camp.

Public Four-Year University

Minnesota State University Moorhead is a comprehensive liberal arts university. The university offers more than 100 areas of study allowing students to earn certificates as well as associate, bachelor's, master's and specialist degrees. The student population is large enough to offer great variety, yet small enough to provide personal attention. The university participates in a Tri-College opportunity that allows students to enroll in courses at Concordia College and North Dakota State University while continuing to pay Minnesota State University Moorhead's low price.

Admissions

(218) 477-2161

Financial Aid

(218) 477-2251

Main Address

1104 7th Avenue South Moorhead, MN 56563

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

23

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Basketball, cross country, football, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	7,012
Full time	83%
Men	43%
Women	57%
25 or older	18%
Students of color	7%
Out-of-state	38%
International	6%
Live on campus	24%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,239
Total accepted	2,372
% Accepted	73%
Total who enrolled	1,238
% submitting ACT	95%
Combined score	21
% submitting SAT	3%
Combined score	1,022

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	67%
6-year graduation rate	43%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through August 1 (fall term), December 1 (spring term) or May 1 (summer term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); students who do not meet automatic admission criteria are reviewed on a case-by-case basis

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$7,384
Room & Board	\$6,726
Books & Supplies	\$800

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002367

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 85%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The university's Dragon mascot originated after a 1930's fire in the Old Main building. A student saw the billowing smoke and thought it looked like a dragon. The mascot was designed by a former student.

Minnesota West Community and Technical College and its five southwestern Minnesota campuses offer more than 60 specialized technical and liberal arts programs. Minnesota West also has learning centers in Fairmont, Luverne, Marshall and Redwood Falls. Students can earn certificates and diplomas as well as associate degrees at all campus locations. Minnesota West is one of the online delivery leaders within the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system. Students can complete the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum or Associate in Arts degree online and transfer to other colleges or universities to complete a bachelor's degree. Numerous online programs and courses are available to students who need alternative educational options.

Admissions

(507) 825-6800

Financial Aid

(507) 223-7252 (Canby) (320) 564-5019 (Granite Falls) (507) 847-7941 (Jackson) (507) 825-6818 (Pipestone) (507) 372-3450 (Worthington)

Main Address

1450 Collegeway Worthington, MN 56187

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

14

Study Options

Remedial courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, golf, wrestling

Women

Basketball, golf, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	3,465
Full time	48%
Men	46%
Women	52%
25 or older	45%
Students of color	11%
Out-of-state	10%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,957
Total accepted	1,575
% Accepted	80%
Total who enrolled	1,153

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.48%
Transfer rate	.14%
3-year graduation + transfer rate.	.61%
* See explanations of these rates on inside b	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

System (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,424
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

005263

School Scholarship Deadline

August 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

71%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Minnesota West is the only school in the Minnesota State College and University system with its own wind generator. The turbine supplies energy to the Canby campus and is used to train students in the wind energy program.

National American University is a private regionally-accredited, multi-campus institution committed to building a learning partnership with students locally, nationally and worldwide. The university provides quality career and professional undergraduate and graduate programs and continuing education to students of diverse backgrounds, interests and abilities. The university offers educational programs that are responsive to the career interests and objectives of its students, to the needs of employers and to society in general through traditional, accelerated and distance delivery methodologies. Most classes meet once per week at convenient times, including Saturdays and online.

Admissions

(952) 356-3600 (Bloomington) (763) 852-7500 (Brooklyn Center) (952) 562-4200 (Minnetonka) (651) 855-6300 (Roseville)

Financial Aid

(952) 356-3600 (Bloomington) (763) 852-7500 (Brooklyn Center) (952) 562-4200 (Minnetonka) (651) 855-6300 (Roseville)

Main Address

1550 West Highway 36 Roseville, MN 55113

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

16

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,000
Men	47%
Women	53%
Live on campus	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	. 18%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$25

Application Deadline

Open admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$10,521
Room & Board Off c	ampus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,350

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 004057

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 100%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

National American University was founded in 1941 in Rapid City, South Dakota. The school mascot is the Maverick.

Normandale Community College has more than 40 academic programs as well as outstanding student life and academic support services. With faculty dedicated to teaching excellence and average class sizes around 27 students, Normandale is small enough to allow you to get to know your instructors and other students. Nearly two-thirds of Normandale's graduates transfer to four-year colleges. Students in fields such as accounting, business, criminal justice, computer technology, dental hygiene, hospitality management, nanotechnology, nursing and radiologic technology benefit from Normandale's excellent reputation and job placement services.

Admissions

(952) 487-8201

Financial Aid

(952) 487-8250

Main Address

9700 France Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55431

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

28:1

Average Class Size

28

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	10,230
Full time	47%
Men	45%
Women	55%
25 or older	35%
Students of color	27%
Out-of-state	1%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	5,100
Total accepted	4,200
% Accepted	82%
Total who enrolled	3,273

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.10%
Transfer rate	.46%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	.56%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions through mid-August (fall term) or early-January (spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,654
Room & BoardOf	ff campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,160

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 007954

School Scholarship Deadline

April 1
First-Year Students Receiving Aid

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 57%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

All campus facilities are interconnected so that students don't have to exit one building to get to another. It's a popular feature when it rains or snows.

North Central University is a Christ-centered, Pentecostal school with a commitment to academic excellence that prepares students to fulfill biblical models of leadership and ministry throughout the world. Students are trained in all aspects of church-related ministry with emphasis on pastoral leadership, preaching, teaching, evangelism, church planting, business, psychology, missions and music. The university has more than 30 student organizations with 250 leadership positions to fit a wide range of interests.

Admissions

(612) 343-4460

Financial Aid

(612) 343-4485

Main Address

910 Elliot Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55404

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

20

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, academic honor societies, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,353
Full time	90%
Men	42%
Women	55%
25 or older	4%
Students of color	3%
Out-of-state	22%
International	0%
Live on campus	85%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	986
Total accepted	734
% Accepted	.74%
Total who enrolled	430
% submitting ACT	.86%
% submitting SAT	.14%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.66%
6-year graduation rate	.46%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Liberal

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$25, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

June 1 (preferred, fall term), December 1 (preferred, spring term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 2.2 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$17,798
Room & Board	\$5,682
Books & Supplies	\$1,134

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002369

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship First-Year Students Receiving Aid

98%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

The college is one of only a few with private skyways for students to use during the cold winter months.

At North Hennepin Community College, students of all ages can transfer to a four-year institution or earn a certificate or two-year degree to immediately enter the workforce. The college offers classes during the day, evening and on weekends in traditional, accelerated and online formats. Students from many different countries, cultures, ages and backgrounds attend the college creating a dynamic classroom dialogue and rich learning environment. The college offers small class sizes, individual attention and qualified faculty who are eager to help students succeed. Also available are services in counseling, advising, career planning, tutoring, disability access, English for speakers of other languages and services for first-generation college students.

Admissions

(763) 488-0392

Financial Aid

(763) 424-0728

Main Address

7411 85th Avenue North Brooklyn Park, MN 55445

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

28:1

Average Class Size

30

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	7,505
Full time	37%
Men	43%
Women	57%
25 or older	44%
Students of color	40%
Out-of-state	13%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,427
Total accepted	1,427
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	1,427

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	15%
Transfer rate	31%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	46%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open admissions until two weeks prior to the start of the term

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); nursing, MLT, and histotechnology programs have additional requirements

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,963
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies Varies	by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

002370

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship; most are due by early April

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

65%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

North Hennepin currently works with several universities to offer bachelor's degrees on its Brooklyn Park campus in the areas of biology, business administration, construction management, nursing and operations management.

Northland Community and Technical College offers certificates, diplomas, transfer courses and associate degrees in more than 80 areas of study as well as workforce training and continuing education programs. The college has campuses in East Grand Forks and Thief River Falls.

Admissions

(218) 793-2800 (East Grand Forks) (218) 683-8554 (Thief River Falls)

Financial Aid

(218) 793-2800 (East Grand Forks) (218) 683-8800 (Thief River Falls)

Main Address

1101 Highway 1 East Thief River Falls, MN 56701

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

17:1

Average Class Size

22

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	2,038
Full time	58%
Men	44%
Women	56%
25 or older	28%
Students of color	14%
Out-of-state	30%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,901
Total accepted	1,901
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	1,181

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	29%
Transfer rate	20%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	49%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions until fifth day of semester

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,227
Room & Board Off of	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002385

School Scholarship Deadline April 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 73%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Until 1904, an Ojibwe (Chippewa) village of 40 families was located where Thief River and Red Lake Rivers meet. This is the current site of the Thief River campus.

