

Facts & Figures 2010 – 2011

About the College

Saint Paul College is a student-centered, open-access, comprehensive community and technical college within the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system. The College provides transfer, career programs, work-force training, educational outreach, student development programs and life-long learning opportunities. The College is committed to accomplishing its mission: *Education for employment...Education for Life.*

Education for Employment...Education for Life

Saint Paul College began as a “Boy’s Vocational School” in 1910 and served young men interested in working in the building trades. Later, “Girl’s Vocational School” opened to train young women for health careers. Shortly after World War II, a veteran’s program was developed for returning servicemen. Learning took place in area high schools and other St. Paul locations until 1966 when faculty and staff moved into its current facility, a 523,000 square foot complex located on a 30-acre site on Marshall Avenue. This site became St. Paul Technical Vocational Institute, or St. Paul TVI.

Since 1966, many changes have taken place that helped transform the College into the comprehensive learning organization it is today. In 2002, the College changed its name to reflect its expanded mission and the extension of its liberal arts and science division, culminating in the Associate in Arts degree program that allows students to complete the first two years of a baccalaureate degree. This is in addition to the many diploma, degree and certificate programs already in existence at the College.

College Accreditation

Saint Paul College—A Community & Technical College is accredited by The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The College also holds professional accreditation for several program areas, including Culinary Arts, Respiratory Care, Nursing Assistant, Practical Nursing and Medical Laboratory Technology. The Business Department is accredited by ACBSP.

Fast Facts

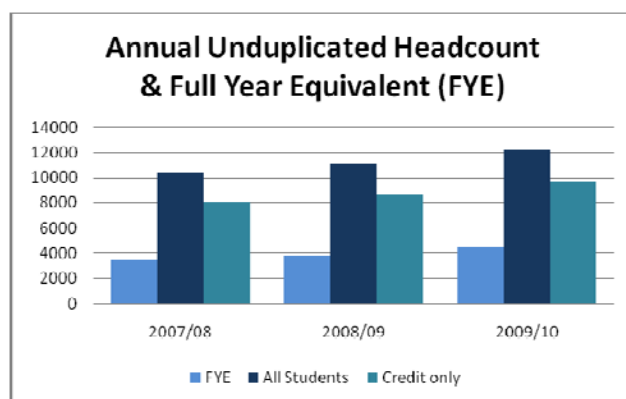
- Founded in 1910
- Student headcount & FYE

	Academic Year	
	2008-09	2009-10
Annual headcount, credit:	8,731	9,728
Full-year-equivalent:	3,785	4,562
Annual headcount, noncredit:	2,626	2,825

- Thirty-nine associate degree programs, including the Associate in Arts (AA) degree, and sixty career certificate and diploma programs.
- Transfer and articulation agreements with 4-year colleges and universities provide pathways for students to transfer and continue their higher educational opportunities.
- Saint Paul College is one of seven public 2-year institutions that are part of the Minnesota Cooperative Admissions Program (MnCAP). Students who successfully fulfill the requirements of the Associate in Arts (AA) degree and maintain a specified GPA are automatically guaranteed acceptance into the University of Minnesota as transfer students.
- Joint apprenticeship programs in four different building trade areas.
- The 2007-08 overall graduate employment rate was 82.37%.
- The Power of YOU (POY) program provides the hope and means to attend college, and the Career Pathways Academy (CPA) program provides a bridge to help students better prepare for college. Nearly 300 students participate each year.
- The College works with more than 500 business, industry and labor representatives to provide employment opportunities for graduates.
- For over 25 years the Customized Training and Consulting Division has provided workforce development and training programs to businesses and organizations.

President Donovan Schwichtenberg, PhD

College Enrollment



Student Statistics ⁽¹⁾

	FY2008	FY2009	FY2010
Headcount Male	3761	4093	4326
Headcount Female	4207	4612	5387
Age (under 18)	9%	8%	8%
Age (18-25)	45%	45%	44%
Age (26 or older)	47%	47%	48%
Average Age	28	29	29
Minority Enrolled	46%	46%	52%

⁽¹⁾ Reported end-of-year data for Credit Students

Saint Paul College Faculty (FY10) ⁽²⁾

- 118 Faculty–Full-Time
- 115 Faculty–Part-Time

⁽²⁾ Annual Institutional Data

Financial Aid

The number of student recipients of State and Federal financial aid (grants, work-study and student loans) for the 2009-10 academic year was 5,260, a 29% increase from the 2008-09 academic year. Of these 5,260 students, 4,256 were Federal Pell Grant recipients receiving \$12,729,919, representing a 36% increase of Pell Recipients. The FY2008 Official Cohort Default Rate is 7.0%. Federal & State funding programs administer the Federal Pell Grant, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACB), Federal Work-Study, Minnesota State Grant, Minnesota Childcare Grant, Minnesota State Work-Study, Minnesota Self Loans, and the Federal Family Education Loan Program.

Tuition & Fees

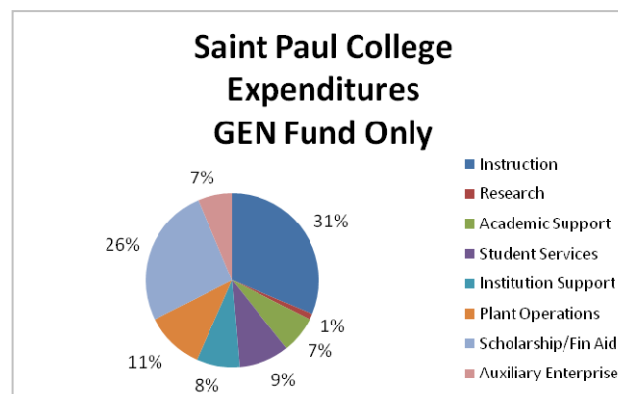
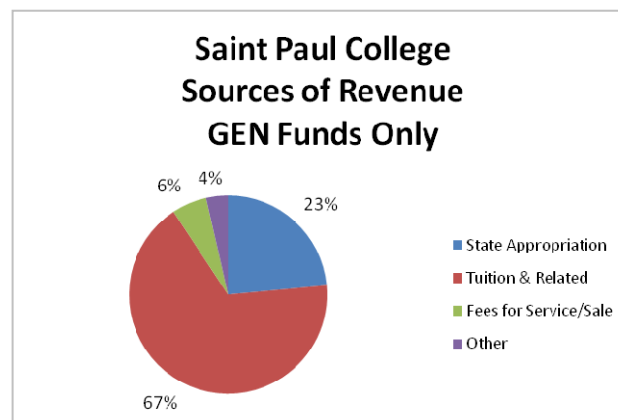
2010-11 (30 credits): \$4,718 to \$6,289

\$157.28 – \$209.63 per Credit - Minnesota Resident

\$157.28 – \$209.63 per Credit - Non-Resident/Non-Reciprocity

Non-resident/non-reciprocity students classified with refugee status will pay tuition at the resident rate.

2009-10 Budget



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