



# Master of Arts in Liberal Studies

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## Graduate Application for Admission

**Admission Policy:** St. Norbert College welcomes applications from all ethnic, religious, and racial backgrounds. All applications are carefully and thoroughly reviewed. We are committed to making a fair and timely decision on your application. Please read the following instructions to help us with that process.

**Instructions:** All application materials should be sent to Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program, Attention: Program Coordinator, St. Norbert College, 100 Grant Street, De Pere, WI 54115-2099. Please include a \$50.00 non-refundable application fee made payable to “St. Norbert College”.

### **Admission Requirements to the Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program:**

1. Completed application form, including the \$50 non-refundable application fee.
2. Bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution with a 3.0 GPA or above. Official transcripts from all colleges or universities submitted directly from the institution to Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Department (MLS) Program Coordinator.
3. A graduate program entrance essay written by the applicant as an initial appraisal of writing ability. See essay instructions on the bottom of second page.
4. Personal interview with Director and one other member of the MLS Policy Committee.

The MLS Director may make a provisional admission based on review of the above criteria. Up to six graduate credits may be accepted in transfer, exceptions are subject to review by the Graduate Advisory Council.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** (use exact name as you wish it to appear on all college records)

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Last First Middle

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Permanent Mailing Address

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City State Zip Code

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

The following information is required for statistical reporting purposes only and will be kept confidential.

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Race: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DATA:**

College or University City/State Dates Attended Degree Major

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**PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT**

Type of Experience Employer Dates of Employment

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**To know more about you and your plans, we request that you attach a typewritten essay of approximately 500 words answering the following questions:**

1. What motivated you to apply for a M.A. program in Liberal Studies?
2. What are your future hopes and expectations and how do you see this program helping you to achieve those goals?

**HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OUR PROGRAM?**

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I hereby certify that the information and attached documents (if any) are correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that withholding information requested or giving false information may make me ineligible for admission to St. Norbert College or subject to dismissal.

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*Signature*

*Date*

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

(Please use this area to provide any additional information that we may find helpful)