

State: Missouri

Capital City: Jefferson City

Major cities: Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield, Columbia, St. Joseph

Major Companies: Ascension Health, Emerson Electric Co, O'Reilly Automotive, Enterprise Holdings, Central Bank, Edward D Jones & Co LP, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Centene, BJC HealthCare, Anheuser-Busch

Major Sectors/Economy:

- The largest urban areas are Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield, and Columbia; the capital is Jefferson City
- After the war, both Greater St. Louis and the Kansas City metropolitan area became centers of industrialization and business
- Major industries include aerospace, transportation equipment, food processing, chemicals, printing/publishing, electrical equipment, light manufacturing, financial services and beer
- 10 Missouri-based companies were included in this year's Fortune 500 list
- Fortune 500 companies in Missouri - Express Scripts Holding, Centene, Emerson Electric, Monsanto, Reinsurance Group of America, O'Reilly Automotive, Jones Financial, Graybar Electric, Ameren, Olin
- Most of Missouri's Fortune 500 companies are based in the St. Louis area
- Honeywell Kansas City Plant produces and assembles 85% of the non-nuclear components of the United States nuclear bomb arsenal

Climate:

Missouri generally has a humid continental climate with cold snowy winters and hot, humid, and wet summers

University Eligibility and Fee:

University	Bachelors Eligibility	Bachelors Fee Range/yr	Masters Eligibility	Masters Fee Range/yr
Missouri University of Science & Technology- Rolla	GPA – 3.6 SAT– 1080-1300 ACT – 25-31	\$25,082	GRE-308 GPA – 3.3/70%+ TOEFL -90/IELTS – 6.5	\$27,500
University of Missouri Columbia	GPA – 3.6 SAT– 1060-1300 ACT – 23-28	\$25,707	GRE-305+ GPA – 3.3/70%+ TOEFL -80/IELTS – 6.5	\$20,404
University of Missouri Kansas City	GPA – 3.5 SAT– 1030-1290 ACT – 22-28	\$18,840	GRE-295-300 GPA – 3.3/70%+ TOEFL -80/IELTS – 6.5	\$18,944
Missouri State University	GPA – 3.5 SAT– 1030-1290 ACT – 22-28	\$14,310	GRE-298 GPA – 3.3/70%+ TOEFL -80/IELTS – 6.5	\$11,130
Northwest Missouri State University	GPA – 3.4 SAT– 900-1030	\$9,884	GRE-290+ GPA – 3.0/65%+	\$11,996

	ACT – 19-22		ACS – IELTS: 6.0 IS – IELTS: 6.5	
Southeast Missouri State University	GPA – 3.4 SAT– 900-1030 ACT – 19-22	\$11,991	GRE-290+ GPA – 2.8/65%+ TOEFL -79/IELTS – 6.0	\$9,990
University of Central Missouri	GPA – 3.4 SAT– 900-1030 ACT – 19-22	\$13,539	GRE-285+ GPA – 2.8/65%+ TOEFL -79/IELTS – 6.0	\$8,697
Missouri Western State University	GPA – 3.4 SAT– 900-1030 ACT – 19-22	\$12,160	GRE-290+ GPA – 3.0/65%+(B/L – 3-4) TOEFL -79/IELTS – 6.0	\$11,520

University Key points:

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Missouri Western State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in 1915 • Students 5,388 - Fall 2016 • Learning landscape – main campus located on more than 700 acres of land • Undergraduate enrollment (Fall 2017): 5,321 • Student/faculty ratio: 16:1 • Graduate enrollment (Fall 2017): 241 • 95% of first-time freshmen receive financial aid • Nearly 100% of graduates engaged in at least one applied learning experience • More than 28,000 alumni all over the world
Missouri University Of Science and Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in 1870 • Missouri S&T was ranked as no. 1 "Best Investment" among public universities for out-of-state students by Newsweek in August 2012 • Missouri S&T was ranked #89 in the "best graduate school engineering programs in the U.S." • Total Students Enrollment- 8,838 • Best investment among public universities for out-of-state students • 98 degree programs in 39 areas of study • 18 design teams- Solar Car, Solar House, Mars Rover, Formula SAE, Human-Powered Vehicle and more. • Student/faculty ratio: 19:1 • Three of S&T grads have become NASA astronauts
University of Missouri Columbia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in - 1839 • Students-30870 in fall 2017 • offering over 300 degree programs in 20 academic colleges • There are more than 300,000 MU alumni living worldwide with over one half residing in Missouri

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MU is one of the nation's top research institutions and one of the 34 public universities that are members of the Association of American Universities • The university was ranked 103rd among national universities in the 2016 U.S. News & World Report rankings. • The university also operates the University of Missouri Health Care system, which operates four hospitals in Mid-Missouri. • Student/faculty ratio: 19:1
University of Missouri Kansas City	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in - 1933 • Students 16944(fall 2016) • More than 125 academic areas • students to faculty ratio - 14:1 • Named to the top 100 "green campuses" • Alumni network is 122,000 strong and growing • 3,200+ local business clients benefit from UMKC outreach programs each year • Students receiving some type of financial aid (FY 2015): 88% of first-time freshman
Missouri State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ranking: #293-#381 in National Universities • Est: 1905 • Alumni: 122,000+ • 58 percent of full-time undergraduates receive some kind of need-based financial aid, and the average need-based scholarship or grant award is \$6,067 • Endowment: \$138.4 million • Bachelor's Programs 102, Master's Programs 61
Northwest Missouri State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in -1905 • Students-6485 fall 2014 • Student/faculty ratio: 21:1 • 74 programs boast 100% • Ranked 1 in 10 of 12 areas on student satisfaction national survey • Ranked #87 in Regional Universities Midwest • 66 percent of full-time undergraduates receive some kind of need-based financial aid, and the average need-based scholarship or grant award is \$6,243.
University of Central Missouri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in - 1871 • Students - 14394 fall 2015 • UCM offers 150 programs of study • Median starting salary of alumni - \$42,100 • The student-faculty ratio is 19:1 • Ranked #87 in Regional Universities Midwest.
Southeast Missouri state University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded in 1873 • University enjoys a Endowment of Approximately \$59 Million • University offers more than 145 undergraduate majors, 100 minors, and more than 75 graduate programs with more than

	<p>200 areas of study. Totaling Approximately 1,500 courses which are offered each semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• More than 5,000 students participate in intramural sports or sports clubs along with more than 238 student organizations• There are current international students from 65 different countries• Southeast alumni are part of a worldwide community of approximately 70,000 members in all 50 states and nearly 80 foreign countries
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