

Supplement to the Common Data Set
Appendix F. Student Life

1. **Campus Security and Safety:**

24-hour emergency telephone/alarm device: Limited availability in parking lots/buildings, phones answered 24/7

24-hour patrols by security personnel: Yes

Student patrols: No

Self-defense education: Class offered

Informal discussions: Yes

Lighted pathways/sidewalks: Yes

Late-night transport/escort service: Yes

Electronically operated dormitory entrances: All residence halls are card access

Pamphlets/posters/films: Limited

On campus sworn police officers: Department staff not sworn, occasional patrols by Northfield PD

Foot patrols: Yes

Identification of valuables: Operation Identification Program (not widely used) Inventory process by IIT: yes

URL for Campus Security Report: <http://www.stolaf.edu/stulife/safety/crime/>

2. **Are the following programs available at your institution:**

Photography: No

Forensics: No (no debate, but Model UN)

Cheerleading or drill team: Yes (Ole Dancers)

Chess: Yes

Rodeo: No (but riding, yes)

Political groups: Yes

Religious groups: Yes

Gay alliance/advocacy: Yes

Community/social service: Yes

3. **List major campus-based religious organizations:**

Fellowship of Christian Oles

Intervarsity Christian Fellowship

SELAH

Student Congregation

Thursday Night Bible Study

(16 religious organizations total)

4. **List minority student organizations:**

Celebrate South Asia

Chinese Culture Club

Conversacoes

Cultural Union for Black Expression (CUBE)

GLOW (Gay, Lesbian or Whatever)

Harambee

Hmong Cultures Outreach (HCO)

Hmong Women Dialog

Inspiring Cultural Engagement (Vietnamese)

Karibu Association
Korean Culture Association
Muslim Student Association
Presente
Russian Choir
Russian Club
Team Tibet
Umlaut

5. List international student organizations:

Amnesty International
International Development Student Organization
International Students Organization
Taiko Drumming Group

6. How many registered student organizations and groups open to all (e.g. community service organizations, drama club, Amnesty International, etc.) does your institution have:

193 student organizations are registered. These include Amnesty International, Five Guys Theater Company, Ceilidh Society, Habitat for Humanity, St. Olaf Swing Club, etc.

Five student organizations with the largest participation:

Student Government Association
Ultimate Frisbee teams
Fellowship of Christian Oles
Volunteer Network
Student Congregation

List name/frequency of student paper(s):

Manitou Messenger, published weekly
The Quarry, published once a year (literary arts magazine)
The Reed, published once a year (interdisciplinary journal)

7. Percentage of undergraduates typically voting in campus wide student government elections: 75% - 80%

8. List campus wide annual events that the majority of students on campus participate in/attend:

Homecoming, Christmas Fest, Lutefest, President's Ball, Co-curricular Extravaganza, Honors Day

9. May students have cars on campus: No

If NO, specify: Have to qualify in an academic, commuter, medical, work or service category. Subject to availability of parking spaces, "storage" of vehicles is available to students living beyond a 200-mile radius from campus.

10. Is alcohol permitted on campus to students of legal age: No

11. General Policies

Permission required for student marriages: No

Class attendance mandatory: No

Class attendance policies set by individual instructors: Yes

Dress/hair code: No

Hazing prohibited: Yes

Mandatory attendance: Left up to professor

Chapel: No
Assemblies: No
Convocations: No
None of these: Yes

12. The following student services are available:

Health Service
Wellness Center
Counseling Services: birth control, religious, psychological, non-traditional student, minority student, personal
Career Connections Center

13. Housing

Is there a housing deposit: Yes, referred to as a reservation payment
If yes, specify amount: \$600 new student, \$600 returning student

Housing availability:

