Key Facts at a Glance

Enrollment
9,115 total students served
4,675 full-year equivalent (2007–2008)
92% undergraduate students
65% part-time students

Student diversity
59% female students
41% male students
28% students of color
2% international students
2% out-of-state students
32 average age of students
15–71 age range of students

Degrees granted
Bachelor of Applied Science; Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Human Services; Bachelor of Science; Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Bachelor of Social Work; Master of Arts in Psychology; Master of Business Administration; Master of Liberal Studies; Master of Management Information Systems; Master of Public and Nonprofit Administration; Master of Science in Computer Science; Master of Science in Nursing; and Master of Science in Technical Communication; and Doctor of Nursing Practice.

Top 10 majors
• Individualized Studies
• Business Administration
• Accounting
• Nursing
• Criminal Justice
• Law Enforcement
• Psychology
• Marketing
• Finance
• Management

Faculty
148 resident faculty
594 community faculty

Alumni (degrees awarded)
25,936 (as of June 2008)
79% in Minnesota
71% in the metropolitan area

Vision Statement
Metropolitan State University, a member of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system, will be the premier urban, public, comprehensive system university in the Twin Cities Metropolitan Area and will focus on providing high-quality, affordable educational programs and services in a student-centered environment. The faculty, staff and students of Metropolitan State will reflect the area’s rich diversity, build an anti-racist learning community and will demonstrate an unwavering commitment to civic engagement.

Accreditation
Accredited by The Higher Learning Commission and a member of the North Central Association; and accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) and the Council on Social Work Education.

Tuition (2008–2009, subject to change)
Resident tuition (per credit, with fees)
$182.43 undergraduate
$729.72 cost for a four-credit class
$272.43 graduate
$1,089.72 cost for a four-credit class

Nonresident tuition (per credit, with fees)
$354.43 undergraduate
$534.43 graduate

Online tuition (per credit, with fees)
$240.43 undergraduate
$355.43 graduate

Facilities
• Saint Paul Campus, 700 East Seventh Street
• Minneapolis Campus, 1501 Hennepin Avenue
• Midway Center, 1450 Energy Park Drive, Saint Paul
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Academic Majors
Accounting (B.S.)
Alcohol and Drug Counseling (B.S.)
Applied Mathematics (B.S.)
Biology (B.S.)
Business Administration (B.S.)
Computer Forensics (B.A.S.)
Computer Information Systems (B.A.)
Computer Science (B.S.)
Criminal Justice (B.A.)
Early Childhood Education (B.S.)
Early Childhood Studies (B.A.S.)
Economics (B.S.)
English (B.A.)
English Teaching (B.S.)
Ethnic Studies (B.A.)
Finance (B.S.)
History (B.A.)
Hospitality Management (B.A.S.)
Human Resource Management (B.S.)
Human Services (B.H.S.)
  • corrections
  • disability services
  • family studies
  • human services administration
  • social gerontology
  • training and adult development
  • violence prevention and intervention
Human Services (B.S.)
Individualized (B.A.)
  • aviation management
Industrial Management (B.A.S.)
Information Assurance (B.A.S.)
International Business (B.S.)
International Commerce (B.A.S.)
Law Enforcement (B.S.)
Liberal Arts (B.A.)
Life Sciences Teaching (B.S.)
Management (B.S.)
Management Information Systems (B.S.)
Marketing (B.S.)
Mathematics Teaching (B.S.)
Nursing (B.S.N.)
Organizational Administration (B.A.S.)
Philosophy (B.A.)
Professional Communication (B.A.)
Psychology (B.A.)
Sales Management (B.A.S.)
Screenwriting (B.A.)
Social Science (B.A.)
Social Studies Teaching (B.S.)
Social Work (B.S.)
Technical Communication (B.A.)
Theater (B.A.)
Urban Elementary Education (B.S.)
Visual Communication (B.A.S.)
Women’s Studies (B.A.)
Writing (B.A.)

Teacher Licensure
Early Childhood Education
Middle school and secondary licensure in:
• Communication Arts and Literature
• Life Sciences
• Mathematics
• Social Sciences
Urban Elementary Education

Graduate Programs
Doctor of Nursing Practice
Master of Arts in Psychology
Master of Business Administration
Master of Liberal Studies
Master of Management Information Systems
Master of Public and Nonprofit Administration
Master of Science in Computer Science
Master of Science in Nursing
Master of Science in Technical Communication

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Minneapolis Campus
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Third Thursday, noon and 5:30 p.m.

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Founders Hall, Suite 121
Second Tuesday, noon and 5:30 p.m.
Third Saturday, 10 a.m.

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