

## Gustavus Adolphus College

St. Peter, MN

Gustavus Adolphus College, founded in 1862, is a church-affiliated, liberal arts college. It emphasizes student participation. Gustavus students are usually the third or fourth largest group presenting papers at the National Undergraduate Research Conference. With 29 musical ensembles, 23 varsity sports, 85 campus clubs and organizations and a challenging academic program, Gustavus students are involved. Its 340-acre campus is located in St. Peter, 60 miles southwest of Minneapolis-St. Paul.

Website: [www.gustavus.edu/](http://www.gustavus.edu/)



Private



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**2,201**  
Undergraduate  
Students

(56.2%)  1,237 Women

(43.8%)  964 Men



**Not reported**  
Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Very difficult
Overall Admission Rate	68% of 4,834 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	Rolling

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.60
SAT Math	Not reported
SAT EBRW	Not reported
ACT Composite	24-30 range of middle 50%

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$59,240
Tuition and Fees	\$46,720
Room and Board	\$10,160
Average Percent of Need Met	96%
Average Freshman Award	\$44,057
Average Indebtedness of 2018 Graduates	\$34,655


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	4-1-4
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required for most or all students
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	184
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 18% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 47% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 23% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 10% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 1% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 0% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

St. Peter Population	11,439
Nearest Metropolitan Area	Minneapolis-St. Paul
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	97% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division III
Mascot	Gus the Lion
Sororities	13% of women participate
Fraternities	17% of men participate


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.0% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>5.1% Asian</b> <b>2.6% Black/African-American</b> <b>5.3% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>4.0% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>82.1% White</b> <b>0.7% Unknown</b>
International Students	4.5% from 26 countries
First-Year Students Returning	88.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	79.1%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	42%
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	28.0%