Colleges & Universities	Contact Information	Selection Criteria & Deadlines for CURRENT 9 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> Graders How? Call the school to obtain an application, go online, or visit your school's CCC or CCRC
	EVI C. I.	Juniors and Seniors can take one Career and Technical Education (CTE) course
CTE Classes for Gr. 10-12 → Offered at MinnState PUBLIC Colleges Only.	FYI - Sophomores may take  1 Career and Technical Education class through PSEO. Must pass 8th grade MCA Reading at the composite proficiency level of "meets or exceeds" & meet prerequisites of the CTE course they wish to enroll in. EXCEPTIONS can be made for students with a disability. http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/ dual/pseo/	as a PSEO student regardless of class rank or GPA,  IF you are a public school student and have a test score that meets or exceeds the standards on the 8th grade MCA reading test and meet the prerequisites of the course you are hoping to take. Each subsequent semester, you can take an additional career and technical course or general education course regardless of your class rank or GPA as long as you meet the prerequisite of the course → meet minimum Accuplacer or → have  ACT Reading 21, or ACT English 18 (Sentence Skills), or ACT Math 22 (College Algebra).  GUIDE TO PSEO from MN Dept. of Education Website →  http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/ Includes Reference Guide  http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/040787 = List of ALL MN schools
Century College www.century.edu 1st - Take Acculacer exam. Bring a current photo ID. 2nd - Meet with your School Counselor to discuss your Accuplacer test results.	Katy Melek: (651) 779-3962  katy.melek@century.edu  Robert Beaver: (651) 779-5744  robert.beaver@century.edu  Applications must be  RECEIVED by the deadline!	Juniors - Top 33% of class OR must place into the 3rd decile or higher OR at 70 <sup>th</sup> Percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT OR 3.0 GPA +  Seniors - Top 50% of class OR must place into the 5th decile or higher OR at 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test OR 2.5 GPA +  Students who do not meet these requirements may submit a letter of recommendation (teacher/counselor) & submit a 2-page, typed, font size 12, double-spaced essay, explaining why you are interested in PSEO & what you can contribute to it. ALL Students must be at college-level on Reading (and College Level Math IF taking PSEO Math). Accuplacer Reading 78+ Accuplacer Math − College Level or ACT Reading 21, ACT Math 22 +  Sophomores − must be full time public high school students. If you did NOT take the 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade MCA reading exam, you may substitute a college level Accuplacer Reading Score of 78+  Deadlines: Spring: Dec. 1; Fall: July 1.  SUPPLEMENTAL ENROLLMENT − Must test at college level on Reading (Accuplacer 78+ or 21 ACT Reading). FOR: High School sophomores, juniors and seniors who are ineligible for PSEO courses OR are interested in taking SUMMER COURSES. → Completely Self-Pay.  DEADLINE: 5 business days before to start of class, if available/not full.  https://www.century.edu/admissions/high-school-options/supplemental-enrollment
Concordia University- St. Paul <u>www.csp.edu</u>	Start in the Fall! bvue@csp.edu #651-603-6275	Students with a 3.25 unweighted GPA are encouraged to apply. Students may NOT take religion classes, private music classes, or independent study. Campus housing may be available to PSEO students depending on availability. Can take 4-16 credits each semester. On campus and online classes available. Deadline to apply: <b>May 15, 2018.</b>
Hamline University www.hamline.edu	(651) 523-2207 pseo@hamline.edu	Generally Top 15% of high school class & 3.5 UNWEIGHTED G.P.A. Students are allowed to take 1 class during their first term, and 2 their second term. Course registration is on a space-available basis & is determined 1 week prior. <b>Deadline for Spring: on Nov. 15; Fall: June 1</b>
Inver Hills Community College www.inverhills.edu	Mary Kadrlik: (651) 450-3661 mkadrlik@inverhills.edu	Juniors – Top 33% of class, OR score at or above the 70 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test, AND have a 3.0 GPA or higher. Seniors – Top 50% of class, or score at or above the 50 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test, AND have a 2.5 GPA or higher. <b>AND Accuplacer Reading: 78 points or higher, OR 21 ACT Reading or higher. Accuplacer Math: score at college level OR 22 ACT Math or higher.</b> Criteria for Career and Technical Education Courses ONLY: 10 <sup>th</sup> grade students ALSO take the Accuplacer (and submit 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade MCA Reading results).