Northwest Technical College provides a 21st century learning environment, where technology is the foundation of all instruction. The college's unique partnership with Bemidji State University means students can live in the university's residence halls and take advantage of university services and activities. Northwest offers associate degree, diploma, and certificate programs in business, health/human and protective services, industrial technologies, and environment technologies. Industrial model-making and high performance engine machining are two unique programs. Students in the college's nursing program can continue on to complete a Bachelor of Science in nursing from Bemidji State. The college has online majors in nursing, accounting, administrative support, medical administrative secretary, medical office practices, medical coding/insurance and transcription, marketing and management, sales, supervisory management and occupational health and safety. New in 2011 is the emerging computer technologies program.

Admissions

(218) 333-6647

Financial Aid

(218) 333-6649

Main Address

905 Grant Avenue Southeast Bemidii, MN 56601

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

21:1

Average Class Size

17

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,419
Full time	40%
Men	33%
Women	67%
25 or older	52%
Students of color	13%
Out-of-state	11%
International	0%
Live on campus	2%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,071
Total accepted	1,071
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	678
Total who enrolled	67

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	29%
Transfer rate	21%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	50%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions until fifth day of term (last day to enroll/add classes)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); transcripts from other colleges are not required for admission, but are needed for transfer evaluation, placement assessment waiver and financial aid

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,284
Room & Board*	-
Books & Supplies	\$1,200
* Through Donaidii Ctata University	

^{*} Through Bemidji State University

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 005759

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 81%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Northwest Technical is aligned with Bemidji State University, sharing the same president. This means that Northwest students have access to courses, residence halls, facilities and learning opportunities at the university.

Northwestern College is a four-year Christian liberal arts college. Its mission is to prepare students for a career, ministry and life. Located on beautiful Lake Johanna, Northwestern is wholeheartedly Christian, academically excellent, focused on community and engaged in the world. Northwestern seeks students who want to grow in their faith and who demonstrate a potential to contribute to the college community.

Admissions

(651) 631-5111

Financial Aid

(651) 631-5212

Main Address

3003 Snelling Avenue North St. Paul, MN 55113

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	.1,858
Full time	97%
Men	44%
Women	56%
25 or older	3%
Students of color	11%
Out-of-state	32%
International	1%
Live on campus	67%

Freshmen Profile

lotal applicants	1,053
Total accepted	1,032
% Accepted	98%
Total who enrolled	439
Average GPA	3.5
% submitting ACT	95%
Combined score	24
% submitting SAT	13%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	79%
6-year graduation rate	61%

* See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions, preferably before Christmas

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 2.5 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$25,490
Room & Board	\$8,000
Books & Supplies	\$610

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002371

School Scholarship Deadline

On a rolling basis; priority date is before April 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 97%

Affiliation

None

Curious Fact

The campus community spraypaints announcements on a giant rock on campus.

Pine Technical College is located 60 miles north of the Twin Cities and awards certificates, diplomas and two-year degrees. Notable programs include accounting, business administration, gunsmithing technology, practical nursing, automotive technology, computerized network control/machining (CNC), early childhood development, American sign language, health science, computer science and many more.

Admissions

(320) 629-5100

Financial Aid

(320) 629-5100

Main Address

900 Fourth Street SE Pine City, MN 55063

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

19

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	900
Full time	37%
Men	32%
Women	68%
25 or older	72%
Students of color	6%
Out-of-state	12%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	900
Total accepted	900
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	900

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	31%
Transfer rate	31%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions until two weeks prior to the start of the semester (preferred, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,800
Room & BoardO	ff campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

005535

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

84%

Affiliation

Rainy River Community College is located in northern Minnesota where, just minutes from campus, you can fish a hot spot on a lake or river, find a wilderness campsite in a world-class national park or visit a Native American museum in Canada. The setting is a small, secure community of about 6,700 people located between a lake, a river, a national park and the Canadian border. The 80-acre campus has an eight-building complex connected with heated walkways enclosing a landscaped courtyard. The grounds feature a softball field, tennis courts, lighted cross-country skiing and hiking trails and three ponds edged by decks and walkways. The adjacent student housing offers furnished apartment-style accommodations.

Admissions

(218) 285-2207

Financial Aid

(218) 285-2205

Main Address

1501 Highway 71 International Falls, MN 56649

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

15:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball

Women

Basketball, hockey, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

342
83%
37%
63%
0%
25%
0%
0%
27%

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	21%
Transfer rate	36%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	57%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); applicants without a high school diploma or GED may be admitted if, at the discretion of the college, that applicant demonstrates potential for being a successful student by taking the computerized placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,972
Room & Board	\$5,000
Books & Supplies	\$800

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 006775

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Rainy River Community College is located along the Canadian border.

Rasmussen College is a private, regionally-accredited degree-granting college offering fully online and residential programs in a variety of in-demand career areas. Major areas include accounting, business, law enforcement and criminal justice, office management, nursing, allied health, information technology, early childhood, multimedia and advertising. Rasmussen has five metro campus locations as well as three campuses in Greater Minnesota.

Admissions

(612) 265-3209 (Blaine)

(952) 545-2000 (Bloomington)

(763) 493-4500 (Brooklyn Park)

(651) 687-9000 (Eagan)

(651) 259-6600 (Lake Elmo)

(507) 625-6556 (Mankato)

(218) 304-6200 (Moorhead)

(218) 251-5600 (St. Cloud)

Financial Aid

(763) 795-4732 (Blaine)

(952) 545-2000 (Bloomington)

(763) 493-4500 (Brooklyn Park)

(651) 687-9000 (Eagan)

(651) 259-6600 (Lake Elmo)

(507) 625-6556 (Mankato)

(218) 304-6200 (Moorhead)

(320) 251-5600 (St. Cloud)

Main Address

3500 Federal Drive

Eagan, MN 55122

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Suburban

Student/Faculty Ratio

18:1

Average Class Size

18

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	4,000
Full time	70%
Men	30%
Women	70%
25 or older	60%
Students of color	30%
Out-of-state	20%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	500
Total accepted	400
% Accepted	80%
Total who enrolled	330
Average GPA	2.4

Student Retention & Graduation*

Overall graduation rate	47%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper), common (paper)

Application Fee

\$60, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$15,120
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$0

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 008694

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 96%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Career College Association

Curious Fact

The college was founded in 1900 in St. Paul by Walter Rasmussen and was the first proprietary college authorized to grant degrees in Minnesota.

Ridgewater College is a community and technical college offering more than 100 educational programs on its two campuses. Small class sizes, up-to-date technology and access to many student activities and organizations (including intercollegiate sports, choir, theater and student senate) give students the opportunity to enjoy a positive college experience.

Admissions

(320) 234-8501 (Hutchinson) (320) 222-5976 (Willmar)

Financial Aid

(320) 234-8601 (Hutchinson) (320) 222-7476 (Willmar)

Main Address

2101 15th Avenue Northwest Willmar, MN 56201

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

21:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, wrestling

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	4,373
Full time	62%
Men	49%
Women	51%
25 or older	39%
Students of color	8%
Out-of-state	3%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,570
Total accepted	2,207
% Accepted	
Total who enrolled	1,450

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.43%
Transfer rate	.16%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	.59%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (online), system (online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,935
Room & Board Off	campus only
Books & Supplies Varies	s by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 005252

School Scholarship Deadline

March 1 (fall term), November 1 (spring term)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 70%

Affiliation

Riverland Community College is a comprehensive community and technical college where the faculty and staff help you achieve your goals, whether that means completing a two-year associate degree and transferring to a four-year college or university, completing a technical program and starting a new career, or gaining knowledge and skills as a lifelong learner. Support services are available to help you improve study skills, locate resources, address personal issues, make strong career decisions, pay for college or arrange the details of a smooth college transfer. Riverland has on-campus student housing in Austin with private or shared bedrooms available in three-bedroom apartments.

Admissions

(507) 433-0820

Financial Aid

(507) 379-3323 (Albert Lea) (507) 433-0603 (Austin) (507) 455-5880 x2215 (Owatonna)

Main Address

1900 8th Avenue Northwest Austin, MN 55912

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

23:1

Average Class Size

23

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, soccer

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	3,405
Full time	39%
Men	47%
Women	53%
25 or older	43%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	4%
International	1%
Live on campus	3%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,868
Total accepted	2,552
% Accepted	89%
Total who enrolled	2,296

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	40%
Transfer rate	16%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	56%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Open admissions until fifth day of classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,288
Room & Board*	\$2,800 - 4,000
Books & Supplies	Varies by program
* Austin campus only	

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002335

School Scholarship Deadline

June 1 (fall term), November 1 (spring term)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 70%

Affiliation

Rochester Community and Technical College is a two-year regional college serving the southeastern Minnesota area, providing accessible, affordable and high quality technical, liberal arts and lifelong learning education opportunities to a diverse community.

