

## State of Oregon Fact Page

All students residing in Oregon must review and acknowledge this fact page prior to enrollment.

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BS in Business Administration	\$64,340	48	39.8	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Business Administration CBE	\$63,600	72	28.9	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Communication	\$64,340	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Criminal Justice	\$64,340	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Criminal Justice CBE	\$63,600	72	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Health Studies	\$64,340	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Health Studies CBE	\$63,600	72	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Healthcare Management	\$64,340	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Healthcare Management CBE	\$63,600	72	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Human Services	\$64,340	48	47.1	N/A		N/A
BS in Nursing (RN-BSN) Completion Program	\$18,725	54	119.5	80%	N/A	N/A
BS in Nursing CBE	\$41,400	36	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Psychology	\$64,340- \$64,680	48	54.1	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Public Health	\$64,340	48	37.2	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Public Health CBE	\$63,600	72	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
BS in Social Work	\$66,100- \$66,200	48	29.5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Education	\$52,350- \$123,850	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Healthcare Administration	\$48,685- \$149,385	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Information Technology	\$67,215- \$134,865	92-145	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Nursing Practice	\$41,775- \$134,100	18-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Doctor of Psychology in Behavioral Health Leadership (PsyD)	\$56,225-\$131,400	33-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Public Administration	\$53,850-\$127,900	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Public Health	\$55,430-\$134,500	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Doctor of Social Work	\$53,695-\$129,320	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment	\$31,050	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Early Childhood Education	\$31,050	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Educational Administration and Leadership (Non-Licensure)	\$31,050	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Educational Technology	\$31,050	20	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Reading, Literacy, and Assessment	\$31,050	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EdS in Special Education	\$31,050	27	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Adult Learning	\$9,820	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Applied Project Management	\$9,550	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Applied Project Management CBE	\$18,000	18	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Business Management	\$12,700	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in College Teaching and Learning	\$9,940	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Criminal Justice	\$10,250	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Grad Cert in Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment	\$6,385	8	11.7	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Early Childhood Administration, Management, and Leadership	\$10,215	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Early Childhood Administration, Management, and Leadership CBE	\$24,000	24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Elementary Reading and Literacy	\$9,915	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Engaging Culturally Diverse Learners	\$7,840	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Enrollment Management and Institutional Marketing	\$9,940	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Government Management	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Higher Education Leadership for Student Success	\$9,940	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Homeland Security	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Human Resource Management	\$12,820	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Integrating Technology in the Classroom	\$7,840	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Mathematics 5-8	\$9,915	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Mathematics K-6	\$9,915	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Grad Cert in Nonprofit Management	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Online Teaching for Adult Educators	\$9,820	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Public Health	\$16,975	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Public Management and Leadership	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Public Policy	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Science K-8	\$9,915	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Special Education	\$6,385	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Strategic Planning and Public Policy	\$10,160	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Teacher Leadership	\$7,840	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Grad Cert in Teaching and Diversity in Early Childhood Education	\$10,215	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Arts in Teaching - Special Education	\$24,325	18	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Business Administration	\$22,230- \$31,750	12-20	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Business Administration CBE	\$42,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Healthcare Administration	\$29,050- \$37,100	18-24	32.4	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Healthcare Administration CBE	\$48,000	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Public Administration	\$27,035	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Public Health	\$35,000	24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Master of Social Work	\$28,870- \$50,970	18-30	36.5	N/A	N/A	N/A

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MS in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	\$51,175- \$56,500	33	38.9	39%	\$70,491	\$10,060
MS in Criminal Justice	\$27,275	15	29.4	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Criminal Justice CBE	\$48,000	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Criminal Justice Leadership and Executive Management	\$27,275	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Early Childhood Studies	\$20,200- \$24,240	20-24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Early Childhood Studies CBE	\$37,600	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Forensic Psychology	\$28,235	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Health Education & Promotion	\$26,800- \$32,125	18-21	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Higher Education	\$24,850- \$27,450	20-32	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Human Resource Management	\$32,050	20	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Human Resource Management CBE	\$48,000	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Human Services	\$27,035- \$29,935	15-18	30,5	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Industrial / Organizational Psychology	\$28,235- \$30,795	15	20.7	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Industrial / Organizational Psychology CBE	\$48,000	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Information Technology	\$25,850	45	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Nonprofit Management and Leadership	\$27,035- \$35,560	15-21	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Nursing (MSN)	\$25,211- \$58,414	18-30	119.3	69%	N/A	N/A

