



Montana, North Dakota, and Wyoming rates reflect Western Undergraduate Exchange rates (150% tuition). A reciprocity agreement with Minnesota allows South Dakota students to attend Minnesota public universities at resident rates. Iowa and Nebraska rates reflect non-resident tuition rates. Total costs include tuition and fees and room and board based on a double occupancy room and a 15 meal per week or comparable plan. Metropolitan State University in Minnesota does not have residence halls, and has been excluded from both the tuition & fee and the total cost comparisons. All rates are for full-time undergraduate students.

Important information for students and parents about Postsecondary Education

12th Grade Students

Things to consider when choosing which South Dakota college is right for you...

Degrees

- Does the college have the programs you want?

Cost

- Public in-state colleges are usually least expensive
- Out-of-state colleges are usually more expensive

Size

- Large colleges have more diverse students, courses and activities
- Small colleges have smaller classes, more potential to get to know everyone

Location

- Cities have more shopping and entertainment
- Rural areas offer a more peaceful, laid back environment

Activities

- Does the college have the activities you are interested in?

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Use your Opportunity Scholarship at any accredited South Dakota postsecondary institution.

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Average Costs for Public Universities

Tuition and fees	\$6,327
Room and board on campus	\$4,766
Total	\$11,093

Financial Aid Available

\$ 4,731	Federal Pell Grant
\$ 1,000	Federal supplemental opportunity grant (highest public university)
\$ 3,000	Federal Perkins Loan (highest public university)
\$ 3,500	Federal Stafford Loan (maximum allowed)
\$ 2,000	Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loan
<u>\$ 2,100</u>	Work Study (university average)
\$16,331	Total funding available from federal sources

Awards could vary based on the student's financial need, availability of Federal Student Aid funds, and university financial aid awarding policies.

You will get quality education and value in South Dakota

Public Universities

Black Hills State University
Dakota State University
Northern State University
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology
South Dakota State University
University of South Dakota

Technical Institutes

Lake Area Technical Institute
Mitchell Technical Institute
Southeast Technical Institute
Western Dakota Technical Institute

Non-public Institutions

Augustana College
Dakota Wesleyan University
University of Sioux Falls
Mount Marty College
Presentation College
Sioux Falls Seminary
National American University
Kilian Community College
Colorado Technical University

Tribal Institutions

Oglala Lakota College
Sinte Gleska University
Sisseton Wahpeton College

Selecting the right courses is a life-defining decision.

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