

DeSales University is a private, non-profit, four-year Catholic university with a Salesian mission administered by the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales. Our priority is to give students a quality, broad-based liberal arts and career-centered education. Students are exposed to Catholic teachings but are also encouraged to explore in an atmosphere of intellectual freedom.

GENERAL INFORMATION
Founded: 1964
President: (4th) Rev. James J. Greenfield, OSFS '84
Most recent MSCHE accreditation: June 21, 2018
Location: Center Valley, Pennsylvania

The DeSales 550-acre suburban campus is located about 50 miles north of Philadelphia and 90 miles southwest of New York City.



DEGREES OFFERED		
Bachelor's degrees	51	
Master's degrees	12	
Doctoral degrees	2	
Undergraduate certificates	18	
Graduate certificates	20	
Post-graduate certificates	8	
Total Degrees and Certificates	111	

FACULTY AND STAFF		
Full-time faculty	142	
Part-time faculty	260	
Full-time staff	283	
Part-time staff	54	
FT faculty with highest degree in field	86.6%	
Student-to-faculty ratio	17 to 1	

ENROLLMENT SNAPSHOT		
Total enrollment	3,016	
Undergraduate students	2,231	
Graduate students	785	
Full-time equivalent (FTE) students	2,585.8	
Male / Female/Unknown	34%/65%/1%	
Students of Color	23.5%	

TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS		
Traditional undergraduates	1,792	
First-time, first-year students (full-time)	504	
Transfer students (full-time)	47	
Full-time students	99.4%	
Pennsylvania residents	68.1%	
Male / Female/Unknown	37%/63%/0%	
Students of Color	23.1%	
Average age	20	
First-generation students	14.3%	
Pell grant recipients	22.3%	
Commuter students	43.0%	
Students enrolled in online courses	29.4%	

NON-TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS		
Non-traditional undergraduates	392	
First-time, first-year students	5	
Transfer students	42	
Full-time students	30.6%	
Pennsylvania residents	93.3%	
Male / Female/Unknown	27% / 73%/0%	
Students of Color	35.4%	
Average age	34	
First-generation students	28.6%	
Pell grant recipients	30.1%	
Students enrolled in online courses	78.8%	

GRADUATE STUDENTS		
Master's students	685	
Doctoral students	100	
Full-time students	52.6%	
Pennsylvania residents	79.6%	
Male / Female/Unknown	30% / 68%/2%	
Students of Color	20.0%	
Average age	32	
Students enrolled in online courses	58.9%	







US News & World Report Rankings: National Universities, Top Performers on Social Mobility, Nursing (BSN), A+ Schools for B Students



TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATE OUTCOMES		
First-to-second year retention rate	77.8%	
4-year graduation rate (2018 Cohort)	64.4%	
5-year graduation rate (2017 Cohort)	70.7%	
6-year graduation rate (2016 Cohort)	68.0%	

DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES CO	NFERRED
Bachelor's degrees	591
Master's degrees	315
Doctoral degrees	30
Undergraduate certificates	10
Graduate certificates	7
Total	953

ALUMNI	
Total alumni (unduplicated)	23,883
Bachelors degree alumni	17,699
Masters degree alumni	6,007
Doctoral degree alumni	177

ATHLETICS	
Men's sports	9
Women's sports	10
Club sports	4
NCAA Division	Division III

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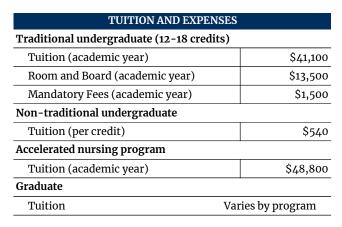
Middle Atlantic Conference (MAC)

MAC Freedom Conference

Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference (ECAC)

Mascot: Bulldog

University Colors: navy blue and scarlet



UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AID		
Total grant or scholarship aid*	\$45.8M	
Grant or scholarship aid recipients*	84.4%	
Institutional grant or scholarship aid	\$39.2M	
Institutional aid recipients	69.5%	
Total Pell grant aid	\$2.81M	
Pell grant recipients	23.9%	
Total federal student loans	\$13.6M	
Federal student loan recipients	78.3%	

^{*}Aid from federal, state, institutional, and other sources

INSTITUTIONAL REVENUE SOURCES		
Net tuition and fees	\$55,345,767	
Federal Grants	\$5,919,662	
State appropriations	\$475,454	
Private gifts and grants	\$2,866,223	
Auxiliary enterprises	\$15,110,243	
Other	\$297,681	
Total	\$80,015,030	

ACCREDITATIONS

Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)

Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)

Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc. (ARC-PA)

Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)

Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)

National Council for State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements (NC-SARA)

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