

SOUTHWESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

WEATHERFORD

GENERAL INFORMATION

Type of institution – Regional university
 Other locations – Sayre
 Support – State
 Enrollment – 6,135
 Setting – Rural, approximately 60 miles west of Oklahoma City on Interstate 40

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic emphasis – Arts & Sciences, Behavioral Sciences & Education, Professional and Graduates Studies, Business & Technology, Pharmacy, Associate and Applied Programs

Degree programs

Associate

Science – Computer Science, Criminal Justice/Corrections, General Business, General Studies, General Studies-American Indian Studies, Hospitality, Restaurant & Gaming Management, Tribal Administration, Wildland Firefighting
 Applied Science – Medical Lab Technician, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Physical Therapist Assistant, Pre-Nursing, Radiologic Technology

Bachelor's

Accounting, Art Education, Athletic Training Education Program, Biology, Chemistry, Clinical Laboratory Science, Communication Arts, Computer Science, Criminal Justice, Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, Engineering Physics, Engineering Technology, English, English Education, Entrepreneurship, Exercise Science, Finance, Graphic Design, Health and Physical Education, Health Care Administration, Health Information Management, Health Science (for pre-professionals), Health Science/Microbiology (non-certification), History, History Education, Industrial Technology, Information Systems, Interdisciplinary Studies, Management, Marketing, Mathematics, Mathematics Education, Music– Electives in Business, Music Education – Instrumental/General, Music Education – Vocal/General, Music Performance – Orchestral Instruments, Music Performance – Piano/Organ, Music Performance – Vocal, Music Therapy – Instrumental Emphasis, Music Therapy – Vocal/Keyboard Emphasis, Natural Science Education, Nursing, Park and Recreation Management, Park Law Enforcement, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, Spanish, Special Education, Three-Dimensional Studio Art, Two-Dimensional Studio Art

Master's

Master of Business Administration, Master of Education, Master of Music, Master of Science

Doctorate Degrees

Pharm D – Doctor of Pharmacy

Certificate Programs

Advanced Firefighting Methods, Advanced Ropes Course Facilitation, Advanced SCUBA/SLAM, Advanced Wildland Fire Management, Basic Handgun (Concealed Weapons Carry Permit), Basic Mantracking (CLEET credit), Emergency Response, Fireline Leadership, Fireline Safety/ICS, High Angle Rescue, Ignition Operations, Lifeguarding, Lifeguard Instructor, Park Ranger (CLEET credit), Ropes Course Facilitation, SCUBA, SCUBA Divemaster, Small Craft Safety, Tactical Carbine (CLEET credit), Wilderness First Aid, Wildland Fuel Reduction

Pre-Professional Curricula

Pre-Communication Sciences & Disorders, Pre-Dental Hygiene, Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Engineering, Pre-Law, Pre-Medicine, Pre-Nutritional Sciences/Clinical Dietetics, Pre-Occupational Therapy and OT Assistant, Pre-Optometry, Pre-Physical Therapy and PT Assistant, Pre-Physician Associate/Assistant, Pre-Radiologic Technology/Radiology, Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Class times offered – Daytime, evening and weekend

Special programs – Offers interactive video classes throughout Oklahoma

Academic calendar – Fall semester (August through early December); spring semester (January to early May); summer semester (June to end of July, early August)

FACULTY INFORMATION

Total faculty – 235
 Full-time faculty – 217
 Part-time faculty – 18
 Student-faculty ratio – 19 to 1
 Percent of faculty with advanced degrees – 95%
 Faculty involvement – Faculty advise students

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

ACT/SAT requirements – 20 ACT, 950 SAT
 High school graduation – Required, GED is accepted
 High school GPA – Overall GPA of 2.7 and rank in the upper 50% of class

Southwestern Oklahoma State University maintains a rich tradition that includes strong academic programs, quality faculty and helpful support staff. SWOSU has 15 nationally accredited academic programs – the most among Oklahoma's regional universities. Founded in 1901, SWOSU has a great location – Weatherford. SWOSU is located less than one hour west of Oklahoma City right on Interstate 40. SWOSU's branch campus is located in Sayre.

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High school curriculum requirements

15-unit core curriculum

Application process – Submit completed application, \$15 application fee, official high school transcript and ACT or SAT score(s)

Application deadlines – March 1 for scholarships

Note: Please refer to the Admissions Requirements section for more specific information.

Transfer Students

Minimum college GPA required – 2.0

Maximum credits transferable – 60 hours from a two-year school; 90 hours from a four-year school

Items required for application – Completed application, \$15 application fee, official college transcripts (high school transcripts and ACT/SAT scores are also required if less than 24 college credit hours completed)

Note: Please refer to the Transfer section for more specific information.

International Students

TOEFL test requirements – 500 and a satisfactory ACT or SAT score

Note: Please refer to the International Students section for more specific information.

HOUSING INFORMATION

Housing types

Two women's dorms; three men's dorms; 32 Bulldog apartments for upperclassmen and married students

Food services

"Food-court style" Cafeteria, "U" Grill and The University Market

Equipment/services in living areas

Wireless Internet access and expandable cable TV in all rooms. Common areas feature televisions, microwaves, study areas, telephones and free activities.

Access to technology

Wireless Internet access to all rooms

STUDENT LIFE

Campus organizations

Minority, department, professional, religious and honor societies, student government, theatre/music and Greek life

Intramural sports

Flag football, basketball, softball, volleyball

Collegiate sports

Football, Baseball, Cross Country, Softball, Soccer, Men's and Women's Basketball, Men's and Women's Golf, Men's and Women's Rodeo

Special student services

Veteran and financial or physical disadvantages student services available

COSTS

Tuition – \$3,360

Academic service fees – \$25

Mandatory fees – \$750

Room and board – \$3,760

Books and supplies – \$1,230

Note: Costs are calculated for a freshman Oklahoma student carrying 15 hours in the fall and spring semesters.

FINANCIAL AID

Types of financial aid available – Academic, talent-based awards and need-based aid

Percentage of full-time freshmen who applied for aid – 76%

Percentage who demonstrated need – 75%

Percentage who demonstrated need and received aid – 98%

Average financial aid package – \$4,841

Application process – Complete Free Application for Federal Student Aid and application

Application deadlines – March 1 for scholarships

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