

HIGHER EDUCATION - TUITION RATES

The following is a schedule of tuition and fee rates at state institutions of higher education for the academic years 2003-04 through 2007-08. The 2001 Legislative Assembly removed tuition income from the appropriation process by providing a continuing appropriation for all special funds, including tuition. House Bill No. 1030 (2007) continues this authority through June 30, 2009. The State Board of Higher Education has the statutory responsibility for setting tuition rates.

Institution	2003-04 ¹	2004-05 ¹	2005-06 ¹	2006-07 ¹	2007-08 ¹
Bismarck State College ²					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,016 13.0%	\$2,629 30.4%	\$2,787 6.0%	\$3,052 9.5%	\$3,204 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$2,600 (2.4%)	\$3,390 30.4%	\$3,590 5.9%	\$3,870 7.8%	\$4,603 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$2,520 13.0%	\$3,286 30.4%	\$3,483 6.0%	\$3,815 9.5%	\$4,005 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$5,383 13.0%	\$7,019 30.4%	\$7,441 6.0%	\$8,148 9.5%	\$8,555 5.0%
Dickinson State University					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,554 16.0%	\$3,040 19.0%	\$3,329 9.5%	\$3,646 9.5%	\$3,828 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$2,923 14.4%	\$3,406 16.5%	\$3,730 9.5%	\$3,922 5.1%	\$4,118 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$3,193 16.0%	\$3,800 19.0%	\$4,161 9.5%	\$4,558 9.5%	\$4,785 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$6,820 16.0%	\$8,117 19.0%	\$8,888 9.5%	\$9,735 9.5%	\$10,222 5.0%
Lake Region State College					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,040 14.5%	\$2,328 14.1%	\$2,550 9.5%	\$2,780 9.0%	\$2,919 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,002 12.9%	\$3,404 13.4%	\$3,729 9.5%	\$3,856 3.4%	\$4,049 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$2,040 (8.4%)	\$2,328 14.1%	\$2,550 9.5%	\$2,780 9.0%	\$2,919 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$2,040 (57.1%)	\$2,328 14.1%	\$2,550 9.5%	\$2,780 9.0%	\$2,919 5.0%
International students					\$7,298
Mayville State University					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,576 17.0%	\$3,014 17.0%	\$3,300 9.5%	\$3,614 9.5%	\$3,795 5.0%

Institution	2003-04 ¹	2004-05 ¹	2005-06 ¹	2006-07 ¹	2007-08 ¹
Minnesota resident ³	\$2,948 15.4%	\$3,376 14.5%	\$3,696 9.5%	\$3,888 5.2%	\$4,082 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$3,220 17.0%	\$3,768 17.0%	\$4,125 9.5%	\$4,518 9.5%	\$4,743 5.0%
All Canadian provinces except Saskatchewan and Manitoba				\$5,421	\$5,692 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$6,878 17.0%	\$8,047 17.0%	\$8,811 9.5%	\$5,421 (38.5%)	\$5,692 5.0%
International students					\$10,132
Minot State University					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,730 14.5%	\$3,160 15.8%	\$3,460 9.5%	\$3,790 9.5%	\$3,980 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,125 13.0%	\$3,540 13.3%	\$3,876 9.5%	\$4,077 5.2%	\$4,281 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$3,413 14.5%	\$3,950 15.7%	\$4,325 9.5%	\$4,736 9.5%	\$4,973 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$7,289 14.5%	\$8,437 15.7%	\$9,238 9.5%	\$10,116 9.5%	\$10,622 5.0%
Graduate					
Resident	\$3,612 14.5%	\$4,180 15.7%	\$4,578 9.5%	\$5,013 9.5%	\$5,264 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$4,778 13.5%	\$5,494 15.0%	\$6,017 9.5%	\$6,285 4.5%	\$6,599 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$5,418 14.5%	\$6,270 15.7%	\$6,867 9.5%	\$7,520 9.5%	\$7,896 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,644 14.5%	\$11,160 15.7%	\$12,223 9.5%	\$13,384 9.5%	\$14,053 5.0%
Minot State University - Bottineau					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,042 14.6%	\$2,362 15.7%	\$2,575 9.0%	\$2,830 9.9%	\$2,972 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,002 12.9%	\$3,404 13.4%	\$3,729 9.5%	\$3,856 3.4%	\$4,049 ¹² 5.0%
South Dakota and Montana residents	\$2,553 14.6%	\$2,953 15.7%	\$2,953 0.0%	\$2,953 0.0%	\$3,715 25.8%
All provinces ⁵	\$2,042 14.6%	\$2,362 15.7%	\$2,575 9.0%	\$2,830 9.9%	\$2,972 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$5,452 14.6%	\$6,307 15.7%	\$6,875 9.0%	\$7,556 9.9%	\$4,458 ¹³ (41.0%)