Admissions

(507) 285-7268

Financial Aid

(507) 285-7271

Main Address

851 30th Avenue Southeast Rochester, MN 55904

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

15:1

Average Class Size

26

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, football, golf, wrestling

Women

Basketball, golf, soccer, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	6,266
Full time	55%
Men	40%
Women	60%
25 or older	37%
Students of color	16%
Out-of-state	3%
International	1%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,277
Total accepted	3,265
% Accepted	.100%
Total who enrolled	2,147

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	24%
Transfer rate	23%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	47%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions until two weeks before start of fall or spring term (absolute)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$5,290
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies Varie	s by program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002373

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 80%

Affiliation

St. Catherine University is the largest and most comprehensive Catholic college for women in the country. Through a diverse range of programs, the college offers the intimacy of a four-year liberal arts college and the opportunity to complete associate, bachelor's and master's degrees in a variety of health care specialties, liberal arts and professional programs. Committed to meeting the educational needs of women of all ages, St. Catherine offers many of its bachelor's and master's degree programs in both traditional and weekend formats. The college has beautiful campuses in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Admissions

(651) 690-7800 (Minneapolis) (651) 690-8850 (St. Paul)

Financial Aid

(651) 690-7805 (Minneapolis) (651) 690-6540 (St. Paul)

Main Address

2004 Randolph Avenue St. Paul, MN 55105

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

19

Study Options

Evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	3,830
Full time	92%
Men	0%
Women	100%
25 or older	14%
Students of color	27%
Out-of-state	9%
International	2%
Live on campus	41%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,441
Total accepted	1,494
% Accepted	61%
Total who enrolled	414
Average GPA	3.5
% submitting ACT	94%
Combined score	24
% submitting SAT	3%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	78%
6-year graduation rate	63%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions, but April 15 is preferred

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, minimum 2.5 GPA: for students whose native language is not English: the results of the Michigan Test, TOEFL or St. Catherine University's English Language Test

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$29,680
Room & Board	\$8,002
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 98%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The college is home to a family of albino squirrels.

Public Four-Year University

St. Cloud State University is an opportunity-rich public university that combines the advantages of a larger campus with smaller class sizes, personal attention and hands-on approaches to learning. Students benefit from an emphasis on strong academic programs, a global education and the diversity of ideas, cultures and experiences. The university is widely known for teacher preparation, business, mass communication, criminal justice, psychology and the sciences, but also offers undergraduates nearly 200 majors, minors, emphasis areas and pre-professional programs. St. Cloud State University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission with membership in the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The University receives recognition for its individual academic programs, earning national endorsements in business, education, arts, sciences and engineering.

Admissions

(320) 308-3981

Financial Aid

(320) 308-2047

Main Address

720 4th Avenue South St. Cloud, MN 56301

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

21:1

Average Class Size

27

Study Options

Remedial courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, hockey, skiing, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	16,413
Full time	75%
Men	49%
Women	51%
25 or older	15%
Students of color	9%
Out-of-state	12%
International	5%
Live on campus	17%

Freshmen Profile

lotal applicants	6,226
Total accepted	.5,330
% Accepted	86%
Total who enrolled	2,315
Average GPA	3.15
% submitting ACT	89%
Combined score	21
% submitting SAT	2%
Combined score	945

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	71%
6-year graduation rate	49%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	e back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions until one week before start of fall or spring classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); ACCUPLACER placement test may be required; applicants to Honors Program must provide an essay and letters of recommendation; see requirements on application form

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$6,990
Room & Board	\$6,600
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002377

School Scholarship Deadline

Varies by scholarship

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 67%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

The university has the only meteorology program in the state.

St. Cloud Technical and Community College awards degrees, diplomas or certificates that can be completed in two years or less in over 50 majors in business technology, computer science, construction technology, manufacturing technology, transportation technology, health and human services, and general education. Faculty are experts in their fields, combining teaching expertise with industry experience. The college uses the latest technology, giving its students a competitive edge following graduation. Student can earn the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum or the Associate in Arts degree and transfer to complete their bachelor's degree. The college also offers a bachelor's degree in civil engineering and land surveying through St. Cloud State University as well as a bachelor's degree in early child education or business management through Southwest Minnesota State University.

Admissions

(320) 308-5000

Financial Aid

(320) 308-5691

Main Address

1540 Northway Drive St. Cloud, MN 56303

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

24:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball

Women

Softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	4,8//
Full time	75%
Men	48%
Women	52%
25 or older	33%
Students of color	7%
Out-of-state	3%
International	2%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	5,167
Total accepted	5,167
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	2,697

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	.37%
Transfer rate	.27%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	.64%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions until two weeks prior to the start of any semester

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college); additional requirements for most health care majors

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,921
Room & Board Off ca	mpus only
Books & Supplies Varies b	y program

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 005534

School Scholarship Deadline April 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 75%

Affiliation

Saint John's University is a nationally-leading liberal arts college whose unique partnership offers students the educational choices of a large university and the individual attention of a premier small college. The college shares academic programs with the College of Saint Benedict, and students attend classes and activities together and have access to the resources of both campuses. This integrated learning experience is enlivened by Catholic and Benedictine traditions of hospitality, stewardship, service and the lively engagement of faith and reason. Ranked nationally among the top baccalaureate institutions for the number of students who study abroad, the college is committed to preparing students for leadership and service in a global society. The college enrolls students from around the world and integrates global citizenship into the curriculum.

Admissions

(320) 363-5055

Financial Aid

(320) 363-3664

Main Address

P.O. Box 7155 Collegeville, MN 56321

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

21

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, wrestling

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,932
Full time	98%
Men	100%
Women	0%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	8%
Out-of-state	14%
International	7%
Live on campus	83%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,514
Total accepted	1,217
% Accepted	80%
Total who enrolled	503
Average GPA	3.52
% submitting ACT	98%
Combined score	26
% submitting SAT	13%
Combined score	1,150

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	90%
6-year graduation rate	80%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ick cover.

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Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 15 (preferred, early action), January 15 (preferred, regular decision)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay, minimum 3.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$33,606
Room & Board	\$8,344
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form, copies of parent(s) and student's tax forms

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002379

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The Hill Museum and Manuscript Library at the university is home to the Saint John's Bible and a remarkable collection of religious sculpture, paintings, prints and artifacts.

Private Four-Year College / University

Founded in 1912, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota is a private, coeducational Catholic institution administered by the De La Salle Christian Brothers. At the residential Winona campus, the undergraduate college curriculum combines traditional liberal arts and sciences with career preparation. Undergraduate, graduate and professional programs for adult learners are offered at the Twin Cities and Winona campuses, centers in Rochester, Apple Valley and Minnetonka, across Minnesota and Wisconsin, and in Nairobi, Kenya and Mandeville, Jamaica.

Admissions

(612) 728-5100 (Minneapolis) (507) 457-1700 (Winona)

Financial Aid

(612) 437-5153 (Minneapolis) (507) 457-1437 (Winona)

Main Address

700 Terrace Heights Winona, MN 55987

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Varies

Student/Faculty Ratio

13:1

Average Class Size

15

Study Options

Academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,370
Full time	96%
Men	48%
Women	52%
25 or older	3%
Students of color	8%
Out-of-state	36%
International	5%
Live on campus	83%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,507
Total accepted	1,076
% Accepted	71%
Total who enrolled	347
Average GPA	3.2
% submitting ACT	96%
Combined score	23
% submitting SAT	6%
Combined score	1,037

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	/5%
6-year graduation rate	55%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$25, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

May 1 (fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), application essay, minimum 2.5 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$27,250
Room & Board	\$7,150
Books & Supplies	\$1,300

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002380

School Scholarship Deadline February 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

Founded in 1912 by Bishop Patrick R. Heffron, the university was a men's college until 1969.

Private Four-Year College / University

Recognized as one of the nation's leading liberal arts colleges, **St. Olaf College** offers an academically rigorous education with a vibrant faith tradition as a college of the Lutheran church. Widely known for its programs in mathematics, natural sciences and music, St. Olaf also provides dynamic opportunities for interdisciplinary study. Committed to global education, 80 percent of St. Olaf students study abroad. Since 1996, St. Olaf has produced seven Rhodes scholars, more than any other liberal arts college in the nation, and 54 Fulbright recipients. St. Olaf ranks eighth overall among baccalaureate colleges in the number of graduates who go on to earn doctoral degrees, placing first in mathematics and statistics, second in education and religion/theology, third in art/music and physical sciences, and fourth in chemistry and foreign language.

