

Northern State University

Northern State University offers challenging academics, a robust student leadership and involvement program, professors committed to student success, global study experiences and variety of academic programs designed to meet the demands of today's workforce. Whether in the classroom or on-line, the Northern experience is student focused. Faculty spend one-on-one time with students and class sizes are purposefully designed to provide personal and meaningful opportunities for student engagement. *U.S. News and World Report* continues to recognize NSU as one of the best and most affordable baccalaureate universities in the Midwest.



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Important Dates

Priority Financial Aid Application
 (FAFSA), WolfPACT Scholarship &
 President's Meritorious Scholarships
 deadline March 1
 Northern Bound Days
 2017..... Oct. 13, 14, 20; Nov. 17
 2018..... Jan. 26, Feb. 16, Mar. 23, July 13

To schedule an individual visit contact the
 Admissions Office

College Codes

ACT Code.....3916
 SAT Code..... 6487
 Financial Aid Code.....003466

Annual Costs

Estimated expenses for one year for undergraduate students:

In-State

Tuition	\$ 7,191
Books	1,200
Fees.....	1,089
Room/Board	<u>7,290</u>
TOTAL	\$ 16,770

(Based on 15 credit hours per semester, 2 semesters)

Enrollment (Fall, 2016)

	Undergraduate	Graduate
Male	1,326	127
Female	<u>1,749</u>	<u>385</u>
Total	3,075	512

Student/faculty ratio 18/1

Accreditation

North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. National Assn. of Schools of Music. National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, South Dakota Dept. of Education

Athletic Conference

Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference
 (NCAA Division II)

Admission Procedures/ Policy

To be admitted to Northern State University, students must meet the minimum course requirements with an average grade of C (2.0 on a 4.0 scale):

- 4 years of English
- 3 years of Advanced Math
- 3 years of Lab Science
- 3 years of Social Studies
- 1 year of Fine Arts

AND meet ONE of the following requirements:

- Rank in the top 60% of H.S. graduating class or
- Achieve an ACT composite score of 18 or higher (SAT 870) or
- Obtain a H.S. GPA of at least 2.6 (on a 4.0 scale)

Students must submit the following:

1. Admissions application
2. \$20 application fee (non-refundable)
3. High school transcript
4. Official ACT or SAT scores

Programs Offered

Bachelor Degrees

Accounting*
 Art* (Multi-media & Advertising)
 Art Education
 Banking and Financial Services*
 Biology*
 Biology Education
 Business Administration*
 Chemistry*
 Chemistry Education
 Communication Studies* (Public Relations)
 Economics*
 Elementary Education
 English*
 English Education
 Environmental Science
 Finance
 General Studies
 German*
 History*
 History Education
 Human Performance & Fitness
 International Business Studies*
 Marketing*
 Management Information Systems*
 Mathematics Education
 Medical Laboratory Science

Musical*
 Music Education (instrumental & Vocal)
 Musical Theatre*
 Physical Education*
 Political Science*
 Professional Accountancy (150 hours)
 Psychology*
 Secondary Education
 Sociology* (Criminal Justice*, Gerontology*, Human Services)
 Spanish*
 Spanish Education
 Special Education*
 Sport Marketing & Administration*

**Program offered as a minor*

Associate Degrees

Banking and Financial Services
 Biotechnology
 Business Administration
 Business Administration—
 Management Information
 Systems
 Digital Design
 General Studies

Gerontology (applied)
 Management Information Systems

Pre-Professional Programs

Pre-Athletic Training
 Chiropractic Health Care
 Pre-Engineering (two-year)
 Pre-Journalism
 Pre-Mortuary Science
 Pre-Nursing

A complete list of minors may be found at northern.edu/academics

Certificates

Allied Health
 Art Administration
 Banking (executive & intermediate)
 Biotechnology
 Biotechnology Entrepreneurship
 Secondary Education (K-12)
 Geographic Information Systems*
 Gerontology (applied)
 Public History
 Teacher Education
 Teaching English to Speakers of
 Other Languages