

Application for Admission

Personal Data

Name (Last, First, Middle)

Date of Application

Name used in high school records or in other educational records or transcripts, if different from above (Optional) (Last, First, Middle)

Social Security Number

Many colleges/universities use Social Security numbers for student identification purposes on student records. Providing your Social Security number is voluntary. If you do not provide this number, your application will still be processed. This data is requested for purposes of administration, program evaluation and consumer and alumni data. Your number also may be used to create summary information about system programs through data matches with other state agencies.

Current mailing address (House/Apartment Number, Street, P.O.Box/Rural Route) City State Zip Code County

Permanent Address, if different from above (Street, P.O. Box/Rural Route) City State Zip Code County

Home Phone

Business Phone/Cellular Phone

Email Address

Are you a resident of Minnesota?

If yes, how long?

If no, of what state are you a resident?

Yes No

_____ years _____ months

State: _____ years _____ months

Are you a U.S. citizen?

Permanent resident (if applicable):

Yes No If not, type of visa: _____

Refugee Resident Alien Other: _____

(International students and non-immigrants must complete a separate application form.)

Admissions Data

Name of college/university you are applying to: Ridgewater College Campus: Hutchinson Willmar

Name of program, major or curriculum you plan to follow: e.g. English, electrical engineering, auto mechanics, nursing. Write "undecided" if you are, but indicate any alternatives you are considering. (Check college/university policies for admission requirements to specific programs of study.)

1:

2:

3:

What is your current educational intent at this institution?

- Complete courses, but not a degree Earn associate (two-year) degree Earn associate (two-year) degree and transfer
 Earn occupational certificate/diploma Complete courses and transfer without a degree Earn bachelor's (four-year) degree

What term do you intend to begin taking courses? (check only one and indicate the year)

Fall _____ Spring _____ Summer I _____ Summer II _____

Do you plan to attend: Full time? (12 or more credits) Part time? (fewer than 12 credits)

Have you attended this college/university before? Yes No If yes, last date attended: _____

Activities/Interests: (optional) Please list _____

Request for Confidential Information

Providing the following information is voluntary. This information will assist Minnesota State Colleges and Universities in evaluating student recruitment and retention policies; it will not be used as a basis for admission.

Gender: Male Female

Are you Hispanic or Latino (a person of Cuban, Mexican, Chicano, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture, regardless of race)? yes no

Race and ethnic background (select any that apply)

- American Indian or Alaska Native - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North, Central or South America and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.
 Asian - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia or the Indian subcontinent.
 Black or African American - A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
 White - A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa.

What is the highest level of education for your parent(s)/guardian(s)? Please respond for the parent(s), step-parent(s), adoptive parent(s) or guardian(s) who raised you. Check only one box for each parent/guardian.

Parent/Guardian #1 No high school diploma High school diploma Some college Two-year college degree/diploma Bachelor's degree or higher Not sure/don't know

Parent/Guardian #2 No high school diploma High school diploma Some college Two-year college degree/diploma Bachelor's degree or higher Not sure/don't know

IMPORTANT: APPLICATION CONTINUES ON NEXT PAGE

EDUCATIONAL DATA

Do you have a high school diploma? Yes No

High school graduation date: _____

If no, do you have a GED? Yes No

Are you currently in high school? Yes No

High School Attended

City

State

Zip

List any other post-secondary institutions attended. Official transcripts from each institution attended must be sent directly to the Admissions Office of the college/university.

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Are you a high school student planning to take college courses under the Minnesota Post-Secondary Enrollment Options program (PSEO)? Yes No

If yes, please contact your high school counselor and also the Ridgewater College Admissions office.

Signature Required by all Applicants

All information included is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Note: The college/university is asking you to provide information that includes private and/or confidential information under state and federal law. The college/university is asking for this information in order to process your application.

You are not legally required to provide the information the college/university is requesting; however, the college/university may not be able to effectively process your application if you do not provide sufficient information. With some exceptions, unless you consent to further release of private information, access to this information will be limited to school officials, including faculty who have legitimate educational interests in the information. Under certain circumstances, federal and state laws authorize release of private information without your consent:

- to other schools in which you seek or intend to enroll, or are enrolled, if you are first notified of the release;
- to federal, state or local officials for purposes of program compliance, audit or evaluation;
- as appropriate in connection with your application for, or receipt of, financial aid;
- to your parents, if your parents claim you as a dependent student for tax purposes;
- if the information is sought with a subpoena, court order, or otherwise permitted by other state or federal law, and
- to an organization engaged in education research or an accrediting agency.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities abide by the provisions of Title IX and other federal and state laws forbidding discrimination on the basis of sex, race, color, national origin or handicap and all other state and federal laws regarding equal opportunity. This document can be made available in alternate formats, such as large print or cassette tape, upon request by calling (800) 722-1151 or through the Minnesota Relay Service at (800) 627-3529.

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Willmar, MN 56201
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Admissions: (320) 222-5976
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Hutchinson, MN 55350
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