



Northern Kentucky University is a public university in Campbell County with branch campuses in Covington and Williamstown. It has about 15,200 students, with 72% of them from Kentucky and 66% of them full-time. The school operates on a semester system and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

**Admissions**

**Admissions:** Phone: 859.572.5220, 800.637.9948  
Fax: 859.572.6665  
E-mail: [admitnku@nku.edu](mailto:admitnku@nku.edu)

**Campus tours:** Phone: 859.572.1400

**Nontraditional student advisor:** Phone: 859.572.6119  
Fax: 859.572.6665  
E-mail: [grindle@nku.edu](mailto:grindle@nku.edu)

**Admission requirements:** ACT, SAT, or COMPASS, admission application, application fee, high school transcript or GED

**Criteria used to determine nontraditional status:** Age 21 or older and never been to college

**Placement/credit examinations:** None

**Application deadlines:**

Fall: May 1 (priority); June 1 (assured consideration)  
August 1 (final)  
Spring: November 1 (priority); December 1 (transfer final)  
Summer: May 1 (final)  
The admission deadline for students applying for scholarship consideration is January 15.

**Pre-enrollment fees and deposits:**

Application for admission (online): \$25 (nonrefundable)  
(paper): \$40 (nonrefundable)  
Housing deposit: \$200 (nonrefundable)  
Registration confirmation fee: \$75 (nonrefundable)

**Academics**

**Degrees offered:** NKU offers associate, bachelor's, master's and law degrees. See page 148 for a list of programs.

**Special programs and services:** Co-op; competency-based program; credit for company-sponsored training, life experience, military experience, prior learning, work experience; day care for children of students on and near campus; evening classes; honors program; internship; minority program; off-campus classes; online courses; Running Start; senior citizens program; study abroad; telecourses; veterans program; weekend classes; WIA

**Online Services**

**Web site information/forms:**

- Admission application
- Catalog
- Academic calendar
- Campus directory
- Scholarship application
- Course schedule
- Campus map/tour
- Other:

**Online submission:**

- Admission application
- Course registration
- Credit card payment
- Scholarship application
- Info/material request
- Other: Honors application

**2009–2010 Estimated In-State Costs**

Tuition & fees .....\$6,792  
Room & board.....5,698

Fees per credit hour for part-time (under 12 hours):

**Payment plan(s):** Yes

**2009–2010 Financial Aid**

**Financial aid:** Office of Student Financial Assistance  
Lucas Administrative Center  
Highland Heights, KY 41099  
Phone: 859.572.5143, 888.225.4499  
Fax: 859.572.6997  
E-mail: [ofa@nku.edu](mailto:ofa@nku.edu)

**Grants:**

- College Access Program (CAP)
- Federal Pell
- Kentucky Tuition Grant (KTG)
- Federal SEOG
- Federal Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG)
- Federal SMART Grant

**Scholarships:**

- Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES)
- Other:

**Conversion scholarships/loans (service obligation):**

- Federal TEACH Grant
- Kentucky Nursing Incentive Scholarship
- KHEEA Teacher Scholarship
- Minority Educator Recruitment & Retention Scholarship
- Other:

**Loans:**

- Federal PLUS (FFELP)
- Federal Stafford (FFELP)
- Primary Care
- Federal Perkins
- Nursing Student

**Other:**

- KHEEA Work-Study
- VA Benefits
- Other:
- Federal Work-Study
- ROTC

**Required financial aid applications:**

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Institutional form

**Federal school code for FAFSA:** 009275

**Students receiving financial aid:** 69.6%

**Financial aid application deadlines for freshmen:**

Fall semester: March 1 (priority)  
Spring semester: November 1 (priority)