



Minnesota State Colleges & Universities

Application for Admission

Directions: This application form may be used to apply to any of the 31 Minnesota State Colleges and Universities including state universities, community colleges, technical colleges, and comprehensive community and technical colleges. The system does not include the University of Minnesota.

- All applicants must sign the application form in the box provided on page 4.**
- The high school preparation standards section on page 4 should be filled out by state university applicants only.**
- Please print or type. Complete the form accurately. Misrepresentation of application information is sufficient grounds for canceling admission.**
- A one-time \$20 non-refundable application/records fee must be included with your application to EACH institution.** (Some institutions may waive this fee in cases of extreme financial need. Fee waiver may be granted for eligible service members or veterans. Contact the college's or university's Office of Admissions for more information about its policy.)
- Use a separate form to apply for graduate school or international admission at state universities.**
Call the Office of Admissions where you wish to attend to request the required form.
- Submit this application to the college/university of your choice (see addresses on page 2).**
- Official high school and college transcripts must be submitted to the Office of Admissions of the college or university you wish to attend.**
- If you have not already done so, you should apply for financial aid as soon as possible.**
Many students who qualify for aid do not apply and do not receive funds that may be available for them. Even if you do not qualify for grant aid, submitting a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is required to be eligible for federally guaranteed loans. You may fill out a FAFSA online by going to www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Visit www.mnscu.edu to search programs and explore colleges and universities, or call 1-888-667-2848 for more information.

NOTE: We are asking you to provide information about yourself that is private under state and federal law. We are asking for this information in order to process your application.

You are not legally required to provide the information requested, however, we may not be able to effectively process your application if you do not provide sufficient information. With some exceptions, unless you consent to further release your private information, access to this information will be limited to system officials, who have legitimate educational interests in the information. Under certain circumstances, federal and state laws authorize release of private information without your consent:

- to other schools in which you seek or intend to enroll, or are enrolled;
- to federal, state or local authorities for purposes of education program compliance, audit or evaluation;
- as appropriate in connection with your application for, or receipt of, financial aid;
- to your parents, if your parents claim you as a dependent student for tax purposes;
- if the information is sought with a subpoena, court order, or otherwise permitted by other state or federal law, and
- to an organization engaged in educational research or an accrediting agency.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities abide by the provisions of Title IX and other federal and state laws forbidding discrimination on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin or handicap and all other state and federal laws regarding equal opportunity. This document can be made available in alternate formats, such as large print or cassette tape, upon request by calling one of the numbers above.

If you have been arrested, charged or convicted of any criminal offense, you should investigate the impact that the arrest, charge or conviction may have on your chances of employment in the field you intend to study or on your chances to obtain federal, state, and other higher education financial aid.

The Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system is an equal opportunity employer and educator. This document is available in alternative formats to individuals with disabilities, consumers with hearing or speech disabilities may contact us via their preferred Telecommunications Relay Service.

Minnesota State Colleges & Universities

MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITIES

Bemidji State University*
1500 Birchmont Drive NE
Bemidji, MN 56601
1-877-236-4354
www.bemidjistate.edu

Metropolitan State University
700 Seventh St. E.
St. Paul, MN 55106-5000
(651) 793-1302
www.metrostate.edu

Minnesota State University, Mankato
122 Taylor Center
Mankato, MN 56001
(507) 389-1822
1-800-722-0544
www.mnsu.edu

Minnesota State University Moorhead
1104 Seventh Ave. S.
Moorhead, MN 56563
(218) 477-2161
1-800-593-7246
www.mnstate.edu

St. Cloud State University
720 Fourth Ave. S.
St. Cloud, MN 56301-4498
(320) 308-2244
1-877-654-7278
www.stcloudstate.edu

Southwest Minnesota State University
1501 State St.
Marshall, MN 56258
(507) 537-6286
1-800-642-0684
www.smsu.edu

Winona State University
P.O. Box 5838
Winona, MN 55987
(507) 457-5100
1-800-342-5978
www.winona.edu

MINNESOTA STATE COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGES

Alexandria Technical & Community College
1601 Jefferson St.
Alexandria, MN 56308
(320) 762-4520
1-888-234-1222
www.alextech.edu

Anoka-Ramsey Community College**
Two campus locations
(763) 433-1300
www.anokaramsey.edu

Cambridge campus
300 Spirit Drive S.
Cambridge, MN 55008

Coon Rapids campus
11200 Mississippi Blvd. NW
Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Anoka Technical College**
1355 W. Highway 10
Anoka, MN 55303
(763) 576-4850
www.anokatech.edu