Admissions

(507) 786-3025

Financial Aid

(507) 786-3019

Main Address

1520 St. Olaf Avenue Northfield, MN 55057

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

12:1

Average Class Size

22

Study Options

Summer courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, gymnastics, hockey, skiing, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, skiing, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	.3,040
Full time	98%
Men	46%
Women	54%
25 or older	0%
Students of color	13%
Out-of-state	52%
International	2%
Live on campus	95%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	3,889
Total accepted	2,287
% Accepted	59%
Total who enrolled	779
Average GPA	3.65
% submitting ACT	83%
Combined score	29
% submitting SAT	50%
Combined score	1,298

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	93%
6-year graduation rate	87%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ck cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Highly Selective

Accepted Applications

Common (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$40, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

Fall term: November 15 (early decision I), January 15 (early decision II), January 15 (absolute, regular decision)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), letters of recommendation, application essay

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$38,150
Room & Board	\$8,800
Books & Supplies	\$1,900

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, CSS Profile, Business/Farm Supplement, St. Olaf Noncustodial form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002382

School Scholarship Deadline

November 15 (early decision I candidates), January 15 (early decision II and regular candidates)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 87%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

The college is also home to the largest LEED-platinum certified college math and science building.

Public Two-Year College

Saint Paul College is a community and technical college committed to offering educational opportunity through a combination of traditional community and technical college course offerings. The college effectively serves an extremely diverse student population. Its faculty are dedicated to providing the best possible education. Saint Paul College graduates leave well-prepared for employment in an increasingly competitive market or transfer to a four-year institution to continue their studies.

Admissions

(651) 846-1555

Financial Aid

(651) 846-1386

Main Address

235 Marshall Avenue St. Paul, MN 55102

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

25

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, programs for working adults

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	6,164
Full time	37%
Men	47%
Women	53%
25 or older	47%
Students of color	46%
Out-of-state	10%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	6,000
Total accepted	6,000
% Accepted	100%
Total who enrolled	6,000

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	24%
Transfer rate	23%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	48%
* See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ck cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,882
Room & BoardOff	campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

005533
First-Year Students Receiving Aid

51%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

In the early 1900s, welding students and faculty members from the college aided in the building of the Cathedral of Saint Paul's roof.

Public Two-Year College

South Central College has a history of academic excellence since 1946 as a technical college. The college now provides an associate degree in liberal arts and sciences that allows students to take the first two years of a bachelor's degree in a small, caring environment along with many career program options. The college has campuses in Faribault and North Mankato.

Admissions

(507) 332-5824 (Faribault) (507) 389-7220 (North Mankato)

Financial Aid

(507) 332-5805 (Faribault) (507) 389-7220 (North Mankato)

Main Address

1920 Lee Boulevard North Mankato, MN 56003

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

46:1

Average Class Size

24

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	5,573
Full time	48%
Men	58%
Women	42%
25 or older	36%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	5%
International	0%
Live on campus	0%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,067
Total accepted	
% Accepted	
Total who enrolled	1,469

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	29%
Transfer rate	18%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online), common (paper)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Varies by program

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), ACCUPLACER placement test

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$6,161
Room & Board Of	f campus only
Books & Supplies	\$1,250

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

005537

School Scholarship Deadline

December 1 through March 2

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 82%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

South Central offers a full-tuition Presidential Scholarship to high school seniors with a 3.75 or higher GPA who demonstrate leadership skills and school and community involvement.

Southwest Minnesota State University is the youngest of Minnesota's state universities and enjoys a strong working relationship with the Marshall community. Southwest provides a quality academic experience in an intimate learning environment, and students enjoy a wide variety of campus activities ranging from one of the nearly 100 clubs and organizations to NCAA Division II athletics to sponsored bands, comedians and speakers. With a strong sense of community, the university offers students the chance to know their faculty as well as their peers. The university campus buildings are completely interconnected by tunnels, skyways and walkways. Construction and improvements totalling more than \$130 million have been completed over the past eight years including a new student center, renovated library, regional event center, Alumni Plaza and residence halls and apartments. Southwest has also invested in the renovation of science labs, culinology kitchens, weight room and fitness center facilities. And, if that's not enough, all students pay in-state tuition.

Admissions

(507) 537-6286

Financial Aid

(507) 537-6281

Main Address

1501 State Street Marshall, MN 56258

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

Average Class Size

21

Study Options

Evening courses, weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Baseball, basketball, football, wrestling

Women

Basketball, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	2,/00
Full time	63%
Men	46%
Women	54%
25 or older	18%
Students of color	17%
Out-of-state	20%
International	8%
Live on campus	22%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,689
Total accepted	1,336
% Accepted	79%
Total who enrolled	520
% submitting ACT	95%
Combined score	22
% submitting SAT	4%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd	l year retentior	ı 69%
6-year gra	duation rate	39%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through mid-

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT (preferred) or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$7,624
Room & Board	\$7,256
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA, school form

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002375

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 83%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Southwest's Bachelor of Science in Culinology is the only four-year degree of its kind in the United States.

Students at the University of Minnesota-Crookston earn degrees on an affordable, private campus setting through career-oriented learning, research and top-level technology. With a balance of theory and practical application, the university offers associate and bachelor's degrees in over 25 academic majors with more than 50 concentration areas. The university's size offers students a friendly, personalized learning environment featuring small classes that allow easy access to faculty and staff. The university has developed a technology-rich interactive living and learning community that provides all full-time students with laptop computers (through payment of a technology access fee) to further develop their knowledge and skills.

Admissions

(218) 281-8569

Financial Aid

(218) 281-8569

Main Address

2900 University Avenue Crookston, MN 56716

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

16:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Weekend courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, programs for working adults, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Baseball, basketball, football, golf Women

Basketball, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	.1,500
Full time	83%
Men	52%
Women	48%
25 or older	25%
Students of color	12%
Out-of-state	34%
International	11%
Live on campus	41%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	1,200
Total accepted	960
% Accepted	80%
Total who enrolled	500
Average GPA	3.11
% submitting ACT	84%
% submitting SAT	

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	65%
6-year graduation rate	38%
* See evaluations of these rates on inside	hack cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (online)

Application Fee

\$30, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Fall term: February 1 recommended to qualify for specialty scholarships

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), minimum 2.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$11,064
Room & Board	\$6,764
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

004069

School Scholarship Deadline

February 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 74%

Affiliation

University of Minnesota

Curious Fact

The university is known as the original "Laptop University".

The University of Minnesota-Duluth offers nearly 80 different majors within five colleges. In addition, it also features graduate programs, a School of Medicine and a College of Pharmacy. The campus is located in a residential area in Duluth with the majority of its buildings interconnected.

Admissions

(218) 726-7171

Financial Aid

(218) 726-7171

Main Address

25 Solon Campus Center 1117 University Drive Duluth, MN 55812

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

20:1

Average Class Size

60

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, hockey, lacrosse, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, hockey, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	10,628
Full time	89%
Men	52%
Women	48%
25 or older	5%
Students of color	8%
Out-of-state	11%
International	1%
Live on campus	30%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	7,850
Total accepted	5,986
% Accepted	76%
Total who enrolled	2,344
Average GPA	3.41
% submitting ACT	98%
Combined score	24
% submitting SAT	2%
Combined score	1,085

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	. /6%
6-year graduation rate	.52%
* See explanations of these rates on inside b	ack cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$35

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through August 1

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, writing portion of the ACT is required

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$12,346
Room & Board	\$6,614
Books & Supplies	\$1,376

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

002388

School Scholarship Deadline

December 15

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

83%

Affiliation

University of Minnesota

Curious Fact

The university was originally the Duluth State Teachers College, and its original mascot was the "pedagogue" (or teacher).

The University of Minnesota-Morris is an academically rigorous, public undergraduate liberal arts college. The university's strength as a liberal arts institution comes primarily from three factors: a focused, narrowly defined mission that provides a rigorous liberal arts program; an intellectually gifted student body; and a faculty dedicated to teaching, personal contact with students and research with full student participation. It is a college for intelligent, thoughtful, down-to-earth students who want to be involved members of campus and academic life.

