Introduction

Thank you for your interest in Minnesota State Community and Technical College. We have four campus locations in West Central Minnesota. We also offer online programs, degrees, and courses. M State serves over 6500 students each semester.

Admission Requirements.

M State International Students must meet certain requirements to be admitted to the college and obtain an I-20 form.

☐ Complete the International Student Application for admission
☐ Submit the non-refundable $20 application fee.
☐ Secondary school and post-secondary records and graduation results (officially certified copies of original documents) must be sent directly to M State. If the record is not in English, a certified literal translation must be sent in addition to the official document.
☐ Transcripts from US colleges and universities must be sent directly to M State.
☐ TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) scores. See the International Student Application for TOEFL score requirements. Students from English speaking countries are not required to submit TOEFL scores.
☐ Financial certification form. Included with the International Student Application.
☐ International Health Insurance.

What to Expect – A step-by-step guide.

1. Apply for admissions and pay the $20 application fee.
2. Submit additional application materials as listed on the application.
3. Submit the financial statement and appropriate documentation of funds.
4. Once your file is complete and all paperwork has been received by M State, M State will complete the I-20 in the SEVIS database.
5. We will send you a copy of the I-20 and your letter of acceptance to the college.
6. You will use the I-20 and copy of your acceptance letter to obtain a visa to travel to the US to study at M State.
7. You will make arrangements for travel. Once you know your date of arrival, contact M State at enroll@minnesota.edu.
8. You will make housing arrangements. The Fergus Falls and Moorhead campus locations have campus housing available.
9. Welcome to M State!

All documents should be mailed to:
M State Processing Center
PO Box 309
Perham, MN 56573