



NORTHWESTERN STATE
UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA



**FORK 'EM,
DEMONS!**

2022-2023
VIEWBOOK

  **@nsula**

Northwestern State University

is located in Natchitoches, the ideal college town community of approximately 20,000. The city is the oldest permanent settlement in the Louisiana Purchase with lots of history to explore and discover along with great food and outdoor activities. Known for meat pies and "Steel Magnolias," there are numerous festivals and events showcasing the area's great love for music, outdoors, food and fun, all within a short walk from campus.



DISCOVER
NATCHITOCHES





Explore everything NSU has to offer, apply for admissions and scholarships, and visit our beautiful campus at your earliest convenience.

Personalized
Campus Tours
[NSU.LA/Tours](https://www.nsu.edu/tours)

N-SIDE VIEW PREVIEW DAYS

October 1, 2022 & February 25, 2023

A special day for all future students.

Campus Tours • Submit Applications • Meet Advisors • Browse Organizations
Informational Sessions • Make New Friends
Complimentary tickets to athletic events on preview days

PARENTS ARE WELCOME!



**LOUISIANA
SCHOLARS'
COLLEGE**

The state's selective-admission honors college of the liberal arts and sciences.

PREVIEW DAYS

October 1, 2022 & March 4, 2023

Open house for all students interested in an honors education.

DISCOVER Scholars'

100+ 
student organizations

Spirit of Northwestern
MARCHING BAND
300+ members

NEW!
esports 
7000+ sq.ft.
venue

IMPORTANT DATES

- OCT 31 ▶ Early Bird Scholarship Deadline
- DEC 1 ▶ Priority Scholarship Deadline
- JAN 11 ▶ Housing Application Available
- MAR 1 ▶ 2nd Scholarship Deadline
- MAY 1 ▶ Financial Aid Deadline



CHECKLIST FOR ADMISSION

- **Complete Application for Admissions and Academic Scholarships** online at nsu.la/apply
- **Submit \$20 application fee** (\$30 for International Students)
- **Send Official ACT, SAT, or ACCUPLACER Scores**
NSU codes: ACT-1600, SAT-6492
- **Request copies of Official High School and/or College Transcript(s)**
The Student Transcript System (STS) will be used to obtain the official transcript for Louisiana high school graduates of years 2003 to present. Out-of-state students must get transcripts sent.
- **Apply for additional Scholarships** online at northwesternstatealumni.com/form/
- **Apply for Campus Housing** at nsula.edu/campushousing
- **File the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**
NSU's school code is #002021
- **Complete Proof of Immunization Compliance Form**
- **Register for Selective Service Registration**
Males only - to register or obtain proof, visit www.sss.gov
- **Register for Freshman Connection** in the spring at nsula.edu/fye/freshmanconnection



ADMISSION CRITERIA

IN-STATE, OUT-OF-STATE AND HOME SCHOOLED STUDENTS must meet the following requirements:

1. Meet Regents' Core Curriculum (Core 4)
2. Earn 2.35 minimum high school GPA
3. ACT/SAT scores: 18/25-33 in English and 19/500 or 25 in Math

Contact your recruiter to find out how you can be admissible.

OUT-OF-STATE AND HOME SCHOOLED STUDENTS can also be admitted by the following admission requirements:

1. Complete 17 of the 19 units of the Regents' Core Curriculum
2. Earn 2.35 minimum overall high school GPA
3. ACT/SAT scores: 18/25-33 in English and 19/500 or 25 in Math
4. Earn a 2.0 minimum core GPA

OR

1. ACT composite score of 23
(SAT combined math and critical reading score of 1050)
2. Have a minimum overall high school GPA of 2.35
3. ACT/SAT scores: 18/25-33 in English and 19/500 or 25 in Math

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**Students who do not meet the above criteria may be admitted on exception.*

100%
NATIONALLY
ACCREDITED



Southern Association of Colleges and
Schools Commission on Colleges

Apply for Admission Online
nsu.la/apply

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STUDENT TO FACULTY

CAMPUS HOUSING

NSU.LA/housing

Three housing complexes offering new and exciting campus living.

- ▶ **University Place**
- ▶ **University Columns**
- ▶ **Varnado Hall**

TUITION, FEES, FINANCIAL AID, & SCHOLARSHIPS

Everything you need to know can be found online!

nsula.edu/financialaid/




ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT

The annual security report includes statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus; in certain off-campus buildings owned or controlled by Northwestern State University; and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from campus. The report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as policies concerning alcohol and drug use, crime prevention reporting of crimes, sexual assault, and other matters. You can obtain a copy of this report by contacting University Police, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, LA 71497, telephone (318) 357-5431 or by accessing the following web site [nsula.edu/universityaffairs/police/](https://www.nsula.edu/universityaffairs/police/).

ACCREDITATION: Northwestern State University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate, baccalaureate, master's, specialists, and doctorate degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Northwestern State University.

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NCAA Division I
ATHLETICS
400
student-athletes
14 sports

 **College of Nursing**
oldest baccalaureate nursing
program in Louisiana and ranked
ONE OF THE BEST
in the U.S.

 **100+**
AREAS
OF STUDY

QUESTIONS?

University Recruiting • 318-357-4503 • recruiting@nsula.edu

Admissions • 318-357-4078 • applications@nsula.edu

Financial Aid and Scholarships • 318-357-5961 • nsufinaid@nsula.edu

WHERE ARE WE?



APPROXIMATE DISTANCE:

- 4 hours to New Orleans, LA
- 4 hours to Houston, TX
- 4 hours to Dallas, TX
- 4 hours to Little Rock, AR
- 3.5 hours to Jackson, MS

A Northwestern State University education is
personal, valuable, and impactful.

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