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RE: **2025-2026 TUITION RECIPROCITY RATES FOR STUDENTS FROM IOWA, MANITOBA, MSEP STATES, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA AND WISCONSIN REVISED TO INCLUDE SD AND WI**

The following are the 2025-2026 tuition reciprocity rates for students from Iowa, Manitoba, MSEP States, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin. Please distribute a copy of this memo to your campus business, financial aid and admissions offices.

Minnesota State campuses that do not have non-resident tuition rates **must still require residents from North Dakota and Wisconsin to apply for tuition reciprocity, so they are officially approved by boards in those states and included in the interstate payment calculation.** Failure to count ND and WI students at Minnesota State institutions impacts the student flow and therefore the payment calculation.

Students from Iowa

The only participating institution, Minnesota West Community and Technical College, should charge its Minnesota resident tuition and fee rate to Iowa residents of Merged Area III in northwestern Iowa who are participating in tuition reciprocity. Other Minnesota State campuses are not covered by the Iowa agreement.

Students from Manitoba

Minnesota State campuses should charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates to tuition reciprocity participants from Manitoba.

Students from MSEP States: Indiana, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio Illinois* and Michigan*

Participating programs at Minnesota State University Mankato and Minnesota State University Moorhead should charge MSEP participants up to 150 percent of the resident tuition rate at the Minnesota institution attended, plus any institutional fees. Institutions can charge anywhere from 100 to 150 percent of the resident rate. Students attending Minnesota State campuses that no longer charge non-resident rates do not

need to apply for MSEP rates or be reported in MSEP enrollment reports.

*Illinois and Michigan no longer have any participating institutions in the Midwest Student Exchange Program (MSEP). The absence of any participating institutions in MSEP moves the states into an inactive status for purposes of this program. The net result of this inactive status is that resident students from Illinois and Michigan will no longer be able to receive the MSEP discounted tuition rate at institutions participating in the program. Per the MSEP Council, starting in fall 2021 for Michigan and fall 2022 for Illinois, new students will no longer qualify for the MSEP discount. Residents of these states attending out of state MSEP institutions are grandfathered out of the program and can continue to receive the benefit as long as their enrollment is uninterrupted and continues to meet the MSEP participation requirements of the institutions they attend (i.e. satisfactory progress or approved leave status in the program admitted).

Although North Dakota and Wisconsin participate in MSEP, residents from those states should not be processed under the MSEP program since Minnesota has separate reciprocity agreements with these states which provide a better benefit than the MSEP benefit. Residents from North Dakota and Wisconsin attending Minnesota institutions should be processed under the Interstate Tuition Reciprocity Program.

Students from North Dakota

The attached spreadsheet (MinnesotaState26_CHART_FINAL) reflects the 2025-2026 reciprocity tuition rates for North Dakota reciprocity recipients attending Minnesota State campuses.

Students from South Dakota

The South Dakota Board of Regents has terminated the Minnesota-South Dakota Public Higher Education Reciprocity Agreement. The agreement has not been renewed beginning with the previous 2024-2025 academic year. South Dakota students enrolled at Minnesota State institutions under the program as of January 30, 2024, shall continue to receive the reciprocity rate to complete the degree program in which they are enrolled at the date of termination (1/30/2024). Minnesota State should follow its internal process to renew the benefit, track the impacted students and submit year end data. The chart on the next page reflects the 2025-2026 reciprocity rates for students from South Dakota who qualify for the grandfathering out provision of the program.

Students from Wisconsin

The attached spreadsheet (MinnesotaState26_CHART_FINAL) reflects the 2025-2026 reciprocity tuition rates for Wisconsin reciprocity recipients attending Minnesota State campuses.

SOUTH DAKOTA STUDENTS ATTENDING MINNESOTA SCHOOLS 2025-2026 TUITION RECIPROCITY RATES

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| University of Minnesota All Campuses | Undergraduate: Charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates Graduate: Charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates Professional: Charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates |
| State Universities Undergraduate: * MSU Mankato changed its banded rate for a full-time student from 12-18 to 13 credits and over | <p>Bemidji State University must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,431.66 for 12+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$334.40.</p> <p>MN State University Mankato must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,139.82 for 13+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$375.05.</p> <p>Metropolitan State University must charge SD's four-year weighted average per-credit tuition and mandatory fee rate of \$319.75 per credit hour.</p> <p>Minnesota State University Moorhead must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,527.99 for 12+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$319.75.</p> <p>Southwest Minnesota State University must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,459.57 for 12+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$330.95.</p> <p>St. Cloud State University must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,428.42 for 12+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$371.45.</p> <p>Winona State University must charge the Minnesota resident banded semester tuition and general fee rate of \$5,616.14 for 12+ credits and a per-credit rate of \$319.75.</p> <p>Graduate: All campuses charge the Minnesota resident graduate tuition and fee rates.</p> |
| Community Colleges | All campuses charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates. |
| Technical Colleges | All campuses charge Minnesota resident tuition and fee rates. (Note: These students apply directly to the school and are not reported on tuition reciprocity enrollment files submitted to the Office of Higher Education.) |
| Consolidated Technical and Community Colleges | Treat as either a CC or TC student, depending on the student's program. If the school cannot make a distinction between a CC or TC program, treat as a technical college student. |

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