Inver Hills Community	On Metro Transit Bus Route	11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Students that do not meet the regular PSEO Admission Guidelines may be
College, continued	68 & 71	eligible to take Career and Technical Education courses. Please complete all of the application
www.inverhills.edu	All PSEO Students may purchase a	steps mentioned if you are interested in this course option. <b>Deadlines: Fall: June 1 (Priority)</b>
www.mvcmms.cdu	College Pass Discount	Final: July 1. Spring: Dec. 1.
	Every Semester for	(Nursing Assistant is allowed for PSEO! For NURS 1001 – meet Career and Tech Ed course requirement)
	Unlimited Rides.	Self-Pay summer option, IN ADDITION to Fall and Spring Self-Pay options, too!
	Offinited Rides.	Complete a Non-PSEO Enrollment Form to register for summer semester classes.
	https://www.metrotransit.org/college-	https://www.inverhills.edu/CollegeForms/pdfs/general app admissio/High-School-Non-PSEO-
	pass	Enrollment-Form.pdf STUDENTS UNDER THE AGE OF 15 WILL BE INTERVIEWED.
	<u>puss</u>	Juniors must rank in the upper third of their class <b>or</b> have at least a 3.25 cumulative
		GPA <b>or</b> have an ACT composite score of 21 or higher
		Seniors must rank in the upper half of their class <b>or</b> have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA <b>or</b> have
		an ACT composite score of 21 or higher
	651-793-1302	RECEIVED BY Deadlines –Fall Semester: April 1, Spring Semester: Nov. 1
Metropolitan State Univ.	admissions@metrostate.edu	You may take up to 12 credits (full-time) per semester.
www.metrostate.edu	Put "PSEO" in the	PSEO Student Orientation and Registration Session is required. Please save the date of April
www.metrostate.edu	subject line.	10, 2018 from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm for students planning to start Fall Semester 2017.
	subject fine.	You will take the Accuplacer before register/attend orientation. Reading, writing and math.
		However, if you have ACT scores as follows: Math 22, Reading 21, English 18, you will be
		exempt from that portion of the Accuplacer testing.
		http://www.metrostate.edu/admissions/undergraduate/post-secondary-(pseo)
		Juniors – Top 33% of class, or score at or above the 70 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test.
		Juniors may also qualify with a high school GPA of 3.0 or higher.
	Father McCalleen	Seniors – Top 50% of class, or score at or above the 50 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test.
Minneapolis Community	Esther McCallson PSEO Coordinator	(Provisional eligibility - submit a letter of recommendation from your high school guidance counselor,
& Technical College	612-659-6673	teacher or principal). All students need to meet the college readiness assessment level /
www.minneapolis.edu	PSEO@minneapolis.edu	prerequisites of the course(s) they wish to enroll in, based on Accuplacer or ACT subset scores.
www.mmneapons.edu	PSEO@minieapolis.edu	Applications must be <u>IN</u> the Admissions Office (NO faxes!)
		by <u>Dec. 1 for SPRING</u> ; by April 15 (Priority/Early) or July 1 (Final) for Fall Semester.
		High School Non-PSEO Program at MCTC - High school students that are seeking summer
		session enrollment, are from out of state, or who do not meet PSEO application deadlines.
		<b>Self-pay all costs.</b> Deadlines to apply: Fall – Aug. 1, Spring – Dec. 15, Summer – May 1.
	PSEO Office (651) 631-5126	ON-CAMPUS→3.3 GPA or higher, AND ACT/PLAN/Pre ACT of 22 or higher, or PSAT or SAT score
	upadmissions@unwsp.edu	of at least 1090. NO other tests accepted. Jrs/Srs only. May earn up to 18 credits, which can include a
		combo of online PSEO &/or Early College. You may take non-state-approved courses online and/or on-campus through Early College program. Bible classes are not covered by PSEO. NEW! Residential ON
University of Northwestern,	+ Early College = college classes	CAMPUS option for Seniors ages 17+. Must pay for Room/Board. Costs: \$5460 + \$3600. Must attend
St. Paul	\$199/credit. Online, On-Campus.	chapel. Maintain a 3.0 college GPA in PSEO. Must take a minimum of 6 credits per semester
https://pseo.unwsp.edu/pseo	School year & summer. Ages 15+	for the on campus option. Spring deadline: Nov. 15. Fall Priority: April 1, Final deadline: June 1.
	Due: April 1 and July 15. FOR:	Criteria for <b>ONLINE CLASSES</b> : Juniors & Seniors – GPA of 2.75 or better, AND ACT/PLAN/Pre ACT
	International & out of state, too!	of 18 or higher, or PSAT or SAT of 940 or higher, or other standardized test (contact admissions for list).
		Must maintain a 2.0 college GPA to continue. Fall deadline: July 15. Spring: Dec. 1.
St. Catherine University		Students generally in top 20% of high school class. Must have a "B" or better in each high school course
www.stkate.edu	651) 690-8855	attempted. Recommendation of counselor or principal required. May enroll in 2 classes per year, day or
	admissions@stkate.edu	evening, at Minneapolis or Saint Paul campus only. <i>PSEO courses are open to guys and girls</i> . Must
		maintain a grade of C or higher to continue in PSEO. <b>Deadline for Spring: Dec. 1, Fall: June 1, 2018.</b>