Central Lakes College
Two campus locations
www.clcmn.edu

Brainerd campus
501 W. College Drive
Brainerd, MN 56401
(218) 855-8037
1-800-933-0346

Staples campus
1830 Airport Road
Staples, MN 56479
(218) 894-5100
1-800-247-6836

Century College
3300 Century Ave. N.
White Bear Lake, MN 55110
(651) 773-1700
1-800-228-1978
www.century.edu

Dakota County Technical College
1300 145th St. E.
Rosemount, MN 55068
(651) 423-8000
1-877-937-3282
www.dctc.edu

Fond du Lac Tribal & Community College
2101 14th St.
Cloquet, MN 55720
(218) 879-0808
1-800-657-3712
www.fdlcc.edu

Hennepin Technical College
Two campus locations
(952) 995-1300
1-800-345-4655
www.hennepintech.edu

Brooklyn Park campus
9000 Brooklyn Blvd.
Brooklyn Park, MN 55445

Eden Prairie campus
13100 College View Drive
Eden Prairie, MN 55347

Inver Hills Community College
2500 E. 80th St.
Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076
(651) 450-3000
www.inverhills.edu

Lake Superior College
2101 Trinity Road
Duluth, MN 55811
(218) 733-7601
1-800-432-2884
www.lsc.edu

Minneapolis Community & Technical College
1501 Hennepin Ave.
Minneapolis, MN 55403
(612) 659-6200
1-800-247-0911
www.minneapolis.edu

Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical
Two campus locations
1-877-853-8324
www.southeastmn.edu

Red Wing campus
308 Pioneer Road
Red Wing, MN 55066
(651) 385-6300

Winona campus
1250 Homer Road
P.O. Box 409
Winona, MN 55987
(507) 453-2700

Minnesota State Community & Technical College
Four campus locations
1-877-450-3322
www.minnesota.edu

Detroit Lakes campus
900 Highway 34 E.
Detroit Lakes, MN 56501

Fergus Falls campus
1414 College Way
Fergus Falls, MN 56537

Moorhead campus
1900 28th Ave. S.
Moorhead, MN 56560

Wadena campus
405 Colfax Ave. SW
Wadena, MN 56482-1447

Minnesota West Community & Technical College
Five campus locations
www.mnwest.edu

Canby campus
1011 First St. W.
Canby, MN 56220
(507) 223-7252
1-800-658-2535

Granite Falls campus
1593 11th Ave.
Granite Falls, MN 56241
(320) 564-5000

Jackson campus
401 West St.
Jackson, MN 56143
(507) 847-7920

Pipestone campus
1314 N. Hiawatha Ave.
Pipestone, MN 56164
(507) 825-6800
1-800-658-2330

Worthington campus
1450 Collegeway
Worthington, MN 56187
(507) 372-3400

Normandale Community College
9700 France Ave. S.
Bloomington, MN 55431
(952) 358-8201
1-866-880-8740
www.normandale.edu

North Hennepin Community College
7411 85th Ave. N.
Brooklyn Park, MN 55445-2299
(763) 424-0702
1-800-818-0395
www.nhcc.edu

Northeast Higher Education District

Hibbing Community College***
1515 E. 25th St.
Hibbing, MN 55746
(218) 262-7207
1-800-224-4422
www.hibbing.edu

Itasca Community College***
1851 E. Highway 169
Grand Rapids, MN 55744-3397
(218) 322-2340
1-800-996-6422
www.itascacc.edu

Mesabi Range College***
Two campus locations
(218) 749-0313
1-800-657-3860
www.mesabirange.edu

Eveleth campus
1100 Industrial Park Drive
Eveleth, MN 55734

Virginia campus
1001 W. Chestnut St.
Virginia, MN 55792

Rainy River Community College***
1501 Highway 71
International Falls, MN 56649
(218) 285-7722
1-800-456-3996
www.rainyriver.edu

Vermilion Community College***
1900 E. Camp St.
Ely, MN 55731
(218) 235-2191
1-800-657-3608
www.vcc.edu

Northland Community & Technical College
Two campus locations
www.northlandcollege.edu

East Grand Forks campus
2022 Central Ave. NE
East Grand Forks, MN 56721
1-800-451-3441

Thief River Falls campus
1101 Highway 1 E.
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
1-800-959-6282

