

## Northern Kentucky University

Highland Heights, KY

Northern Kentucky U, founded in 1968, is a public, comprehensive university. Programs are offered through the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business, and Professional Studies, and the Salmon P. Chase College of Law. Its 300-acre campus is located in Highland Heights, seven miles southeast of Cincinnati.

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



Public



Co-ed

**11,882**

Undergraduate  
Students

(59.0%)  7,009 Women

(41.0%)  4,873 Men



**3,796**

Graduate  
Students

### Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Moderately difficult
Overall Admission Rate	90% of 6,080 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	No
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	Rolling

### Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.37
SAT Math	578 average 510-640 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	560 average 510-600 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	23 average 20-26 range of middle 50%

### Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	In-state: \$23,354 Out-of-state: \$33,002
Tuition and Fees	In-state: \$10,032 Out-of-state: \$19,680
Room and Board	\$10,022
Average Percent of Need Met	74%
Average Freshman Award	\$13,139
Average Indebtedness of 2019 Graduates	\$26,502


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Not required for most or all students</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>602</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 8% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 28% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 39% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 16% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 6% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 3% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 1% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Highland Heights Population	<b>6,933</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	<b>Cincinnati</b>
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are given priority consideration for housing</b>
Students in College Housing	<b>22% of all students</b>
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division I</b>
Mascot	<b>Norse (Heyu the Dragon)</b>
Sororities	<b>12% of women participate</b>
Fraternities	<b>9% of men participate</b>


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.2% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>1.4% Asian</b> <b>7.6% Black/African-American</b> <b>3.8% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>3.4% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>82.8% White</b> <b>0.7% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>2.4% from 57 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>70.9%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>25.9%</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>Not reported</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>Not reported</b>