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Saint Paul College www.saintpaul.edu Saint Paul College www.saintpaul.edu	Gao Vang (651) 846-1713  Gao. Vang@saintpaul.edu  March 2019 EVENING PSEO  CNA/Nursing Assistant – Must score 38 on Reading Accuplacer.  ALL STEPS DUE: DEC. 1	Criteria: Must have a 2.0 GPA or higher PLUS: Juniors – Top 33% of class, Seniors – Top 50% of class.  IF your school does NOT rank, OR you are homeschooled, OR you do not have the right class rank, then JUNIORS must score at or above the 70 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test, and SENIORS must score at or above the 50 <sup>th</sup> percentile on ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT test. All students must score at college level on their free Accuplacer Assessment in Reading (& Math, if taking). Before the start of each new semester, newly admitted PSEO students will be invited to attend PSEO Welcome Night on campus. Priority deadline for Spring: Nov. 1, Final: Dec. 1. Priority for Fall: May 15, Final: June 15	
University of Minnesota- Morris Online Learning onlinelearning@morris.umn.edu	Chlene Anderson: (320) 589-6461 anderchl@morris.umn.edu  If Self-Pay, a 4-credit class is \$2028.64	ONLINE ONLY! Visit <a href="https://onlinelearning.morris.umn.edu/">https://onlinelearning.morris.umn.edu/</a> Go to Online Student Resources, too. Most students meet more than 1 of these criteria: a 3.25 GPA on a 4.0 scale, top 10% of their class, 25 on ACT, a grade of A or B in the subject area they wish to enroll. Fall 2018: Register April 13-August 17. Spring 2019: Register Nov. 16-Dec. 14. Also, Summer 2018 courses are SELF-PAY. Registration starts March 21. <a href="https://onlinelearning.morris.umn.edu/non-u-m-students">https://onlinelearning.morris.umn.edu/non-u-m-students</a> Don't meet PSEO criteria? Self-Pay!	
University of Minnesota- Twin Cities  https://sites.google.com/a/um n.edu/pseostudenthandbook/	PSEO Office: (612) 626-1666  ccapsinfo@umn.edu  NEW!  MAY SCAN AND SEND  APPLICATION IN VIA EMAIL.  UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT = OK.	Criteria: 3.6 unweighted GPA or higher. It is very rare that someone gets in with "C" grades on their transcript. Average unweighted GPA of a PSEO student: 3.92. Application available Feb. 1, 2018.  April 6, 2018: Postmark deadline (all materials). Late apps will be reviewed on a space-available basis only. Requirements: rigorous high school courses, If home-schooled, or your school does not have letter grades, then ACT/SAT/PSAT/Pre-ACT scores should be submitted.  If students want to attend in the Spring, apply by April 6 & then defer.  https://ccaps.umn.edu/post-secondary-enrollment-options-pseo = WEBSITE  Online and Distance Learning (ODL)/Independent Study and Term Based courses also offered to accepted PSEO students. PSEO INFO SESSIONS: March 1 and March 6, 2018 from 5:30pm-6:30pm.	
		<b>SELF-PAY, NON-PSEO OPTION.</b> All \$ is due by 1 <sup>st</sup> Billing Cycle. A meeting w/ an advisor is NOT required. Some placement testing. Fall, Spring, Summer. <a href="https://ccaps.umn.edu/non-degreeguest-students">https://ccaps.umn.edu/non-degreeguest-students</a>	
Summit Academy OIC Adult Education + Career Programs	FREE BUS PASSES for PSEO, too! Discounted passes for regular students. Earn a certificate. FREE tuition thru PSEO! PSEO # 612-377-0150	SOIC = Non-Profit, Community-Based Vocational Training and Job Placement Program & PSEO!  Academic and career counseling, life management and job readiness skills, job placement and retention services, and financial aid (eligible students). Students must call to schedule their reading/math exam.  Every 10 weeks is a NEW cycle! PROGRAMS ARE 20 WEEKS IN LENGTH.	
North Central Regionally Accredited Post-Secondary Programs. PLUS a PSEO option for High School Juniors/Seniors + GED Healthcare GED Construction  Near Downtown Minneapolis Bus #19 drops you right there!	Visit → www.saoic.org Email: info@saoic.org  www.saoic.org  Career Training  Programs in:  CONSTRUCTION  &  HEALTHCARE	PSEO information → http://www.saoic.org/training-options/pseo-career-options/ How to enroll → http://www.saoic.org/admissions/howtoenroll/  CONSTRUCTION: Pre-Apprentice Carpentry (PAC), as well as Residential Carpentry, Heavy Equipment Operator, Electrician, Concrete Form Carpenter, Welding HEALTH CARE: Community Health Worker, Community Health Worker WITH Certified Nursing Assistant Option  Tuition rate: \$5,400 (FREE through PSEO). Must fill out a FAFSA (www.fafsa.gov). Financial aid Federal Pell Grant and MN State Grant) helps cover the costs. © Train for a career in just 20 WEEKS!]  INFO SESSIONS EVERY WEDNESDAY from 10am – 11am. Open 8am – 5pm, Located near intersection of 1-94 and Olson Memorial Highway, in North Minneapolis	

