

Introduction

Throughout the 2024 MLUP, key facts help tell the story about the College and its campus. Many of those facts are assembled on this fact sheet for your reference. The data represented here is current as of May 31, 2024.

College Historical Facts

- North Central College was founded in 1861 and relocated to Naperville in 1870.
- Previous MLUPs: 1989, 2000, and 2010
- College/University District (CUD) Zoning Ordinance: 1989

CAMPUS PARKING	
Parking Pavilion spaces	542
Total on campus parking spaces	1,538
Total on street parking spaces within 2 blocks	800

CAMPUS PROPERTY FACILITIES	
Buildings	44
Acreage	69.4
Square footage	\$1.35 million
Major physical campus upgrades 2010 - 2023	\$141.5 million

ENROLLMENT	
Undergraduate	2,397
Graduate	459
Total	2,856
From Illinois	83%
From outside Illinois	17%
States represented	36
Countries represented	51
Living on campus	53%
Commute to campus	47%
Identify as male	49%
Identify as female	51%
Identify as students of color	33%
First-generation college students	36%
Student athletes	36%

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS	
Undergraduate degree majors	90
Graduate degree programs	21
NEW PROGRAMS SINCE 2010	
Undergraduate majors	27
Undergraduate minors	24
Graduate programs	11
Academic degree types	10

ALUMNI	
Total alumni population	35,000
Living in Naperville	3,000
Living in the Chicago area	18,000
Among the College's faculty and staff	175

STUDENT EXPERIENCE	
Student-faculty ratio	12:1
Teaching assistants	0
Average class size	19.2
Student organizations and activities	100+
NATIONALLY RANKED INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS PROGRAMS	
Intercollegiate sports teams	26
Men's programs	13
Women's programs*	13
Team national championships	44
Individual and relay national champions	152
CCIW conference championships	246

FACULTY AND STAFF	
Full-time faculty	177
Tenured	87
Tenure-track	30
Tenure-track faculty holding Ph.D. or terminal degree in their field	100%
Courses taught by full-time faculty	68%
Full-time staff	288

FUNDRAISING	
Average annual dollars (past 5 years)	\$11.7 million

COLLEGE NEIGHBORHOOD	
Mailing addresses	Nearly 1,000
Regular neighbor meetings	3 each academic year

STUDENT HOUSING	
Total residence halls	9
Total rooms	871
Total bed spaces	1,417

PERCENTAGE OF UNDERGRADUATES LIVING IN CAMPUS HOUSING	
Fall 2023	52.82% (1,266)
Spring 2024	52.25% (1,210)

PERCENTAGE OF GRADUATE STUDENTS LIVING IN CAMPUS HOUSING	
Fall 2023	3.92% (18)
Spring 2024	3.42% (19)

FACILITY PRIORITIES	
The College established a set of facility priorities for the next 10 years:	
Academic facilities (e.g., liberal arts, business and entrepreneurship)	
Additional health science facility	
Athletic facility for strength and conditioning, locker rooms, and offices	
Athletic synthetic competition surface and venue, primarily for soccer and lacrosse	
Student dining and activity center	

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT	
Steeple Run Flood Control Project (1998-1999)	More than \$1.46 million College investment

ARBORETUM DESIGNATION	
The North Central College campus is a Level II arboretum.	
The College is recognized as a Tree Campus USA Tree Campus Higher Education Institution.	

SUSTAINABILITY	
Electric Vehicle Charging Stations	14