First-come, first-served basis: No
On a lottery system to upperclassmen: Yes
Freshman applicants guaranteed college housing: Yes
Is priority given to out-of-town students: No
Is housing guaranteed for international students: Yes
Is on-campus housing for international students available during the summer: Yes
Are single rooms available to LD students (Self-identified) with specific disabilities: Yes
If single rooms available to LD students, is a medical note required: Yes

How many residence halls are there: 11 halls, 18 honor houses include: 10 service houses, 6 academic language houses, 1 diversity house, and 1 other (Telecom House) [29 total buildings]

Are any housing units (i.e., buildings or designated portions of buildings) for freshmen only: Yes

How many students is your college housing designed to accommodate: 2,710 (and currently housed)

Percentage of college-owned, or operated housing units that are:
(Total must equal 100%)

Singles	13%
Doubles	76%
Triples/Suites	3%
Apartments	0
Other	8%

Types of college-owned or operated housing available, percentages living in each type:

Coed dorms	Yes	92%
Women's dorms	No	
Men's dorms	No	
Sorority housing	No	
Fraternity housing	No	
Apartments for married students	No	
Apartments for single students	No	

Special housing for disabled students*	Yes	<1%
Special housing for international students	No	
Cooperative housing	No	
Other housing options	Yes	8%

Campus housing is: Co-ed

Are student required to live on campus: Yes, through senior year, with a few exceptions. As far as accommodations will permit, all full-time students must room in college-owned housing for eight semesters.

First-year students are required to live in designated first-year housing units.

When residence halls are filled, the residence life office will establish procedures for off-campus residency.

Do resident assistants/supervisors reside in dormitories: Yes

Does the school provide assistance in locating off-campus housing: Only when residence halls are filled

Percent of students who stay on campus weekends: approx 85%

Number of college-owned or operated housing buildings equipped with a sprinkler system: 0

Number of college-owned or operated housing buildings equipped with fire alarms:

Percentage of student housing sleeping rooms are protected by an automatic fire sprinkler system with a fire sprinkler head: 0

(Note: student housing sleeping room is defined as the actual room in which the occupants live/sleep. Student housing can include typical residence halls, graduate student housing, married student housing or any housing that is under the control or affiliated with the school i.e. private, third-party residence halls build under contract with the school)

Percentage of your student housing sleeping rooms are equipped with a smoke detector that is connected to a supervised fire alarm system: 0

(Note: when smoke alarm/detector is activated it must transmit a signal to a supervised location, initiating an immediate response by staff member to investigate. Alarm does not necessarily activate the building fire alarm system)

Percentage of student housing sleeping rooms are equipped with a hard-wired smoke alarm that is not supervised by a building fire alarm system and does not transmit a signal to a supervised location: 100%

Number of malicious fire alarms occur in student housing per year: 7

(Note: malicious fire alarm would be defined as one where a building's fire alarm system is activated even though it is known that there is no emergency condition)

Number of unwanted fire alarms occurred in student housing: 10

(Note: unwanted fire alarm would be where a building's fire alarm system is activated by non-emergency conditions, yet the fire alarm system responds appropriately to stimuli that it interprets as a fire condition. For example smoke alarm located too close to a shower and is activated by steam, or is adjacent to a cooking area.)

Percentage of student housing building fire alarm systems, if activated, result in a local alarm only: 0

(Note: meaning that if a building fire alarm system is activated the alarm will be activated in the building and will not transmit a signal to a monitored location outside the building)

Percentage of student housing building fire alarm systems, if activated, result in a signal being transmitted immediately to the fire department to initiate a response: 0

Percentage of student housing building fire alarm system, if activated, result in a signal being transmitted immediately to a continuously monitored location, and security investigates before notifying the fire department: 90

Number of students trained in fire safety in campus provided housing each semester: 120

Number of contact hours of fire prevention training/evacuation training provided to students living in student housing:

(Note: this includes contact time where fire safety information is distributed/provided to students. Fire exit drill can be included if education/training is a component of the drill -- simply holding an exit drill will not count towards fire prevention training/evacuation)

Examples of contact hours would include resident assistant floor meetings with residents or fire extinguisher training that is provided to 30 students in one hour which would equal 30 contact hours. For online training provide an estimate of how long it would take the average person to complete the training and multiply by the number of people receiving the training.

