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International Services & Cultural Outreach Office
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Phone: 1-507-457-5303
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Location
Winona State University, part of the Minnesota State University system, is located on the banks of the Mississippi River.
- 2-1/2 hours from Minneapolis-St. Paul
- 4 hours from Milwaukee
- 5 hours from Chicago

Academic Calendar

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Requirements

Application
Application form (www.winona.edu/internationalservices/apply.asp)

Application fee: $20
You may pay by check or money order. Please make sure it is in US dollars and should be made payable to Winona State University.

An official bank statement
with a minimum of $US$22,000 balance on it for undergraduate applicants and $US$18,000 for graduate students.

An affidavit of support letter
Please indicate the relationship, financial commitment, and willingness to sponsor the applicant. This letter is not required if financial documents are in the applications name.

Official college transcript(s)

Photocopy of passport (biographic)

Major
www.winona.edu/registrar/majordeclaration.asp

Immunization form
Please send a list of courses your student would like to take for reference.
www.winona.edu/healthservices/Media/Immunization_Form_2011.pdf

On Campus Housing

Once you have been admitted to Winona State University, you will receive a packet of information on how to secure on-campus housing. We encourage students to apply for housing online. The Housing Office makes room assignment decisions. Room assignment decisions are made based on availability. Housing Office does not provide bedding (sheets, blankets, pillows). We have worked with the Housing Office to let you purchase your own bedding products (sheets, pillow case, towels, blanket) from local online stores and have them shipped to the Housing Office prior to your arrival. You may purchase the bedding products from Target (target.com), Wal-Mart (walmart.com), JC Penny’s (jcp.com), or Shopko (shopko.com). The size of bedding products is: extra-long twin. Please remember to use your real name (name on your passport) when you make your order. The Housing Office address is: Winona State University, Housing Office, 175 West Mark Street, Kryzsko Commons 235, Winona, MN, U.S.A. Phone number is: 507-457-5305. Please note a charge will apply to students if students choose to move out the on campus residence hall and break the housing contract before the contract end date.

English Proficiency Requirements - Undergraduate Visiting and Exchanging

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<td>IELTS</td>
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Students are required to take an English Language Placement test during New International Student Orientation. Based on the outcome of the placement test, students may be required to take credit bearing English as a second language courses ESL 106 and/or 107. The above scores are minimum requirements for admission and students are required to prove additional language proficiency and meet specific prerequisite to take upper level courses (300 and above).

Estimate of Annual Expenses

1/16/2015
**Orientation**

$150.00 Mandatory. One-time payment – during initial semester only.

**Tuition & Feeds**

$7,822.34 undergraduate: 12 ~ 18 credits for 2 semesters (spring and fall semesters)

$4,749.84 graduate: 6 credits for 2 semesters (spring and fall semesters)

**Digital Life & Learning Program**

$930.00 graduate students are not required to participate in the program.

www.winona.edu/it/programdetails.asp

**Housing & food**

$7,362.00 based on double room and 10 meals per week meal plan

Meal plans are available on campus.

www.dineoncampus.com

**Insurance Premium**

$1,197.00 Mandatory.

**Others**

$4,140.00 books, supplies, personal & miscellaneous

* The above breakdown is an estimate based on 12 credits (undergraduate) and 6 credits (graduate) with Cross Cultural Scholarship. Many students are able to live comfortably within these guidelines, while others may need additional funds for travel and personal items. Please note that prices listed above may vary slightly from year to year.

**Scholarship**

$5,500.00 The Cross-Cultural Scholarship is available to all international students who qualify for admission to Winona State University. This scholarship is equivalent to the difference between the resident rate of tuition and the non-resident rate of tuition. Since tuition is based on a tuition band, the amount of the scholarship for the Academic Year of 2014 - 2015 is valued at an estimate of USD $5,500.00 based on 24 - 36 undergraduate semester credits. All newly admitted students are required to take the Education 406 course to enhance their culture sharing skills during their first semester at WSU.

http://www.winona.edu/internationalservices/scholarships.asp

**Courses**

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**Registration Window**

Exchange students register during international orientation week

**Transportation and Travel Information**

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<tr>
<th>Airport - Winona Campus</th>
<th>GO Carefree Shuttle</th>
<th>Phone: 608-781-5181 or 888-781-5181 (toll free)</th>
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<td>Jefferson Bus</td>
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* We don't offer pick up service from the airport. Please make a reservation prior to your trip and choose Winona State University Kryzsko Commons as your destination. The International Services office offers greeting services one or two days prior to the New International Student Orientation. Please visit our website for the greeting schedule.

** Students should arrange for WSU to receive official documents. All documents will be dated and stamped and will become the property of WSU. WSU do not return documents. *