



Fact Sheet

Fall 2006

Las Cruces 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, Education, Engineering, Extended Learning and Health & Social Services. In Fall 2006 there are 22 doctoral programs that



are limited primarily to agriculture, education, engineering, and the sciences; the specialist in education degree is offered in 2 study areas, there are 50 master's degree programs and 77 baccalaureate degree programs. At its four 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.

Headcount Enrollment

Undergraduate	13,210
Graduate	3,205
Full-time	12,874
Part-time	3,541
Men	7,215
Women	9,200
Freshman	2,998
Sophomore	2,632
Junior	2,502
Senior	3,991
Non-degree (undergraduates)	105
Unevaluated Transfers	34
Graduate	3,205
Non-degree (post-baccalaureates)	332
Branch Students	616

New Freshmen & Undergraduate Transfers

Number of Applications	6,546
Number of Acceptances	5,760
Number Enrolled	2,681

First-time Freshman Cohort

Number Enrolled	2,172
Average ACT Composite Score	20.6

Retention Rate

One-year retention rate for first-time freshmen who enrolled full-time in Fall 2005 = 76%.

Baccalaureate Graduation Rate

Six-year graduation rate for first-time freshmen who enrolled full-time in Fall 2000 = 45%.

Enrollment by College

	Undergraduate	Graduate
Agriculture & Home Economics	1,563	240
Arts & Sciences	4,652	921
Business	1,924	312
Education	1,709	995
Engineering	1,557	410
Extended Learning	82	
Health & Social Services	1,107	290
Graduate (interdisciplinary)		37
Branch Campus Students (enrolled on main)	616	

Las Cruces & Community College Campuses Enrollment

	Headcount	FTE
NMSU Main Campus	16,415	12,793
Alamogordo	1,897	1,068
Carlsbad	1,223	739
Dona Ana	6,920	3,921
Grants	695	420

Headcount Enrollment by Ethnicity

	Headcount	Percent
Am Indian/Alaskan Native	480	3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	199	1%
Black, Non-Hispanic	455	3%
Hispanic	6,743	41%
White/Other	8,538	52%

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

	Headcount
In-state	12,178
Out-of-state	3,462
International	775

Employee Headcount

Classification	Headcount
Faculty	1,088
Staff	3,388
Student	3,589

Degrees Awarded 2005-2006

	Majors Offered	Degrees Awarded
Associates (ASSOC)	4	42
Bachelor's (BA)	77	2,187
Master's (MA)	50	835
Educ. Spec. (ES)	2	4
Doctorate (DR)	22	79

Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity

	ASSOC	BA	MA	ES	DR
Am Indian/Alaskan Native	1	51	24	1	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	19	10	0	1
Black, Non-Hispanic	1	60	16	0	1
Hispanic	20	940	241	1	21
International	0	28	133	0	24
White/Other	20	1,089	411	2	31

Degrees Awarded by Sex

Men	12	899	319	2	49
Women	30	1,288	516	2	30



Room and Board per Semester

Room (dormitory residence)	\$1,613
Board	\$1,175

Financial Aid Awarded 2005-2006

Grants (Pell, SEOG, SSIG)	\$16,296,399
Loans (Perkins, Stafford Sub & Unsub, Plus)	\$49,882,543
Scholarships (institutional & non-university)	\$21,214,928
Graduate Assistantships	\$15,082,162
Workstudy (federal & state)	\$1,936,563
Other aid*	\$21,920,058

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

Total Current Funds Operating Budget Expenditures & Transfers

Las Cruces & Community College Campuses \$507 Million

Tuition & Required Fees per Semester

Undergraduate In-state	\$2,115
Undergraduate Out-of-state	\$6,902
Graduate In-state	\$2,272
Graduate Out-of-state	\$7,087

Administration

President	Michael Martin
Provost	William Flores
Business & Finance	Jennifer Taylor
Chief Information Officer	Michael Hites
Distance Education and Extended Learning	Carmen Gonzales
Student Success & Academic Programs	Carmen Gonzales
Planning, Physical Resources & University Relations	Benjamin Woods
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