Northwest Missouri State University

Key Facts

General Information:
Number of students: 6,800
Number of international students: 734
Average class size: 27
Student–faculty ratio: 23:1
Job-placement rate: 97.5% undergraduate, 98% graduate

International Office:
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International Financial Aid:
Grants offered: No
Scholarships offered: Yes
Loans offered: No

Testing Requirements:
TOEFL Internet-based test score:
undergraduate 61: graduate 79
TOEFL computer-based test score:
undergraduate 173: graduate 213
Academic IELTS:
undergraduate 5.5: graduate 6.5
PTE test score:
undergraduate 44: graduate 53
ACT/SAT score requirements:
None, but required for Freshman Scholarship consideration

OVERVIEW
Founded in 1905, Northwest Missouri State University enrolls 6,800 students and is a fully accredited, coeducational, primarily residential, regional public university serving students from 32 countries and 45 states, offering various undergraduate and select graduate programs. The university’s academic programs place special emphasis upon business, computer science, teacher education, biological sciences and agriculture.

ACADEMICS
- Northwest has undergraduate and graduate programs, as well as an English as a Second Language Program.
- The college has 126 undergraduate programs and 44 graduate programs (www.nwmissouri.edu/academics).
- Primary textbooks for undergraduates are covered in tuition.
- Small classes provide a more personal environment.
- Academic programs are enhanced through profession-based learning, working directly with peers and professors, and participating in career-oriented internships.

HIGHLIGHTED programs
- Accounting, Economics, Finance
- Applied Computer Sciences
- Biology and Chemistry
- Business Management
- Data Mining
- Emergency and Disaster Management
- English as a Second Language program
- Geographic Information Science
- Graphic Design
- Marketing and Management
- Mass Media
- MBA
- Nanoscale Science
- Psychology
- Sustainable Agriculture

combined in certain cases. For more details and requirements, visit www.nwmissouri.edu/admissions/intl/financial.htm.

ADMISSIONS and Financial Aid
- Students must apply by July 1 (fall), November 15 (spring), or April 1 (summer).
- Merit-based scholarships, based on GPA and/or language scores, range from $500–$3,500 per year and can be

LOCATION
- The school is located in Maryville, a town of approximately 12,000 in northwest Missouri.
- Students rank Northwest high in safety, student services and campus climate.

TECHNOLOGY
- Laptop computers are provided to all students.
- Students have access to a fast, powerful wireless network across campus.
- The college is a leader in high-access student-based computer technology.
- Computers are equipped with the latest software.