

Dakota Wesleyan University

Mitchell, SD

Dakota Wesleyan, founded in 1885, is a church-affiliated, liberal arts university. Its 40-acre campus is located in Mitchell, 60 miles from Sioux Falls.

 Website: www.dwu.edu/


Private



Co-ed

759

 Undergraduate
Students

(54.3%) 412 Women

(45.7%) 347 Men

77
Graduate
Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Moderately difficult
Overall Admission Rate	73% of 659 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	August 27

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.36
SAT Math	Not reported
SAT EBRW	Not reported
ACT Composite	22 average 18-26 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$34,590
Tuition and Fees	\$27,640
Room and Board	\$6,950
Average Percent of Need Met	76%
Average Freshman Award	\$21,889
Average Indebtedness of 2018 Graduates	\$37,564


Academics

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required for most or all students
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	50
Regular Class Size	2-9 students: 34% of classes 10-19 students: 36% of classes 20-29 students: 17% of classes 30-39 students: 10% of classes 40-49 students: 3% of classes


Campus Life

Mitchell Population	15,484
Nearest Metropolitan Area	
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	45% of all students
Athletic Conferences	National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics
Mascot	Tiger
Sororities	
Fraternities	


Students

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	1.5% American Indian/Alaskan Native 1.2% Asian 3.4% Black/African-American 2.5% Hispanic/Latino 3.0% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 0.0% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander 88.2% White 0.1% Unknown
International Students	0.9% from 2 countries
First-Year Students Returning	67.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	27.5%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	95%
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	Not reported