Contact hours of fire safety training per student per year does housing staff receive:

(Note: staff includes only personnel such as resident assistants and/or resident directors who live in student housing)

Number of contact hours of fire safety training provided to students not living in student housing: 0

Number of regularly scheduled supervised exit drills held per year in student housing: 2

Number of fires your school experienced last year in student housing: 1

(Note: a fire must result in damage to the structure or contents)

Dollar loss related to fire that has occurred on your campus in residential housing: \$100

(Note: dollar loss is direct property damage to structure and contents and does not include costs such as alternative housing, staff response, etc.)

Number of students injured by fires in student housing:

Number of students killed by fires in student housing:

**Does your school ban any of the following items or activities in student housing sleeping rooms
Please check if banned:**

- candles
- halogen lamps
- smoking
- cooking
- live christmas trees [allowed if treated with fire retardant spray]
- ceiling tapestries
- other (please specify)

Are fire-resistance ratings on furniture (including, but not limited to beds, mattresses, desk, and chairs) required in student housing sleeping rooms:

- Yes St. Olaf furniture
- No student furniture

Are fire-resistance ratings required for furnishings brought in by students: No

How often are fire safety rules - compliance inspections conducted in your school's student housing:

(Note: regularly scheduled in-room inspections conducted by an inspector or trained individual who is knowledgeable about fire safety issues -- not a security officer making regular rounds. ALL of the rooms must be inspected during these inspections and checked for hazards)

14. Athletics

Team nickname: Oles

Mascot: Ole the Lion

Intercollegiate athletic association membership: National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA)

In what NCAA division do you compete in athletics: Division III

What conference are you a member of: Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (MIAC)

If you have won any athletic championships in the last two years, please describe :

Baseball: 2007 MIAC tournament champions

Men's Swimming: 2007 MIAC championship, NCAA Individual Championship

Men's Cross Country: 2008 MIAC championship

2008-09 Sport Participation

As reported to DOE-EADA: count of participants

Most popular men's sports? (in terms of participation):

	Number	% FT degree-seeking Men (1360)
Football	91	6.7%
Track and Field, Outdoor	58	4.3%

Track and Field, Indoor	55	4.0%
Baseball	36	2.6%
Soccer	35	2.6%
Ice Hockey	34	2.5%

Most popular women's sports? (in terms of participation):

	Number	% FT degree-seeking Women (1641)
Track and Field, Outdoor	59	3.6%
Track and Field, Indoor	56	3.4%
X-Country	42	2.6%
Ice Hockey	26	1.6%
Swimming and Diving	25	1.5%

Percentage of undergraduates that participate (intercollegiate):

As Reported to DOE-EADA: unduplicated count of participants

	Number	% FT degree-seeking Men (1360)	Number	% FT degree-seeking Women (1641)	
Men:	344	25.3%	Women:	220	13.4%

Number of intercollegiate sports for:

Men:	14	Women:	13
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Number of intramural/club sports available

	Intramural	Club
Men:	37	18
Women:	31	17

Number of undergraduates who participated in intramural/club sports (08-09) - unduplicated count

	Intramural		Club	
Men:	1201	88%	344	25%
Women:	813	50%	310	19%

Describe athletic and recreation facilities:

Two athletic complexes, a field house with batting cages and long jump pit, 5 indoor tennis courts, and a 6-lane indoor track plus an upper level walking/running track, a soccer pitch, softball and baseball diamonds, 2 weight rooms, a fitness center, a 45 foot climbing wall, a six lane swimming pool (25 yards) with 1 and 3 meter diving stands, a foot field, an 8-lane all-weather track and field, 9 hole Frisbee golf course plus practice and recreation space.