ALL PSEO SCHOOLS IN MN→ <a href="http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/040787">http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/040787</a>

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Some Additional Area 2-Year Public PSEO Schools

Anoka Ramsey Community College – Coon Rapids and Cambridge

https://www.anokaramsey.edu/admissions/pseo/

**Anoka Technical Community College - Anoka** 

http://www.anokatech.edu/BecomeStudent/Admissions/PSEO.aspx

**Dakota County Technical College - Rosemount** 

http://www.dctc.edu/admissions/high-school-students-pseo/

Hennepin Technical College – Eden Prairie and Brooklyn Park

https://www.hennepintech.edu/getstarted/pages/399

**Normandale Community College – Bloomington** 

http://www.normandale.edu/admissions/pseo-program

North Hennepin Community College – Brooklyn Park

http://www.nhcc.edu/admissions/admissions-steps/pseo-admissions

Some Additional Area 4-Year Private PSEO Schools

**Bethel University – north of Roseville** 

https://www.bethel.edu/undergrad/admissions/apply/pseo/

**Macalester College – Saint Paul** 

https://www.macalester.edu/admissions/apply/pseo/

Minneapolis College of Art & Design – ACT FAST! PSEO Classes fill up QUICKLY!

https://mcad.edu/academic-programs/pre-college/post-secondary-enrollment-option

**North Central University - Downtown Mpls** 

https://www.northcentral.edu/admissions/how-to-apply/pseo-students/

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# Saint Paul College – Career Pathways Academy – PSEO option

For current **SPPS** Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors with good attendance who are on track to graduate. Must meet these SPC CPA/PSEO eligibility requirements. **See your School Counselor to register.** 

Class of 2019: 2.0 GPA or higher + Top 50%, Class of 2020: 2.0 GPA or higher + Top 33%,

OR A letter of support from your counselor saying that you are academically ready for the college program and would benefit from participating. This letter MUST be included with your paper registration form.

