

Midwest Student Exchange Program

An easy way to save money on out-of-state tuition costs

2007-08 Enrollment Data

About the MSEP

What is the MSEP?

MHEC helps improve access to postsecondary education through the Midwest Student Exchange Program (MSEP). Since 1994, the MSEP has provided more affordable opportunities for students to attend out-of-state institutions. The MSEP serves as the Midwest's largest multi-state tuition reciprocity program. MSEP is not a scholarship.

Over 140 colleges and universities in Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota and Wisconsin have opened their doors to each others' citizens at more affordable rates. Although the Midwestern Higher Education Compact is composed of twelve Midwestern states, the MSEP is a voluntary program (as are all MHEC programs) and only seven of the twelve states participate. Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, South Dakota, and Ohio do not participate in MSEP at this time.

How it works

Through the MSEP, public institutions agree to charge students no more than 150% of the in-state resident tuition rate for specific programs; private institutions offer a 10% reduction on their tuition rates. You must be enrolling as a non-resident student at a participating MSEP campus to receive the discount. Actual savings through the program will vary from institution to institution depending upon the tuition rates. Participating students will typically realize savings between \$500 and \$3,000 annually.

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Enrollment Statistics

MSEP Enrollment by Students' Home State of Residence

State	Enrollment
Kansas	989
Michigan	463
Minnesota	193
Missouri	354
Nebraska	846
North Dakota	42
Wisconsin	374
Total	3,261

MSEP Enrollment by Institution State

State	Enrollment
Kansas	263
Michigan	58
Minnesota	578
Missouri	1,475
Nebraska	217
North Dakota	483
Wisconsin	187
Total	3,261

MSEP Migration

State	Import/Export Ratio*	Net In Migration	In Migration	Out Migration
Kansas	0.27	-726	263	989
Michigan	0.13	-405	58	463
Minnesota	2.99	385	578	193
Missouri	4.17	1,121	1,475	354
Nebraska	0.57	-363	483	846
North Dakota	5.17	175	217	42
Wisconsin	0.50	-187	187	374

*<1 = Exporter >1 = Importer

Student Characteristics

Student Enrollment Status

Status	Count of Students
Entering	1,168
Continuing	2,093
Total	3,261

Student Graduation Status

Will Student Graduate This Year?	Count of Students
Yes	499
No	2,279
Unknown	483
Total	3,261

Student Credit Load

Credit Range	Count of Students
0 credits	6
1-5 credits	367
6-10 credits	296
11-15 credits	1,697
16-20 credits	882
Over 20 credits	14
Total	3,261

“MSEP has made it possible for me to attend a university that caters to my major of choice. The state I’m from does not offer the major I’m pursuing. (Without MSEP) I would not be able to afford college.”

Amanda, Nebraska resident attending Wichita State University



Tuition Savings

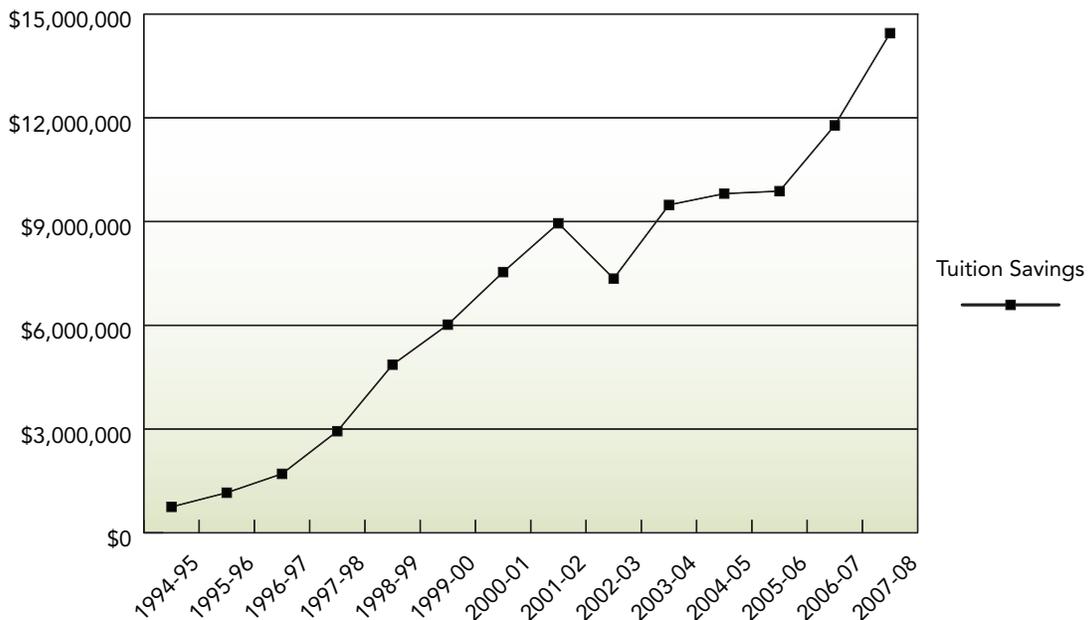
Tuition Savings By Home State of Residence