Institution	2003-04 ¹	2004-05 ¹	2005-06 ¹	2006-07 ¹	2007-08 ¹
State College of Science ^{6, 7}					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,052 15.2%	\$2,670 30.1%	\$2,828 5.9%	\$3,054 8.0%	\$3,207 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,002 12.9%	\$3,390 12.9%	\$3,590 5.9%	\$3,870 7.8%	\$4,063 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$2,565 15.1%	\$3,338 30.1%	\$3,534 5.9%	\$3,818 8.0%	\$4,009 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$5,478 15.1%	\$7,129 30.1%	\$7,550 5.9%	\$8,154 8.0%	\$8,563 5.0%
Business and Industry Partnership Program ⁸					
Resident	\$2,052 15.2%	\$2,670 30.1%	\$2,828 5.9%	\$3,054 8.0%	\$3,207 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,002 12.9%	\$3,390 12.9%	\$3,590 5.9%	\$3,870 7.8%	\$4,063 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$2,052 15.2%	\$2,670 30.1%	\$2,828 5.9%	\$3,054 8.0%	\$3,207 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$2,052 15.2%	\$2,670 30.1%	\$2,828 5.9%	\$3,054 8.0%	\$3,207 5.0%
North Dakota State University					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$3,374 16.2%	\$3,982 18.0%	\$4,360 9.5%	\$4,774 9.5%	\$5,013 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,900 14.8%	\$4,476 14.8%	\$4,901 9.5%	\$5,142 4.9%	\$5,399 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$5,061 16.2%	\$5,972 18.0%	\$6,540 9.5%	\$7,161 9.5%	\$7,519 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,009 16.2%	\$10,630 18.0%	\$11,641 9.5%	\$12,747 9.5%	\$13,384 5.0%
Graduate					
Resident	\$3,618 16.2%	\$4,270 18.0%	\$4,676 9.5%	\$5,120 9.5%	\$5,376 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$4,778 15.0%	\$5,494 15.0%	\$6,015 9.5%	\$6,285 4.5%	\$6,599 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$5,427 16.2%	\$6,404 18.0%	\$7,013 9.5%	\$7,680 9.5%	\$8,064 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,660 16.2%	\$11,400 18.0%	\$12,485 9.5%	\$13,671 9.5%	\$14,354 5.0%
University of North Dakota					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$3,441	\$4,009	\$4,390	\$4,786	\$5,025

Institution	2003-04 ¹	2004-05 ¹	2005-06 ¹	2006-07 ¹	2007-08 ¹
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,900 14.8%	\$4,476 14.8%	\$4,901 9.5%	\$5,142 4.9%	\$5,399 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$5,163 16.5%	\$6,013 16.5%	\$6,584 9.5%	\$7,180 9.1%	\$7,538 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,187 16.5%	\$10,703 16.5%	\$11,722 9.5%	\$12,780 9.0%	\$13,418 5.0%
Graduate					
Resident	\$3,703 16.5%	\$4,313 16.5%	\$4,722 9.5%	\$5,148 9.0%	\$5,405 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$4,778 15.0%	\$5,494 15.0%	\$6,015 9.5%	\$6,285 4.5%	\$6,599 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$5,555 16.5%	\$6,471 16.5%	\$7,084 9.5%	\$7,722 9.0%	\$8,108 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,889 16.5%	\$11,519 16.5%	\$12,610 9.5%	\$13,746 9.0%	\$14,432 5.0%
School of Law					
Resident	\$4,045 16.5%	\$4,713 16.5%	\$5,160 9.5%	\$5,780 12.0%	\$6,069 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$4,778 15.0%	\$5,494 15.0%	\$6,015 9.5%	\$6,285 4.5%	\$6,599 ¹² 5.0%
Minnesota resident (newly enrolled as of the 2006-07 academic year) ³				\$15,432	\$16,204 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$6,067 16.5%	\$7,069 16.5%	\$7,740 9.5%	\$8,670 12.0%	\$9,104 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$10,801 16.5%	\$12,581 16.5%	\$13,778 9.5%	\$15,432 12.0%	\$16,204 5.0%
School of Medicine and Health Sciences					
Resident	\$15,343 14.1%	\$17,507 14.1%	\$18,908 8.0%	\$20,422 8.0%	\$21,443 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$17,561 12.6%	\$19,608 11.7%	\$21,177 8.0%	\$21,969 3.7%	\$23,067 ¹² 5.0%
Minnesota resident (newly enrolled as of the 2006-07 academic year) ³				\$22,464	\$23,587 ¹² 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$40,963 14.1%	\$46,741 14.1%	\$50,482 8.0%	\$37,800 (25.1%)	\$39,690 5.0%
Physical Therapy ⁹					
Resident	\$7,091 30.4%	\$8,091 14.1%	\$8,738 8.0%	\$9,438 8.0%	\$9,910 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$7,091 30.4%	\$8,091 14.1%	\$8,738 8.0%	\$9,438 8.0%	\$9,910 ¹² 5.0%

