



NORTH CENTRAL
1861

International Quick Facts



Degrees and Accreditation

- Bachelor of Science (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

Honors and Awards

- Ranked among the "Most Innovative Schools" in the Midwest by U.S. News & World Report (2022)
- Named to Phi Theta Kappa's Transfer Honor Roll, 2023
- Ranked one of "America's Best Colleges" by Money magazine, 2023
- Ranked among "Best Midwestern Colleges" by Princeton Review, 2024

Location and Campus

- Beautiful 68.5-acre/28-hectare campus just a two-minute walk from downtown Naperville and the train station
- 30-minute train ride to Chicago
- Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD) just 30 minutes from campus
- Naperville ranked No. 3 "Best Cities to Live in America" by Niche, 2023
- Naperville, Illinois, ranked No. 1 "Safest City in America" (MoneyGeek, 2023)

Our Students Come From

Bangladesh, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of Congo, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Honduras, Hungary, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Krygystan, Macedonia, Mexico, Moldova, Morocco, Netherlands, Nepal, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Romania, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Venezuela, Vietnam, Zimbabwe and more!

Student Population

Undergraduate	2,800+
Graduate	426
International	164
Countries represented	51

Estimated Costs 2023-2024

Tuition & Fees	\$44,394
Housing & Food	\$13,207
Estimated Total	\$57,601*

**Room costs vary by residence hall. Students should also budget for insurance, books and personal expenses.*

Scholarships

Freshman

- International Presidential \$34,000
- International Dean \$32,000
- International Merit \$31,000
- ELI To Degree \$2,250 - \$9,000

Transfer

- International Excellence \$31,000
- International Success \$30,000
- International Merit \$28,000
- ELI To Degree \$2,250 - \$9,000

100% OF NEW STUDENTS RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS OR GRANTS.

Academics

- Core curriculum and 128 total credits to graduate with a Bachelor's degree
- Advanced Placement (AP) credit
- International Baccalaureate (IB) credit
- Honors Program
- Transfer credit available



Learn more about our

90+ MAJORS AND PROGRAMS OF STUDY



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English Language Institute (ELI)

- Full-time, year-round English as a second language (ESL) program
- Conditional undergraduate admission available
- Five eight-week terms offered each year
- No minimum TOEFL required
- Summer options available
- ELI to Degree Scholarships available for undergraduate study at North Central

Conditional Admission Application Process

Students who do not have the required level of English proficiency may apply for conditional undergraduate admission by submitting a completed undergraduate application and official transcripts. Full admission is awarded upon successful North Central ELI completion. For more information, email esl@noctrl.edu.

Learn more



Faculty

- 177 full-time (120 tenure track)
- 100% of tenure track hold doctorate or terminal degree in field
- Average class size: 20

Athletics

- 26 intercollegiate sports in NCAA Division III and the College Conference of Illinois & Wisconsin
- North Central has won 43 team and 151 individual national championships

*No athletic scholarships are offered, and students must be enrolled in a degree program to participate in intercollegiate sports.

International Application Process

International Freshman Application Process

- Undergraduate Application (online)
- Official high school transcript (past three years)
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 preferred (4.0 scale)
- Official English proficiency documentation (below)

English Proficiency Documentation

The minimum English proficiency documentation required to be considered for direct admission to a degree program includes (choose one):

- Official TOEFL score of 79 IBT (Institution Code: 1555)
- Official IELTS score of 6.5
- Official SAT EBRW score of 490 (Institution Code: 1555)
- Official ACT English score of 19 (Institution Code: 1096)
- Official Pearson Test of English score of 58
- EIKEN - Minimum Grade Pre-1
- Grades of 'C' or higher in English writing courses taken at a U.S. college or university (transfer applicants)
- Successful completion of North Central's English Language Institute (ELI)

Visa

Admitted students who will need an F-1 student visa must submit a passport copy, financial document, and official high school transcripts to be issued an I-20 form. Transfer students in the United States must complete and submit the transfer verification form.

Priority Deadlines

Offers of admission are made on an ongoing basis. Students applying from outside of the United States must submit a complete application by June 1 for the Fall Semester and by November 1 for the Spring Semester. Students already studying in the United States should apply two months prior to the intended start semester.



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