<u>Class of 2021:</u> Taken and <u>PASSED 8<sup>th</sup> Grade MCA Reading Test</u> (REQUIRED for Sophomores!)

NOTE: SOME colleges let you take and pass the Accuplacer instead.

**EXCEPTIONS** can be made for students with a disability: <a href="http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/">http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/</a>

ALL applicants MUST either <u>TAKE and PASS</u> the <u>Accuplacer Test</u> at the required minimum OR have an ACT Reading subset score of 21 or higher.

### Transportation provided TO the college, Metro Transit Bus card for ride HOME or Back to your school.

Students are required to take all core classes in the morning in order to leave for the program after B Lunch. Students must be on track for graduation to participate in Pathways.

#### **FALL Semester Courses:**

<u>Medical Careers/Nursing Assistant</u> (competitive!) – Must score 38 points or higher on Accuplacer Reading Test

<u>Medical Terminology</u> - Must score the minimum 38 points on the Accuplacer Reading

<u>Computer Repair & Maintenance</u> - Must score the minimum 38 points on the Accuplacer Reading

#### **SPRING Semester Courses:**

Medical Careers/ Nursing Assistant C531513 (5 College Credits) Business Computer Fundamentals B538513/Business Computer Applications B538614 (5 College Credits) Digital Imaging, Advanced T537613/Web Page Design, Advanced T537234 (5 College Credits)

Registration for Fall 2018 Semester CPA Classes starts in February. Visit <u>school counselor</u> and website above for details. <u>FALL CPA</u> Priority Registration Deadline = <u>Late March</u> (<u>OR</u> until a class is FULL!). <u>Spring Priority = October.</u>

For more info. on CPA & an application visit → <a href="http://www.spps.org/Domain/10599">http://www.spps.org/Domain/10599</a> - Click Career Pathways Academy

## <u>FYI -</u>

2 year public schools <u>require</u> the free <u>Accuplacer</u> assessment/placement test & that you score the minimum program entry requirement for the course <u>OR</u>

Have good ACT subset scores for their PSEO classes and programs.

### **ACCEPTABLE ACT SUBSET SCORES**

ACT English: 18

**ACT Reading: 21** 

ACT Math: 22-24

→ Make time in your schedule to go to the college and take their free, un-timed Accuplacer placement test!

## **ACCUPLACR PRACTICE:**

FREE Study App → www.accuplacer.org — Click "Classic" Version

FREE practice → https://www.century.edu/admissions/testing-center Click "Preparing for the ACCUPLACER"

# FREE practice > www.elm4you.org

click Databases, choose Learning Express Library, New User? Register, click View Featured Resources, Click Accuplacer <a href="https://www.LearningExpressHub.com/featured-resources">www.LearningExpressHub.com/featured-resources</a>

### REQUIRED STATE PSEO FORM - http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/ (Be SURE to use the CORRECT VERSION for 2018-2019 Academic Year!)

\*\*You are encouraged to start the application process **early** and allow ample time for teachers/counselors to write letters of recommendation, if required.\*\*

Remember: Tuition, books and equipment are FREE for high school PSEO students.

Tools and cosmetology kits are **not**. Transportation \$\$ is available → See counselor.

Students are **required to return** all textbooks & equipment **to the college** after the course has ended.

Make an appointment to meet with your School Counselor as soon as possible.

In college, 1<sup>st</sup> semester classes usually start in AUGUST (U of M=early September) and end in DECEMBER. 2<sup>nd</sup> semester classes usually start in JAN. & end in MAY.

Be aware!

## Learn about the many ways to earn college credit while in high school thru

PSEO, CLEP/Advanced Placement/IB testing, Career/Technical Education, Concurrent Enrollment <a href="http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/index.htm">http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/index.htm</a>
<a href="http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html">http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/dual/pseo/index.html</a>
<a href="http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html">http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html</a>
<a href="http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html">(Videos!)</a>
<a href="http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html">http://education.state.mn.us/RSG/index.html</a>
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CIS (College in the Schools)
See your School Counselor.