State	2007-08	Total
Kansas	\$4,096,069.32	\$34,009,384.70
Michigan	\$2,266,890.72	\$12,683,958.92
Minnesota	\$851,680.03	\$4,848,729.40
Missouri	\$1,894,679.81	\$14,587,779.03
Nebraska	\$3,385,084.60	\$26,867,851.20
North Dakota	\$241,593.31	\$826,930.37
Wisconsin	\$1,710,911.51	\$2,844,385.13
Total	\$14,446,909.30	\$96,669,018.75

MSEP Average Savings Per Student by Student's Home State of Residence

State	Average Savings Per Student
Kansas	\$4,141.63
Michigan	\$4,896.09
Minnesota	\$4,412.85
Missouri	\$5,352.20
Nebraska	\$4,001.28
North Dakota	\$5,752.22
Wisconsin	\$4,574.63
Total	\$4,430.21

MSEP Student Tuition Savings



Detailed MSEP Enrollment by Home State of Residence

Institution Name	KS	MI	MN	MO	NE	ND	WI	Grand Total
Bismarck State College (ND)	1	13		14	12		24	64
Central Community College (NE)	9					1		10
Central Lakes College (MN)					1			1
Century College (MN)					1			1
Columbia College (MO)	7	1	1		4		1	14
Dakota County Technical College (MN)	1	1						2
Dickinson State University (ND)	1	1		1	3			6
Emporia State University (KS)				1				1
Ferris State University (MI)	2		17	1			30	50
Inver Hills Community College (MN)		1		1				2
Kansas State University	1	15	31	74	4	4		129
Lake Region State College (ND)							1	1
Lake Superior College (MN)	1	8		1				10
Lake Superior State University (MI)			2				6	8
Lincoln University (MO)	4	1	3		1		1	10
Maryville University (MO)	4	2			8		4	18
Metropolitan Community College - Business & Technology (MO)	3							3
Metropolitan Community College - Longview (MO)	9							9
Metropolitan Community College - MapleWoods (MO)	5							5
Minnesota State College-Southeast Technical		4		1	3			8
Minnesota State University Moorhead	1	2		4	4			11
Minnesota State University, Mankato	6	8		3	10			27
Minnesota West Community and Technical College	1	7		2	8			18
Minot State University (ND)	1			1				2
Minot State University Bottineau (ND)	1	2					1	4
Missouri Southern State University	3	1			2		1	7
Missouri State University	240	24	29		46	3	29	371
Missouri University of Science and Technology	104	12	16		38		8	178
Missouri Western State University	80				27	2	3	112
Normandale Community College (MN)		1						1
North Dakota State College of Science	1	4					6	13
North Dakota State University	22	10		10	14		69	125
Northland Community and Technical College (MN)		1		2	2			5
Northwest Missouri State University	64	1	6		256			327
Peru State College (NE)	16	1	2	17				36
Pittsburg State University (KS)				17	4	1		22
Ridgewater College (MN)		3			5			8
Saint Cloud State University (MN)	3	12		4	4			23
Saint Louis University (MO)							3	3
Southeast Missouri State University			3		2			5
Southwest Minnesota State University	3	3		2	22			30
St. Paul Technical College (MN)		1						1
Stephens College (MO)	10	5	5		10	1	3	34
The University of Kansas		1	8	34	35		1	79
Truman State University (MO)	42	1	14		34		4	95
University of Central Missouri	9	1	1		5		1	17
University of Minnesota, Crookston	1	8		2	7			18
University of Minnesota, Duluth		33		5				38
University of Minnesota, Morris	1	1		1	1			4
University of Minnesota, Twin Cities	67	107		85	105			364
University of Missouri	8	2	1		5		3	19
University of Missouri, Kansas City	160	4	5		27	3	1	200
University of Missouri, Saint Louis	1	4	4		1	1	2	13
University of Nebraska at Kearney	22	1	2				1	26
University of Nebraska at Omaha	10	2	12	5		2	1	32
University of Nebraska-Lincoln	36	3	20	28		10	1	98
University of North Dakota	7	26		42	29		149	253
University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire		5		1	2	4		12
University of Wisconsin - Green Bay	2	60		3		2		67
University of Wisconsin - La Crosse	1	13		8	5	3		30
University of Wisconsin - Marinette		7						7
University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh	2	6		1	1			10
University of Wisconsin - Platteville	1	2		1				4
University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point	3	27		5		2		37
University of Wisconsin - Stout		8		1	1	2		12
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater		2		5		1		8
Valley City State University (ND)				1	2		5	8
Wayne State College (NE)	4		10				1	15
Webster University (MO)	9	6	11		4		5	35
Wichita State University (KS)			6	12	13		1	32
Williston State College (ND)		1		1	1		4	7
Winona State University (MN)		1			5			6
Grand Total	989	463	193	354	846	42	374	3,261

