

**New Mexico
State University**

**Fact Sheet
Fall 2003
Main Campus**



INTRODUCTION

New Mexico State University (NMSU) is the land grant university of the state of New Mexico. As a thriving center of higher education, deeply rooted in the southwestern tradition, its role as a comprehensive university is recognized throughout the state. NMSU offers a wide variety of programs through the Graduate School and the colleges: Agriculture & Home Economics, Arts & Sciences, Business Administration & Economics, Education, Engineering, and Health & Social Services. The 22 doctoral programs are limited primarily to agriculture, education, engineering, and the sciences; the specialist in education degree is offered in 3



study areas, there are 50 master's degree programs and 74 baccalaureate degree programs. At its four branch community colleges, Alamogordo, Carlsbad, Dona Ana and Grants, NMSU offers academic, vocational/technical, and continuing education programs. In accord with its land-grant mission, NMSU provides informal, off-campus educational programs through the Cooperative Extension Service. Through a statewide network of 13 research facilities, the Agricultural Experiment Station conducts basic and applied research supporting agriculture, natural resources management, environmental quality, and improved quality of life.

Overall responsibility for the university resides in an autonomous Board of Regents appointed by the Governor of the State and confirmed by the State Senate. The Board delegates authority for the internal management of the institution to the president. The faculty elects a Faculty Senate which has legislative jurisdiction over policies affecting the academic mission of the university.

Administration

President	Michael Martin
Provost	William Flores
Business & Finance	James McDonough
Chief Information Officer	Michael Hites
Distance Education	Carmen Gonzales
Human & Physical Resources	Benjamin Woods
International Programs	Everett Egginton
Research, Interim	Richard Hills
Student Services	Gladys DeNecochea
University Advancement	Rebecca Dukes



**Total Current Funds Operating Budget
Expenditures & Transfers**

Main Campus & Branches **\$423 Million**

Tuition & Required Fees per Semester

Undergraduate In-state	\$1,686
Undergraduate Out-of-state	\$5,625
Graduate In-state	\$1,812
Graduate Out-of-state	\$5,775



Room and Board per Semester

Room (dormitory residence)	\$1,220
Board (depends on plan selection)	\$1,010-\$1,060

Financial Aid Awarded 2001-2002

Grants (Pell, SEOG, SSIG)	\$15,726,630
Loans (Perkins, Stafford Sub & Unsub, Plus)	\$34,242,747
Scholarships (institutional & non-university)	\$15,664,151
Graduate Assistantships	\$11,654,036
Workstudy (federal & state)	\$2,126,186
Other aid*	\$19,639,969

* Includes tuition waivers, JTPA, DVR, day care.

Headcount Enrollment

Undergraduate	12,797
Graduate	3,377
Full-time	11,429
Part-time	4,745
Men	7,231
Women	8,943
Freshman	3,065
Sophomore	2,816
Junior	2,421
Senior	3,605
Non-degree (undergraduates)	134
Unevaluated Transfers	61
Graduate	3,021
Non-degree (post-baccalaureates)	356
Branch Students	695

New Freshmen & Undergraduate Transfers

Number of Applications	6,279
Number of Acceptances	5,755
Number Enrolled	2,593

First-time Freshman Cohort

Number Enrolled	2,067
Average ACT Composite Score	20.8

Retention Rate

One-year retention rate for first-time freshmen who enrolled full-time in Fall 2002 = 72%.

Baccalaureate Graduation Rate

Six-year graduation rate for first-time freshmen who enrolled full-time in Fall 1997 = 43%.

Enrollment by College

	Undergraduate	Graduate
Agriculture & Home Economics	1,462	241
Arts & Sciences	4,314	837
Business Admin. & Economics	2,001	171
Education	1,616	971
Engineering	1,621	364
Health & Social Services	954	245
Non-degree (undergraduates)	134	
Graduate (interdisciplinary)		192
Non-degree (post-baccalaureates)		356
Branch Campus Students (enrolled on main)	695	

Main & Branch Campus Enrollment

	Headcount	FTE
NMSU Main Campus	15,535	12,392
Alamogordo	1,847	1,072
Carlsbad	1,236	771
Dona Ana	5,587	3,007
Grants	636	368
Las Cruces Extension	910	346
Unduplicated Total All Campuses	23,578	17,958

Headcount Enrollment by Ethnicity

	Headcount	Percent
Am Indian/Alaskan Native	474	3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	217	1%
Black, Non-Hispanic	442	3%
Hispanic	6,743	42%
White/Other	8,298	51%

In-state, Out-of-state & International Headcount Enrollment

	Headcount
In-state	12,544
Out-of-state	2,872
International	647

Employee Headcount & FTE by Classification

Classification	Headcount	FTE
Faculty	1,040	900
Professional	1,351	1,285
Classified	1,643	1,539
Student	3,041	1,463

Student Faculty Ratio for Fall 2003 = 19 to 1



Degrees Awarded 2001-2002

	Majors Offered	Degrees Awarded
Associates (ASSOC)	4	60
Bachelor's (BA)	74	1,927
Master's (MA)	50	565
Educ. Spec. (ES)	3	4
Doctorate (DR)	22	75

Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity

	ASSOC	BA	MA	ES	DR
Am Indian/Alaskan Native	1	44	4	0	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	34	9	1	3
Black, Non-Hispanic	4	49	11	0	2
Hispanic	32	820	144	1	10
International	0	30	78	0	27
White/Other	21	950	319	2	32

Degrees Awarded by Sex

Men	32	842	262	1	47
Women	38	1,085	303	3	28

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