

## Dear [Student Name],

As you approach the end of your junior year of high school and enter the summer months, you may be thinking about your college admissions process this coming fall. To provide a valuable starting point to navigating your post-high school options, [YOUR HIGH SCHOOL] is participating in a new state program called Direct Admissions. This fall, you will be notified of multiple Minnesota colleges and universities that are offering you Direct Admission for your college freshman year in fall 2025.

## What to expect:

## • You will receive your personalized Direct Admissions letter

This letter will list the names of each participating college and university that is offering you admission to their institution in fall 2025. There are over 50 Minnesota colleges and universities that are participating in the Direct Admissions program, including a full range of community, technical, tribal, public and private institutions. As part of the Direct Admissions program, all application fees for participating colleges and universities are waived, so it is FREE to apply to any of the institutions on your list!

## • Confirm your colleges and universities to receive Direct Admission

Your next step is to confirm which colleges and universities that you would like to receive Direct Admission to. Submit your digital letter back to your high school, answer the questions in the application portal, and you will receive your official acceptance letters. In some cases, colleges and universities will request additional application information. Watch your email inbox for a message from the colleges and universities for your next steps.

We invite you to watch this **Direct Admissions video** to learn more about how this process will work:



Direct Admissions Minnesota is here to offer you a look at many postsecondary possibilities that await you in fall 2025. We encourage you to keep Direct Admissions in mind as you prepare and plan for your senior year of high school.

We look forward to supporting your postsecondary journey when you return in the fall!

[Minnesota Office of Higher Education]