Degree Program Participation

Degree Program	Count of Students
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Services	415
Education	318
Engineering	281
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	234
Undecided	221
Visual and Performing Arts	179
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	156
Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs	135
Psychology	112
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences	109
Social Sciences	100
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities	97
Engineering Technologies/Technicians	94
Transportation and Materials Moving	90
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies	74
Physical Sciences	67
Non-Degree	66
Architecture and Related Services	65
English Language and Literature/Letters	59
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	56
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	53
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services	44
Security and Protective Services	44
Public Administration and Social Service Professions	36
Natural Resources and Conservation	32
History	29
Foreign languages, literatures, and Linguistics	26
Pre Professional	17
Mathematics and Statistics	12
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	11
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians	8
Philosophy and Religious Studies	7
Communications Technologies/Technicians and Support Services	5
Legal Professions and Studies	5
Leisure and Recreational Activities	3
Technology Education/Industrial Arts	1
Grand Total	3,261

Participating MSEP Institutions

Kansas

Emporia State University
Fort Hays State University
Kansas State University
Pittsburg State University
University of Kansas
Wichita State University

Michigan

Ferris State University
Finlandia University
Lake Superior State University
Rochester College

Minnesota

Alexandria Technical College
Anoka Technical College
Anoka-Ramsey Community College
Bemidji State University
Central Lakes College
Century Community & Technical College
Dakota County Technical College
Fond du Lac Tribal & Community College
Hennepin Technical College - Brooklyn Park Campus
Hennepin Technical College - Eden Prairie Campus
Hibbing Community College
Inver Hills Community College
Itasca Community College
Lake Superior College
Mesabi Range Community & Technical College - Eveleth Campus
Mesabi Range Community & Technical College - Virginia Campus
Metropolitan State University
Minneapolis Community & Technical College
Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical - Red Wing Campus
Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical - Winona Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Detroit Lakes Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Fergus Falls Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Moorhead Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Wadena Campus
Minnesota State University Moorhead
Minnesota State University, Mankato
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Canby Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Granite Falls Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Jackson Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Pipestone Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Worthington Campus
Normandale Community College
North Hennepin Community College
Northland Community & Technical College - East Grand Forks Campus
Northland Community & Technical College - Thief River Falls Campus
Northwest Technical College
Pine Technical College
Rainy River Community College
Ridgewater College - Hutchinson and Willmar Campus
Riverland Community College
Rochester Community & Technical College
Saint Cloud Technical College
Saint Paul College
South Central College - Faribault Campus
South Central College - Mankato Campus
Southwest Minnesota State University
St. Cloud State University
University of Minnesota - Crookston
University of Minnesota - Duluth
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
University of Minnesota, Morris
Vermillion Community College
Winona State University

Missouri

Central Methodist University
Cleveland Chiropractic College, Kansas City Campus
Columbia College
Crowder College
Culver-Stockton College
Drury University
East Central College

Fontbonne University
Harris-Stowe State University
Jefferson College
Lincoln University
Lindenwood University
Linn State Technical College
Maryville University of Saint Louis
Metropolitan Community College - Blue River
Metropolitan Community College - Business and Technology
Metropolitan Community College - Longview
Metropolitan Community College - Maple Woods
Metropolitan Community College - Penn Valley
Mineral Area College
Missouri Southern State University
Missouri State University
Missouri University of Science and Technology
Missouri Valley College
Missouri Western State University
North Central Missouri College
Northwest Missouri State University
Ozarks Technical Community College
Saint Charles Community College
Saint Louis University
Southeast Missouri State University
State Fair Community College
Stephens College
Truman State University
University of Central Missouri
University of Missouri
University of Missouri - Kansas City
University of Missouri - Saint Louis
Webster University
Westminster College
William Jewell College
William Woods University

Nebraska

Central Community College - Grand Island, Hastings, and Columbus
Chadron State College
Peru State College
University of Nebraska - Lincoln
University of Nebraska at Kearney
University of Nebraska at Omaha
University of Nebraska Medical Center
Wayne State College

North Dakota

Bismarck State College
Dickinson State University
Lake Region State College
Mayville State University
Minot State University
Minot State University-Bottineau
North Dakota State College of Science
North Dakota State University
University of North Dakota
Valley City State University
Williston State College

Wisconsin

Fox Valley Technical College
Lakeshore Technical College
Mid-State Technical College
Southwest Wisconsin Technical College
University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire
University of Wisconsin - Green Bay
University of Wisconsin - La Crosse
University of Wisconsin - Marinette
University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh
University of Wisconsin - Platteville
University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point
University of Wisconsin - Stout
University of Wisconsin - Superior
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater
Western Technical College
Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College