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MS in Nursing (MSN) CBE	\$87,000	N/A	17.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Psychology	\$28,235-\$37,135	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in Psychology CBE	\$48,000	48	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MS in School Counseling	\$51,175-\$56,500	30	35.3	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Counselor Education and Supervision	\$58,985-\$130,085	42	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Criminal Justice	\$46,040-\$137,108	15-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Education	\$71,850-\$150,250	33-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Health Education and Promotion	\$59,480-\$150,250	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Health Services	\$53,055-\$138,555	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Human Services	\$61,795-\$144,645	27-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Industrial / Organizational Psychology	\$57,030-\$141,440	30-96	62.5	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Management	\$20,100-\$152,440	33-72	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Nursing	\$51,670-\$160,620	30-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Psychology	\$47,325-\$135,680	24-96	47.5	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Public Health	\$58,890-\$135,060	33-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Public Policy and Administration	\$54,473-\$126,168	33-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PhD in Social Work	\$61,380-\$137,130	33-96	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Post-Baccalaureate Cert in Instructional Design and Technology	\$8,620	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Post-MS Cert in Educational Technology	\$13,600	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Post-MS Cert in Nursing (Education)	\$11,910	9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Post-MS Cert in Nursing (Nursing Executive)	\$14,385	9-12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Post-MS Cert in Nursing (Nursing Informatics)	\$14,385	9-12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Post-MS Cert in Online Teaching in Higher Education	\$13,600	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Degree Level	# Awards in AY 2022-2023	Average Time to Degree (Months)
Bachelors	19	48.53
Certificate	1	11.7
Doctorate	N/A	N/A
Masters	39	34.59
PhD	4	57.28
Specialist	N/A	N/A

NOTE: To preserve confidentiality, "N/A" is reported if fewer than 10 Oregon students enrolled in or completed the program within the reported period.

<sup>1</sup>The following chart represents the tuition and fees charged for completing a program, by degree level. In programs that contain a residency or field experience requirement, the cost of transportation is not included.

<sup>2</sup>This is the average time an Oregon student graduated from the program.

<sup>3</sup>The percent of Oregon students entering Walden for the first time, including transfers, during FY2015 who completed any award within eight years.

<sup>4</sup>The median combined loan debt for federal loans, and private loans certified by the school or institution, for all students who completed the program during the most recently completed award year.

<sup>5</sup>The Annual Loan Payment was based on an assumed 10-year repayment period and an interest rate of 7.05%. Note: that interest rates for all loans are subject to change. Please contact your loan servicer for more information.

0.0% The Fiscal Year 2020 (most recent) cohort default rate as provided by the U.S. Department of Education.

The Department of Education repealed gainful employment regulations, as a result there are no metrics to report.

Walden does not collect data for job placement success as a result you should assume the rate is zero percent.

Walden does not collect data on median starting salaries for graduates, the U.S. Department of Education publishes median annual earnings of individuals of federal student aid and began college at Walden 10 years ago regardless of competition status. As reported on the College Scorecard, this number is \$48,155.

### **Institutional Accreditation:**

Accreditation is a mark of quality. Walden has been accredited by [The Higher Learning Commission \(HLC\)](#) since 1990. The HLC is an institutional accreditor recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.

### **Programmatic Accreditation and Recognition:**

Specialized accreditation is given to a college, school, or specific degree program within a university, most often for professional programs that lead to certification or licensure. To receive this type of accreditation, the college, school, or program must demonstrate that it has relevant content, qualified faculty, and adequate resources to meet rigorous accreditation standards set for a specific field, discipline, or profession. By earning this accreditation, the specific program, school, or college demonstrates that it has met the standards that prepare students for advancement in the field. Walden is proud to have earned specialized accreditations from the following organizations:

#### **Social Work – Council on Social Work Education**

Walden University's Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) and Master of Social Work (MSW) are accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), a specialized accrediting body recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). CSWE's Commission on Accreditation is responsible for developing standards that define competent preparation for professional social workers and ensuring that social work programs meet these standards.

#### **Education — Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation**

Walden University's Richard W. Riley College of Education and Leadership has earned national accreditation by demonstrating excellence in the areas of content and pedagogy, clinical experiences, selectivity, program impact, and capacity for continuous improvement from the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP, 1140 19th St NW, Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036 (202) 223-0077). CAEP is a CHEA recognized national accreditor for educator preparation. CAEP accreditation is based on a review of The Richard W. Riley College of Education and Human Sciences' initial teacher preparation programs—the BS in Elementary Education and the Master of Arts in Teaching with a specialization in Special Education—and advanced educator preparation programs—the EdS in Educational Leadership and Administration and the MS in Education with a specialization in Educational Leadership and Administration. Three of these programs were reviewed by Specialized Professional

Associations (SPAs), which defines content-area standards for programs, and achieved national recognition: Master of Arts in Teaching with a specialization in Special Education, EdS in Educational Leadership and Administration, and MS in Education with a specialization in Educational Leadership and Administration.