Admissions

(320) 589-6035

Financial Aid

(320) 589-6046

Main Address

600 East 4th Street Morris, MN 56267

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

14:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	1,811
Full time	92%
Men	43%
Women	57%
25 or older	6%
Students of color	20%
Out-of-state	11%
International	5%
Live on campus	47%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	2,291
Total accepted	1,479
% Accepted	65%
Total who enrolled	419
% submitting ACT	94%
Combined score	25
% submitting SAT	10%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	86%
6-year graduation rate	59%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$35, fee waiver available, discount for applying online

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through December 15 (priority) or March 15 (absolute)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), interview and letters of recommendation are optional; admission is selective based on high school performance, involvement and essay

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$12,076
Room & Board	\$7,120
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

002389

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 89%

Affiliation

University of Minnesota

Curious Fact

Each fall, two first-year residence halls have a tug of war with the winner receiving naming rights to the campus ice rink that is used for open skate, intramural hockey and intramural broomball.

The University of Minnesota-Rochester is the newest campus of the University of Minnesota system, formally established in December 2006. With over 30 academic programs available, the Rochester campus provides undergraduate and graduate degrees, conducts research and pursues outreach services focusing on health sciences and biotechnology while continuing its commitment to offer high quality academic programming in business, education, technology, public health and social work. The university strives to collaborate with existing community resources to capitalize on the assets already available in the Rochester area and helps students to network and develop relationships with organizations and individuals throughout their college experience.

Admissions

(507) 258-8687

Financial Aid

(507) 258-8457

Main Address

111 South Broadway Suite 300 Rochester, MN 55904

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

8:1

Average Class Size

23

Study Options

Evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

None

Women

None

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	314
Full time	96%
Men	29%
Women	71%
25 or older	24%
Students of color	20%
Out-of-state	5%
International	2%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	402
Total accepted	368
% Accepted	92%
Total who enrolled	104
Average GPA	3.42
% submitting ACT	89%
Combined score	23
% submitting SAT	11%
Combined score	1,088

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Selective

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$35, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

December 15 (priority, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), application essay, letters of recommendation are highly recommended

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$12,100
Room & Board	\$6,450
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

003969

School Scholarship Deadline

March 1

First-Year Students Receiving Aid

100%

Affiliation

University of Minnesota

The University of Minnesota-Twin Cities is a classic Big 10 campus and one of the country's top public research universities. The Twin Cities campus is Minnesota's only research university, and undergraduate students benefit from participating in hands-on research opportunities across all disciplines. The university takes pride in its vibrant student community, with students hailing from all 50 states and 130 countries. Students also expand their worldview through the nation's largest study abroad program, with almost 300 study and internship opportunities in more than 60 countries. Staff and faculty are focused on undergraduate success, helping students achieve their dreams through advising, career counseling, and a four-year graduation guarantee.

Admissions

(612) 625-2008

Financial Aid

(612) 624-1111

Main Address

240 Williamson Hall 231 Pillsbury Drive Southeast Minneapolis, MN 55455

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

21:1

Average Class Size

30

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, gymnastics, hockey, soccer, lacrosse, skiing, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball, wrestling

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, hockey, lacrosse, rowing, skiing, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	30,519
Full time	87%
Men	47%
Women	52%
25 or older	11%
Students of color	18%
Out-of-state	25%
International	5%
Live on campus	21%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	36,000
Total accepted	17,000
% Accepted	47%
Total who enrolled	5,300

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-	2no	d yea	r ret	entic	on	 	90%
6-year	gra	idua	tion	rate		 	68%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Varies by program

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$55, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

December 15 (priority, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT, writing portion of the ACT is required

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$12,896
Room & Board	\$7,728
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code

003969

School Scholarship Deadline

March 1 (freshmen), April 1 (returning students)

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 81%

Affiliation

University of Minnesota

Curious Fact

The University of Minnesota's Learning Abroad Center offers one of the nation's largest study abroad programs, with more than 200 opportunities in over 60 countries. You can study art in Florence, agriculture in Morocco, advertising in Australia and more.

Private Four-Year College / University

Founded in 1885, the **University of St. Thomas** is is the largest private university in Minnesota. The university offers bachelor's degrees in more than 96 major fields of study and more than 46 graduate degree programs including master's, education specialist, juris doctor and doctorates. Inspired by Catholic intellectual tradition, St. Thomas educates students to be morally responsible leaders who think critically, act wisely and work skillfully to advance the common good.

Admissions

(651) 962-6150

Financial Aid

(651) 962-6550

Main Address

2115 Summit Avenue, Mail 32F St. Paul, MN 55105

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Urban

Student/Faculty Ratio

15:1

Average Class Size

21

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, hockey, soccer, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, hockey, soccer, softball, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	6,146
Full time	95%
Men	50%
Women	50%
25 or older	1%
Students of color	14%
Out-of-state	20%
International	1%
Live on campus	92%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	5,612
Total accepted	4,394
% Accepted	78%
Total who enrolled	1,352
Average GPA	3.5
% submitting ACT	98%
% submitting SAT	

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	.86%
6-year graduation rate	.72%
*See explanations of these rates on inside ba	ck cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online)

Application Fee

None

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through August 1 (preferred, fall term)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college), application essay, minimum 3.0 GPA

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$31,504
Room & Board	\$8,628
Books & Supplies	\$3,899

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002345

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 95%

Affiliation

Member of the Minnesota Private College Council

Curious Fact

To become a true Tommie, one must kiss another Tommie under the arches at midnight.

Public Two-Year College

Founded in 1922, Vermilion Community College is a two-year residential college located on the edge of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area wilderness. Students enjoy a personal learning environment where relationships with faculty, staff and administration add to the fullness of college life. The college offers unique environmental academic programs for students interested in outdoor careers including programs in taxidermy and professional forest harvester. Field study, hands-on learning and internships are integral to the curriculum. Faculty are experts in their fields with experience in the careers students are pursuing and actively assist students with national job placement after graduation. Job placement rates are excellent. Students can also start a major or complete the foundation for almost any bachelor's degree in the liberal arts and sciences program.

Admissions

(218) 235-2191

Financial Aid

(218) 235-2153

Main Address

1900 East Camp Street Ely, MN 55731

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

25:1

Average Class Size

Study Options

Remedial courses, summer courses, online courses

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, cross country, football

Women

Basketball, softball, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

Total fall enrollment	753
Full time	73%
Men	67%
Women	33%
25 or older	12%
Students of color	10%
Out-of-state	21%
International	1%
Live on campus	39%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	800
Total accepted	680
% Accepted	
Total who enrolled	623

Student Retention & Graduation*

3-year graduation rate	29%
Transfer rate	36%
3-year graduation + transfer rate	65%

^{*} See explanations of these rates on inside back cover.

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Open

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (paper, online)

Application Fee

\$20

Application Deadline

Open admissions until fifth day of classes

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

None

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$4,875
Room & Board	\$4,760
Books & Supplies	\$1,000

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002350

School Scholarship Deadline

February 1 through March 2

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 78%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

Most Vermilion students love the outdoors. They like to hunt, fish, hike, camp, snowshoe and crosscountry ski.

Winona State University is a public university located in a city of 30,000 people and surrounded by scenic Mississippi river bluffs. The university offers more than 80 undergraduate majors, 16 graduate programs, 200 clubs and organizations, NCAA Division II athletics and excellent fine and performing arts opportunities. The university is one of the largest laptop universities in the country. All students receive a new PC or Macintosh laptop computer every two years. The program includes a wireless campus, software, printing, insurance and unlimited technical support. Winona State University seeks students with commitment to its mission as a community of learners improving our world.

Admissions

(507) 457-5100

Financial Aid

(507) 457-2800

Main Address

170 West Sanborn Street P.O. Box 5838 Winona, MN 55987

Campus Profile

Campus Setting

Small town/rural

Student/Faculty Ratio

19:1

Average Class Size

27

Study Options

Remedial courses, evening courses, summer courses, online courses, academic honor societies, study abroad program, programs for working adults, cooperative education program, ROTC

Credit Accepted for Prior Learning

Advanced Placement, College in the Schools, College Level Exam Program, International Baccalaureate, Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Intercollegiate Sports

Men

Baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf

Women

Basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball

Undergraduate Profile

lotal fall enrollment	8,031
Full time	93%
Men	40%
Women	60%
25 or older	14%
Students of color	7%
Out-of-state	34%
International	3%
Live on campus	33%

Freshmen Profile

Total applicants	6,500
Total accepted	4,607
% Accepted	71%
Total who enrolled	1,632
Average GPA	3.26
% submitting ACT	98%
Combined score	23
% submitting SAT	0%

Student Retention & Graduation*

1st-to-2nd year retention	75%
6-year graduation rate	51%
* See explanations of these rates on inside	back cover

Freshmen Admission Requirements

Admissions Selectivity

Traditional

Accepted Applications

School (paper, online), system (online)

Application Fee

\$20, fee waiver available

Application Deadline

Rolling admissions through March 15 (preferred)

Additional Requirements

High school diploma or GED, transcripts (high school and college)

Required Admissions Tests

ACT or SAT

Estimated Full-Year Cost

Tuition & Fees	\$8,080
Room & Board	\$7,330
Books & Supplies	\$1,200

Financial Aid

Required Forms

FAFSA

Title IV (FAFSA) School Code 002394

First-Year Students Receiving Aid 76%

Affiliation

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system

Curious Fact

A new \$20 million fitnesswellness center and a new suitestyle residence hall complex opened in fall 2010.

