

# GUSTAVUS

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## GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS COLLEGE

**Legal Name:** Gustavus Adolphus College  
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Founded in 1862 by Swedish immigrants, Gustavus Adolphus College is the oldest Lutheran college in Minnesota. A private, residential, liberal arts college affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, it is guided by five core values: excellence, community, justice, service, and faith.

Small classes, an active and embracing community, and personal attention are the hallmarks of the College. Many of its more than 2,500 full-time students engage in collaborative research with their professors. The College is well known for its strong writing, science, and music curricula and its award-winning community service programs. More than 75 percent of its students are involved in varsity or intramural athletics, 40 percent are involved in fine arts programs, and 50 percent take advantage of opportunities to study abroad. Gustavus has hosted a local chapter of Phi Beta Kappa since 1983 and is internationally recognized for its annual Nobel Conference.

Gustavus seeks to instill in its students a spirit of lifelong learning and to prepare them for lives of leadership and service in society. The significance of the College's impact on student lives is reflected not only in their leadership and service, but also in the support and continuing involvement of an extraordinary percentage of its 22,000 alumni.

Three quarters of all students receive need-based scholarships and other financial aid. For this reason the College has an ongoing commitment to making a Gustavus education possible by inviting both current and estate gifts. You can help by contacting the Office of Gift Planning, by phone at 800-726-6192 or 507-933-7512, by e-mail at <[giftplanning@gustavus.edu](mailto:giftplanning@gustavus.edu)>, or on the Web at <[www.gustavus.edu/giving](http://www.gustavus.edu/giving)>. A special section on the website provides information about bequests, charitable remainder trusts, gift annuities, and other ways to leave a legacy to help give the gift of Gustavus to students for years to come.

Those who choose to include the College in their estate plans or make a planned gift are welcomed into the Gustavus Heritage Partnership, the College's way to give thanks for a legacy that lives beyond one's own lifetime.

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