Institution	2003-04 ¹	2004-05 ¹	2005-06 ¹	2006-07 ¹	2007-08 ¹
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$9,811 14.1%	\$11,195 14.1%	\$12,090 8.0%	\$13,058 8.0%	\$13,711 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$9,811 14.1%	\$11,195 14.1%	\$12,090 8.0%	\$13,058 8.0%	\$13,711 5.0%
Valley City State University ¹⁰					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$2,652 20.4%	\$3,130 18.0%	\$3,428 9.5%	\$3,753 9.5%	\$3,941 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$3,035 18.8%	\$3,506 15.5%	\$3,839 9.5%	\$4,037 5.2%	\$4,239 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$3,315 20.4%	\$3,913 18.0%	\$4,284 9.5%	\$4,691 9.5%	\$4,926 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$7,081 20.4%	\$8,357 18.0%	\$9,152 9.5%	\$10,021 9.5%	\$10,522 5.0%
Graduate					
Resident			\$4,560	\$4,993 9.5%	\$5,243 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³			\$6,017	\$6,377 6.0%	\$6,599 ¹² 3.5%
Contiguous state/province ⁴			\$5,700	\$6,241 9.5%	\$6,554 5.0%
Other nonresident			\$12,175	\$13,332 9.5%	\$13,998 5.0%
Williston State College ¹¹					
Undergraduate					
Resident	\$1,920 6.0%	\$2,074 8.0%	\$2,198 6.0%	\$2,374 8.0%	\$2,493 5.0%
Minnesota resident ³	\$2,600 (3.7%)	\$2,938 13.0%	\$3,111 5.9%	\$3,354 7.8%	\$3,521 ¹² 5.0%
Contiguous state/province ⁴	\$1,920 6.0%	\$2,074 8.0%	\$2,198 6.0%	\$2,374 8.0%	\$2,493 5.0%
Other nonresident	\$2,880 6.0%	\$3,111 8.0%	\$3,298 6.0%	\$3,561 8.0%	\$3,740 5.0%

¹Beginning with the 2002-03 academic year, the State Board of Higher Education authorized each higher education institution president to set the final tuition rate for each campus within an approved range.

²Bismarck State College implemented a per credit tuition model beginning in the 2000-01 academic year. For academic years 2000-01 through 2003-04, the institution charged a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours except for the 14th and 15th credits, which were at no charge. Beginning with the 2004-05 academic year, the institution charges a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours. The tuition rates shown are based on a credit load of 15 credit hours per semester, which is the number of credit hours taken by an average full-time student.

³Under the current North Dakota/Minnesota reciprocity agreement, students pay the higher of the two states' rates, which allows North Dakota students attending Minnesota higher education institutions to pay the Minnesota resident rate while Minnesota students attending North Dakota higher education institutions generally pay the Minnesota rate, which is higher than the North Dakota rate. Beginning with the 2006-07 academic year, the University of North Dakota School of Law and School of Medicine and Health Sciences are removed from the reciprocity agreement. The university is allowed to establish its own tuition rates for Minnesota residents for these programs.

⁴The contiguous states and provinces are South Dakota, Montana, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba.

⁵Beginning with the 2002-03 academic year, Minot State University - Bottineau charges resident tuition rates to students from all Canadian provinces.

⁶Beginning with the 2002-03 academic year, the State College of Science is offering special reduced tuition rates to contiguous state/province and other nonresident students who live on campus with a meal plan. The following is a summary of the special reduced tuition rates:

	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Undergraduate					
Contiguous state/province	\$2,052	\$2,670	\$2,828	\$3,054	\$3,207
Other nonresidents	\$3,078	\$4,005	\$2,828	\$3,054	\$4,063

⁷The State College of Science implemented a per credit tuition model beginning in the 2004-05 academic year. For the 2004-05 academic year, the institution charged a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours except for the 17th and 18th credits, which were at no charge. Beginning with the 2005-06 academic year, the institution charges a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours. The tuition rates shown are based on a credit load of 15 credit hours per semester, which is the number of credit hours taken by an average full-time student.

⁸Beginning with the 2001-02 academic year, the State College of Science charges resident tuition rates to students who are enrolled in a business and industry partnership program except for students from Minnesota who are assessed tuition as specified in the reciprocity agreement between North Dakota and Minnesota.

⁹Physical therapy students pay undergraduate tuition rates during the first two years. In the students' junior year, students enter the physical therapy program and start paying tuition based on the physical therapy program tuition rates.

¹⁰Valley City State University implemented a per credit tuition model beginning in the 2005-06 academic year. The institution charges a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours. The undergraduate tuition rates shown are based on a credit load of 15 credit hours per semester, which is the number of credit hours taken by an average full-time student. The graduate tuition rates shown are based on a credit load of 12 credit hours per semester, which is the number of credit hours taken by an average graduate full-time student.

¹¹Williston State College implemented a per credit tuition model beginning in the 2002-03 academic year. The institution charges a per credit (part-time) tuition rate for all credit hours except for the 14th, 15th, and 16th credits, which are at no charge. The tuition rates shown are based on a credit load of 15 credit hours per semester, which is the number of credit hours taken by an average full-time student.

¹²The tuition rates for Minnesota residents for the 2007-08 academic year will not be finalized until June or July 2007. The rates shown are estimates.

¹³At the June 2007 meeting of the State Board of Higher Education, Minot State University - Bottineau will request approval to charge nonresident students 1.5 times the resident rate rather than 2.67 times the resident rate. The tuition rate shown is 1.5 times the resident rate.