AGRICULTURAL & FOOD INDUSTRIES

Agribusiness Service and Management

Agriculture Business Management Agriculture Business Marketing Agriculture Production Management Agriculture Science & Technology Animal Production Systems

Crops, Soils & Pest Management
Culinary Arts / Food Service Management

Farm Operation & Management

Food & Beverage Management Golf Course Grounds Management

ARCHITECTURE & CONSTRUCTION

Architectural Construction Technology

Building & Property Maintenance Building Construction Technology Building Inspection Technology Building Utilities Mechanic Cabinetmaking & Finishing Trades

Carpentry & Building Trades
Commercial & Residential Wiring

Concrete / Masonry / Bricklaying Construction Field Supervision Construction Management Construction Project Supervision

Electrician / Electical Maintenance

Facility Systems Technology

Heavy Equipment Operation

Interior Design Ironworker

Plumbing / Pipefitting

Communication System Installation / Repair

Electrical Construction & Maintenance Technology Electrical Construction Design & Management

Environmental Design, Technology & Production

Green & Sustainable Construction Technology Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration

Horse Husbandry & Equine Business Management

Not all programs are listed on this chart. Visit **www.iseek.org** to learn about more programs.

Agribusiness Production

Agriculture

Baking & Pastry
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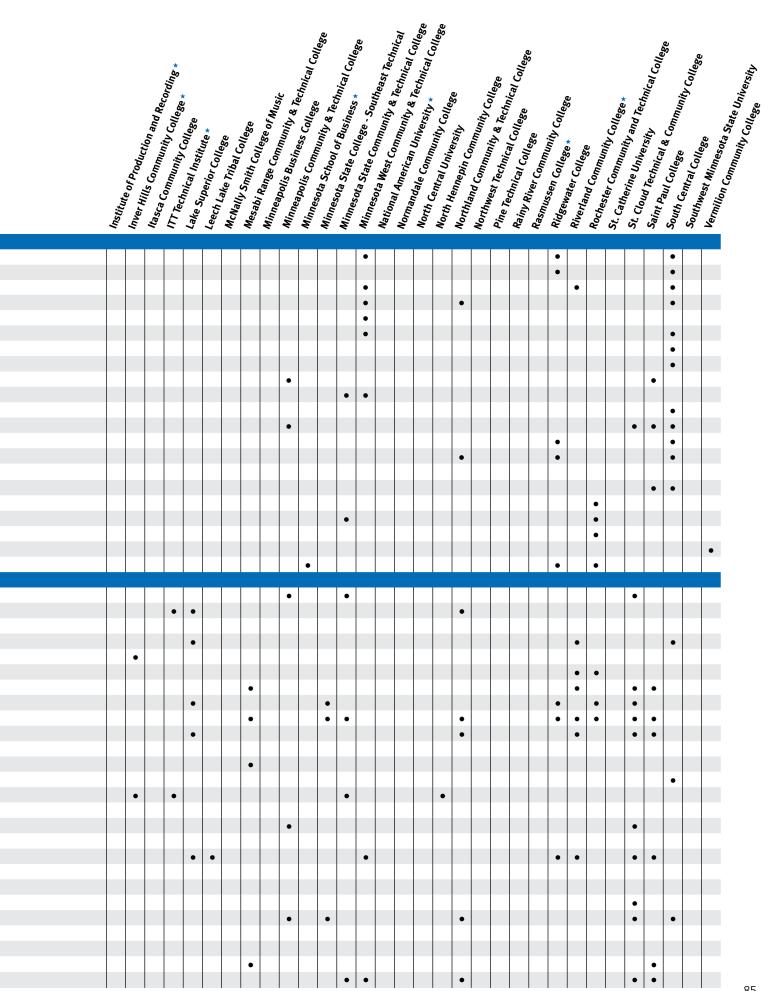
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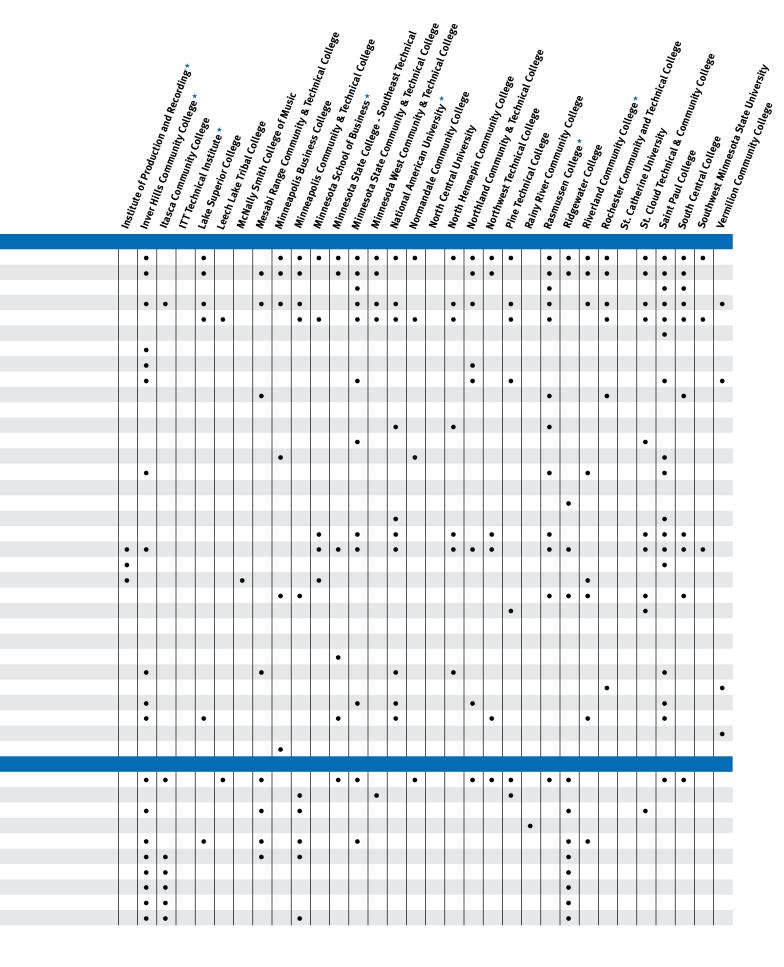


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ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES & NATURAL RESOURCES
Alternative / Renewable Energy Technology

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Electric Utility Technology
Electrical Lineworker Technology
Energy Process Technology
Energy Services Technology
Environmental & Earth Science
Fisheries & Wildlife Management

Natural Resources Technology

Power Generation & Distribution

Solar Photovoltaic Contractor Technology Solar Thermal Contractor Technology Water Environment Technologies

Wilderness Management / Wildland Firefighter

ENGINEERING & ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES

Electrical & Industrial Automation Engineering Electronics Technology & Automated Systems Engineering Technology - Civil & Surveying Engineering Technology - Electronic Engineering Technology - General

Fluid Power Technology (hydraulics/pneumatics)

Geographic Information Systems (GIS)

Robotics Technology & Automated Systems Telecommunications & Wireless Technology

Biomedical Technology / Clinical Research

Biotechnology / Biochemistry Cardiovascular Technology Central Services Technician Chemical Laboratory Technician Clinical Research Study Coordinator