Northwest Technical College*
905 Grant Ave. SE
Bemidji, MN 56601
(218) 333-6645
1-800-942-8324
www.ntcmn.edu

Pine Technical & Community College
900 Fourth St. SE
Pine City, MN 55063
(320) 629-5100
1-800-521-7463
www.pinetech.edu

Ridgewater College
Two campus locations
1-800-722-1151
www.ridgewater.edu

Hutchinson campus
2 Century Ave. SE
Hutchinson, MN 55350
(320) 234-8500

Willmar campus
2101 15th Ave. NW
PO Box 1097
Willmar, MN 56201
(320) 222-5200

Riverland Community College
Three campus locations
1-800-247-5039
www.riverland.edu

Albert Lea campus
2200 Riverland Drive
Albert Lea, MN 56007
(507) 379-3300

Austin campus
1900 Eighth Ave. NW
Austin, MN 55912
(507) 433-0600

Owatonna College & University Center
965 Alexander Drive SW
Owatonna, MN 55060
(507) 455-5880

Rochester Community & Technical College
851 30th Ave. SE
Rochester, MN 55904
(507) 285-7265
1-800-247-1296
www.rctc.edu

St. Cloud Technical & Community College
1540 Northway Drive
St. Cloud, MN 56303
(320) 308-5089
1-800-222-1009
www.stctcc.edu

Saint Paul College
235 Marshall Ave.
St. Paul, MN 55102
(651) 846-1600
1-800-227-6029
www.saintpaul.edu

South Central College
Two campus locations
www.southcentral.edu

Faribault campus
1225 Third St. SW
Faribault, MN 55021
(507) 332-5800
1-800-422-0391

North Mankato campus
1920 Lee Blvd.
North Mankato, MN 56003
(507) 389-7200
1-800-722-9359

* Bemidji State University and Northwest Technical College are aligned.

** Anoka-Ramsey Community College and Anoka Technical College are aligned.

*** The Northeast Higher Education District is a consortium of five state colleges: Hibbing, Itasca, Mesabi Range, Rainy River and Vermilion.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name (Last, First, Middle) _____

Date of Application _____

Name used in high school records or in other educational records and transcripts, if different from above (Optional) (Last, First, Middle) _____

Social Security number _____

Providing your Social Security number is voluntary. If you do not provide this number, your application will still be processed. Many colleges/universities use Social Security numbers for student identification purposes on internal student records. The number may be used for purposes of administration, program evaluation, consumer and alumni data, and also may be used to create summary information about system programs through data matches with other state agencies.

Current mailing address (House/Apartment Number, Street, P.O. Box/Rural Route) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ County _____

Permanent address, if different from above (Street, P.O. Box/Rural Route) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ County _____

Personal phone _____

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Work phone _____

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E-mail address _____

Are you a resident of Minnesota? Yes No If yes, how long? _____ years _____ months If no, of which state are you a resident? _____

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes No

If you answered no, do you have status as: Resident alien Refugee/asylee Temporary protected status None of these

If you answered none of these, do you have or intend to apply for a visa? Yes No

If you answered yes, you must contact the international student office at the college or university you wish to attend to determine whether a separate application is required.

Answer the following two questions only if you wish to qualify for in-state tuition and are NOT one of the following: a U.S. citizen; an international student maintaining valid immigration status as a non immigrant; or a permanent resident, refugee or have been granted temporary protected status:

When you graduate from high school, will you have attended a high school in Minnesota for three or more years? Yes No

To qualify for resident tuition under the Prosperity Act, male students between the ages of 18 and 25 must have registered with the Selective Service System.

Please indicate one of the following: I have registered with Selective Service I have not registered with Selective Service I am not required to register for Selective Service

What is the highest level of education for your parent(s)/guardian(s)? Please respond for the parent(s), step-parent(s), adoptive parent(s) or guardian(s) who raised you. Check only one box for each parent/guardian.

Parent/Guardian #1

No high school diploma High school diploma Some college Two-year college degree/diploma Bachelor's degree or higher Not sure/don't know

Parent/Guardian #2

No high school diploma High school diploma Some college Two-year college degree/diploma Bachelor's degree or higher Not sure/don't know

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

Name of Minnesota state college or university to which you are applying (use a separate copy of the application form for each institution) _____

Name of program, major or curriculum you plan to follow; e.g. English, electrical engineering, auto mechanics, nursing. Write "undecided" if you are, but indicate any alternatives you are considering. (Check college/university policies for admission requirements to specific programs of study. List up to three.) _____

What is your current educational intent at this institution?

