

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/



Private



Co-ed

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	\$57,270
Tuition and Fees	\$45,100
Room and Board	\$9,910
Average Percent of Need Met	92%
Average Freshman Award	\$38,506
Average Indebtedness of 2016 Graduates	Not reported


Academics

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


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.	0.0% American Indian/Alaskan Native 5.1% Asian 2.6% Black/African-American 5.3% Hispanic/Latino 4.0% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander 82.1% White 0.7% Unknown
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%