Logging Operator

Parks & Recreation

Powerline Technology

Water Quality Science Watershed Science

Wind Energy Technology

Calibration Engineering
Drafting - Electrical & Mechanical

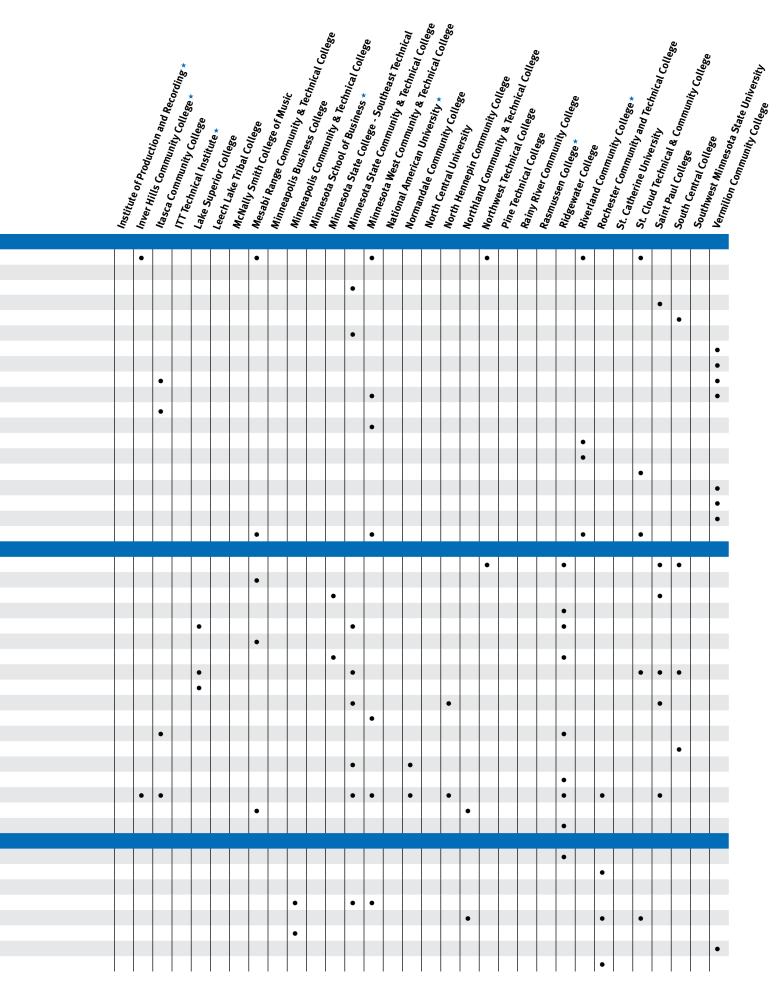
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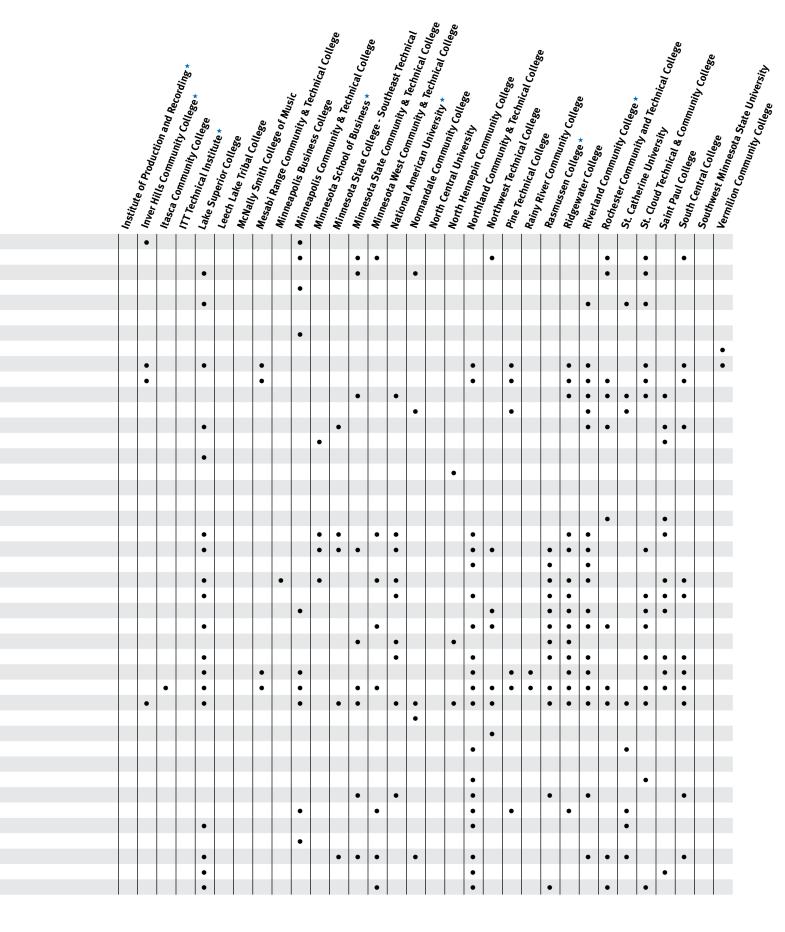
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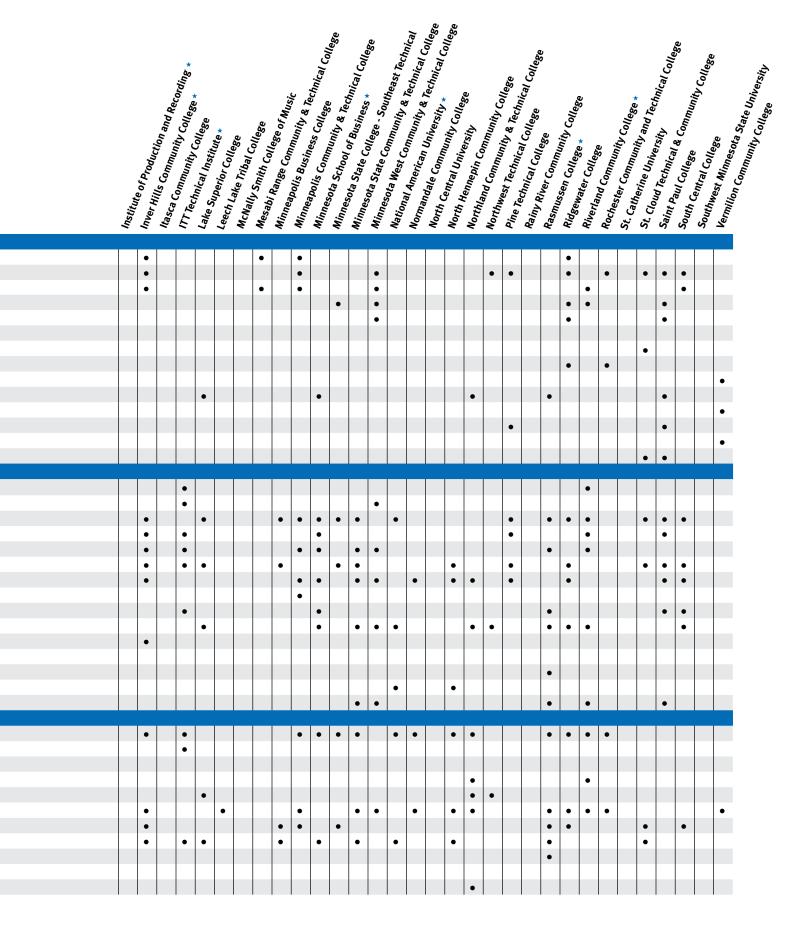


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American Indian / Native American Studies

English - Language, Literature, Writing

Global Studies & International Relations Individualized / Multidisciplinary Studies

MANUFACTURING, MAINTENANCE & REPAIR

Instrumentation & Process Control Technology

Manufacturing & Industrial Technology Manufacturing Operations Management

MEDIA, COMMUNICATIONS & DESIGN
Advertising & Marketing Communication

Broadcasting - Radio & Television Cinematography & Screenwriting

Audio Production Engineering & Sound Arts

Digital Arts, Computer Animation & Multimedia

Graphic Design & Visual Communications
Judicial Reporting & Broadcast Captioning

LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES (first 2 years of a 4-year degree)

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Art / Studio Arts Biology / Natural Science

Chemistry Creative Writing

Film Studies General Studies

Mathematics Music Psychology

Gunsmithing

Machining

Model Making Plastics Technology Sheet Metal

Applied Visual Arts

Electronic Publishing Game Design & Programming

Liberal Arts & Sciences

Theatre Arts & Drama Women & Gender Studies

Apparel & Textile Manufacturing Computer Integrated Machining Computer Numerical Control Technology

