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SOUTHERN  
STATE UNIVERSITY.

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GRADUATE GUIDE

ADVANCE YOUR  
CAREER WITH A  
**MASTERS DEGREE**



Learn more about our  
programs that will help  
*advance your career!*



## OUR PROMISE TO YOU

Missouri Southern  
State University **fosters  
excellence** by providing  
a selection of graduate  
education opportunities.

We are **guided by the  
principles of excellence,  
diversity, and integrity** as  
we help students expand  
their knowledge base and  
prepare for successful and  
relevant careers.



## GRANTS & LOANS

# TEACH Grants

Available to eligible graduate students in Teacher Education

Must complete the FAFSA to qualify

## Direct Unsubsidized Loans

Awarded to graduate students  
regardless of need

Must complete the FAFSA to qualify

# Graduate PLUS Loan Program

Awarded to eligible graduate students who have exhausted Direct Loans

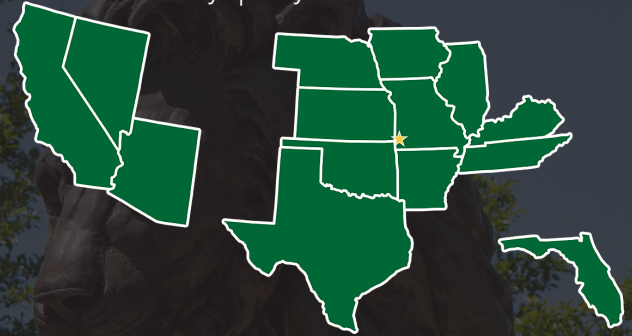
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learn more about  
financial aid.**

# LION PRIDE TUITION

Residents from the states shown here automatically qualify for in-state tuition!



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# TUITION AND COSTS

	In-State/ Lion Pride	Out-of- State
<b>Tuition Per Credit Hour</b>	\$385.00	\$700.00
<b>Lion Fee</b>	\$42	\$42
<b>Semester Total</b>	<b>\$3,843.00</b>	<b>\$6,678.00</b>

\* Tuition based on 2025-2026. Subject to change.

\* Cost based on full-time enrollment (9 hours)

\* Other incidental costs for supplemental class materials, testing, or other course-related costs may be assessed as required.

**HAVE QUESTIONS? CONTACT FINANCIAL AID**

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# APPLICATION CHECKLIST

## APPLY NOW

- ☐ **STEP 1**  
Explore our graduate programs at [mssu.edu/academics/graduate/](https://mssu.edu/academics/graduate/)
- ☐ **STEP 2**  
Apply to the program of your interest online and pay the \$50 application fee
- ☐ **STEP 3**  
Create and attach a CV/resume to your graduate application
- ☐ **STEP 4**  
Submit your FAFSA at [studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa](https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa)

## FIND A LION ANYWHERE



Get inspired by the success stories of our alumni. Scan the QR code to read about their journey at Missouri Southern and see how it has shaped their paths to success.



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