Complete courses, but not a degree Earn associate (two-year) degree Earn associate (two-year) degree and transfer
 Earn occupational certificate/diploma Complete courses and transfer without a degree Earn bachelor's (four-year) degree

What term do you intend to begin taking courses? (Check only one and indicate the year)

Fall _____ Spring _____ Summer I _____ Summer II _____ Summer III _____

Do you plan to attend: Full time? (12 or more credits) Part time? (fewer than 12 credits)

Have you attended this college/university before? Yes No If yes, last date attended: _____

Activities/interests: (optional) Please list _____

Are you now serving, or have you ever served, in the United States armed forces? Yes No

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

The following information will help Minnesota State Colleges and Universities evaluate student recruitment and retention policies; it will not be used as a basis for admission. Providing this information is voluntary.

Gender Male Female

Are you Hispanic or Latino (a person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture, regardless of race)? Yes No

Racial background (select one or more)

- American Indian or Alaska Native - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community attachment.
- Asian - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia or the Indian subcontinent.
- Black or African American - A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- White - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa.

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EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Do you have a high school diploma? [] Yes [] No High school graduation date: _____
If no, do you have a GED? [] Yes [] No Are you currently in high school? [] Yes [] No

High school attended City State Zip

List any other post-secondary institutions attended Official transcripts from each institution attended must be sent directly to the Admissions Office of the college/university.

College/University/Institution City State Dates of attendance Degrees earned

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Are you a high school student planning to take college courses under the Minnesota Post-Secondary Enrollment Options program (PSEO)? [] Yes [] No
If yes, please contact your high school counselor and also the admissions office of the college/university you plan to attend.

SIGNATURE REQUIRED BY ALL APPLICANTS

All of the information included is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's signature Date

HIGH SCHOOL PREPARATION STANDARDS FOR MINNESOTA'S STATE UNIVERSITIES

STATE UNIVERSITY APPLICANTS ONLY - PLEASE COMPLETE

Students graduating from high school in 1994 or later must meet preparation requirements for admission/transfer to Minnesota state universities. Please list coursework that will be completed by graduation from high school.

Number of Years (or fraction thereof):

ENGLISH

(Minimum of 4 years, including composition, literature and speech)

English Total _____ Years

MATHEMATICS

(Minimum of 3 years, including 2 years of algebra, one of which is intermediate or advanced, and 1 year of geometry)

- Elementary algebra _____ Years
Intermediate algebra _____ Years
Advanced algebra _____ Years
Geometry _____ Years
Trigonometry _____ Years
Pre-calculus _____ Years
Other _____ Years

Mathematics Total _____ Years

SCIENCES

(Minimum of 3 years, including at least 1 year each of a biological and physical science with significant laboratory experience in all courses)

- Biological science with lab _____ Years
Physical sciences with lab _____ Years
Physics with lab _____ Years
Chemistry with lab _____ Years
Other with lab _____ Years

Science Total _____ Years

Number of Years (or fraction thereof):

SOCIAL STUDIES

(Minimum of 3 years, including 1 year each of geography and U.S. history)

- U.S. history _____ Years
Geography _____ Years
Other _____ Years

Social Studies Total _____ Years

WORLD LANGUAGE (Specify) _____

(Minimum of 2 years of a single world language, including non-English native languages and American Sign Language)

World Language Total _____ Years

ELECTIVES

(Minimum of 1 year of either visual or performing arts)

- Visual arts _____ Years
Music _____ Years
Theater/Drama _____ Years
Dance _____ Years
Media arts _____ Years

Electives Total _____ Years

HIGH SCHOOL/GED TRANSCRIPT RELEASE PERMISSION

Note to applicant:

Tear off, sign and send or give directly to the last high school attended. Your transcript cannot be sent without signed permission.

I, _____
(Student name)

hereby request _____
(Last high school attended - include city and state)

to send a high school transcript, GED record, and/or IEP to:

Name of college/university and campus

Address

City State Zip Code

Applicant's signature Date

Transcript Information:

Name used on school transcript

Year graduated or last attended

Date of birth Social Security number
This information will be used only to verify the correct identity of the student

Parent's signature (if under 18) Date

Note to school personnel: Send all transcripts and/or IEPs directly to the college/university indicated by the applicant. Please copy this release and return it with the transcript. Keep the original release for your records.