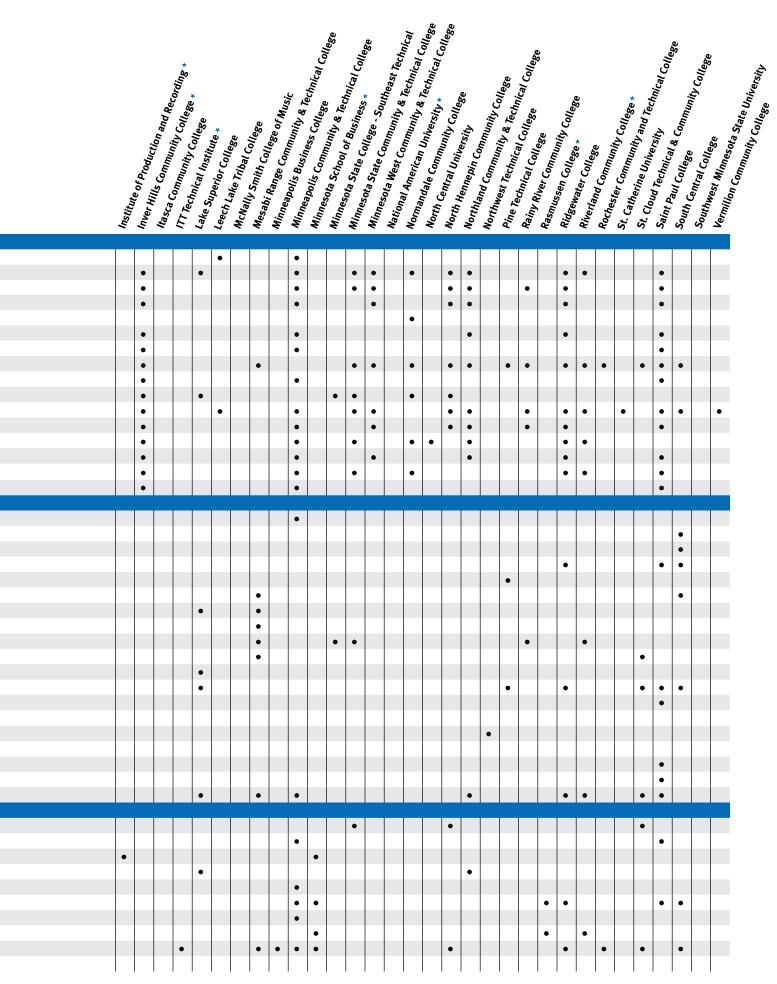
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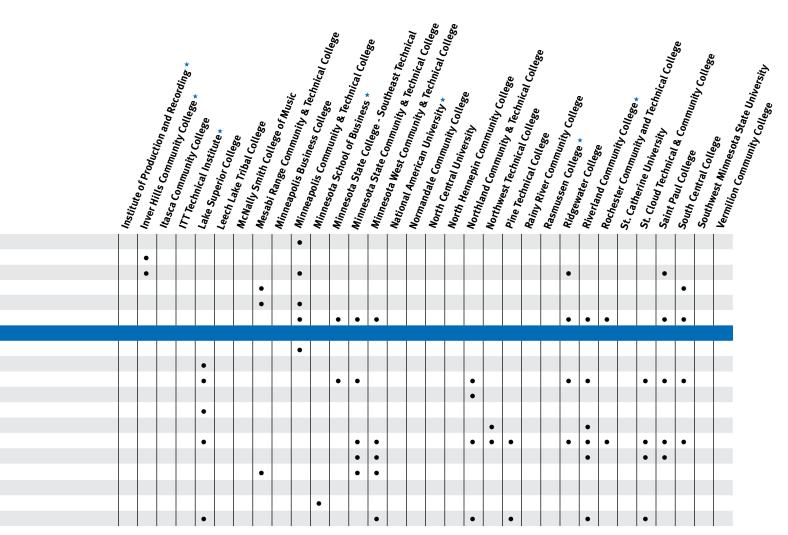
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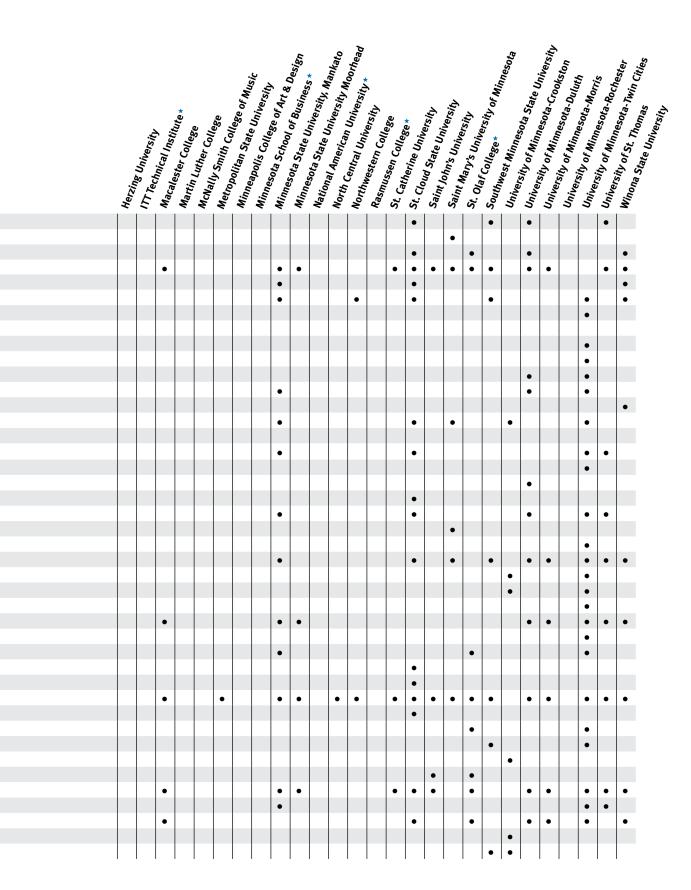


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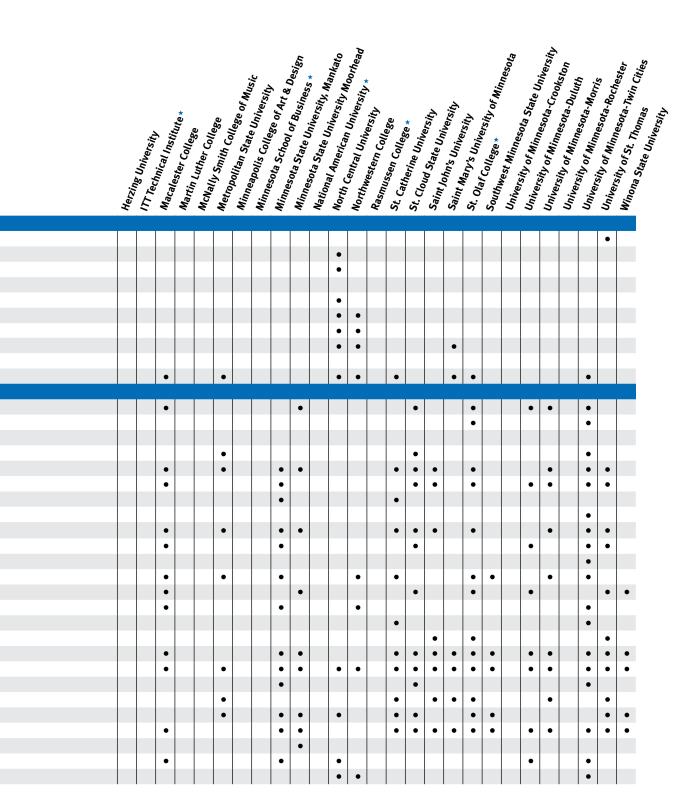


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Technical Notes

Information for each institutions as well as program offerings were reported by each college to the Office of Higher Education in April 2010. Enrollment numbers represent fall 2009 headcount.

Tuition and fees were reported as estimates in May 2010. For the most current tuition and fees, contact the college or university directly or visit www.getreadyforcollege.org/tuition.

Any information determined to be inaccurate should be reported to the college and the Office of Higher Education. Questions may be directed to materials.ohe@state.mn.us.

Retention and Graduation Rates

The source of the graduation and retention data is the U.S. Department of Education, IPEDS Graduation Rate and Enrollment Survey for 2009.

Retention rates measure the percentage of first-time, full-time students enrolled in fall 2008 who return to the institution to continue their studies the following fall.

Transfer rates indicate the percentages of first-time, full-time students who report leaving their institution within three years of first enrolling to enroll in a different institution the following term.

Three-year graduation rates measure the percentage of first-time, full-time students in fall 2006 who plan to earn a two-year degree who complete their program within three years at the same institution.

Six-year graduation rates measure the percentage of first-time, full-time students in fall 2003 who plan to get a bachelor's degree who complete their degree program within six years at the same institution.

Overall Graduation Rates are used for institutions offering a mix of awards, varying in length. The rate measures the percentage of students who began their studies as full-time, first-time degree-, diploma or certificate-seeking students who completed their awards within 150 percent of the "normal time" for completion. (For example, for students enrolled in associate degree programs, it measures the percentage of first-time, full-time students who completed within three years.)



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