### **Business — Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs**

The Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP), which is recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA), is a leading specialized accreditation association that identifies and supports excellence in business education worldwide. Walden University's BS in Business Administration (BSBA), Master of Business Administration (MBA), MS in Finance, Doctor of Business Administration (DBA), and PhD in Management programs are accredited by ACBSP. Walden's BS in Accounting and MS in Accounting programs are also accredited by ACBSP and have earned the organization's Specialized Accounting Accreditation.

### **Public Health — Council on Education for Public Health**

The Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH) Board of Councilors acted at its September 6, 2019, meeting to accredit the Master of Public Health (MPH) program at Walden University for a five-year term, based on an application for accreditation submitted on February 3, 2018. On June 5, 2020, the CEPH Board of Councilors accredited the Doctor of Public Health (DrPH) program at Walden University, after reviewing an accreditation application submitted on April 21, 2020. Based on CEPH procedures and the documentation submitted, the effective accreditation date of both of these programs is February 3, 2018. CEPH is an independent agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education to accredit schools of public health and programs of public health. CEPH accreditation provides assurance that the program has been evaluated and met accepted public health profession standards in practice, research, and service. For a copy of the final self-study document and/or final accreditation report, please contact the dean of the College of Health Sciences and Public Policy ([adchshealth@mail.waldenu.edu](mailto:adchshealth@mail.waldenu.edu)).

### **Nursing — Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education**

The baccalaureate degree program in nursing (BSN), master's degree program in nursing (MSN), post-graduate APRN certificate program, and Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program at Walden University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education ([www.ccnaccreditation.org](http://www.ccnaccreditation.org)).

### **Counseling — Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs**

[Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs \(CACREP\)](#)—Walden's PhD in Counselor Education and Supervision; MS in Clinical Mental Health Counseling; MS in School Counseling; MS in Addiction Counseling; and MS in Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling programs are accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP), a specialized accrediting body recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). CACREP accreditation ensures that the content and quality of counselor-preparation master's and doctoral degree programs have been evaluated and meet standards set by the profession.

### **Technology — ABET (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology)**

The BS in Information Technology program is accredited by the Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET, [www.abet.org](http://www.abet.org). ABET is the internationally recognized accreditor for college and university

programs in applied science, computing, engineering, and engineering technology. This accreditation reaffirms the quality of Walden's information systems and technology programs and support services, as well as its commitment to continuous assessment and improvement.

### **Transfer Credit:**

Walden University encourages transfer of credit from other institutions. Prior to admission to Walden, applicants may request an unofficial evaluation of transfer of credit. Transfer of Credit requests should be submitted during the application process. This can be done with unofficial transcripts.

Transfer-of-credit documentation, when requested, should be submitted to the Office of Admissions.

Normally, students are officially notified when credits are accepted for transfer to a program at the same time that they are given an offer of admission or during their first term of enrollment.

Official evaluation of credits for transfer to a program requires the following:

- Official transcript that reflects the course being evaluated
- Syllabi for courses being evaluated for transfer, upon request
- **For non-U.S. institutions**
  - a. A copy of the catalog course description
  - b. Evaluation and certification of transcripts by a credential evaluation service that is a member of the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES)

Transfer credits will not be calculated into the Walden grade point average (GPA). Only Walden course grades will be included in the Walden GPA.

### **Note the following exceptions:**

- Walden residency units completed at one degree level are not transferable into a different degree level within Walden.
- Depending on the program, same-level residency units completed at Walden may be considered for transfer within same-level degree programs at Walden.
- Walden residency units completed prior to September 2006 are not transferable among Walden programs, as the residency requirements have significantly changed.
- Internships, practica, dissertations, doctoral studies, and theses are not permitted for transfer.

In addition to the university requirements for the transfer of credit, some colleges, schools, or programs specify other conditions. Students should check the [Transfer Maximum by Program](#) table in this *Walden University Student Handbook*, as well as the program's section in the *Walden University Catalog*, for program-specific transfer-of-credit requirements.

The transferability of credits earned at Walden University is at the discretion of the receiving college, university, or other educational institution. Students considering transferring to any institution should not assume that credits earned in any program of study at Walden University will be accepted by the receiving institution. Similarly, the ability of a degree, certificate, diploma, or other academic credential earned at Walden University to satisfy an admission requirement of another institution is at the discretion of the receiving institution. Accreditation does not guarantee credentials or credits earned at Walden University will be accepted by or transferred to another institution. To minimize the risk of having to repeat coursework, students should contact the receiving institution in advance for evaluation

and determination of transferability of credits and/or acceptability of degrees, diplomas, or certificates earned.