



**Counseling Program
2022-2023 Outcomes Report**

Mission Statement: The mission of the Murray State University Counseling Program is to promote and advocate for mental health through the preparation of theoretically grounded, clinically skilled and culturally competent counselors. By applying these principles, graduates of our program will have a strong professional identity and be prepared for careers as professional counselors in school and/or mental health settings in western Kentucky and other regions.

Program Overview

Masters of School Counseling

Required Credit Hours	42
Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Examination (CPCE) outcome	Successful completion: 86% (n=7)
Number of program graduates from the past year	2
Completion rate	100%*
Licensure or certification rate	100%
Job placement rate	100%
Program enrollment	28
Number of new admissions	6
Average class size	15
Awards and achievements	1 KCA Counselor of the Year

*Completion rates are estimated by the number of students starting the program who complete within the estimated completion timeframe, which for the M.A. in School Counseling degree, it is 2 ½ years full-time and 4 years part-time. The majority of School Counseling students have full-time jobs and take classes when they have an opening in their schedules. Therefore, many students exceed the estimated time period.

Clinical Mental Health Counseling

Required Credit Hours	60
Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Examination (CPCE) outcome	Successful completion: 91% (n=11)
Number of program graduates from the past year	9
Completion rate	95%*
Licensure or certification rate	100%

Job placement rate	100%
Program enrollment	37
Number of new admissions	18
Average class size	15 students
Awards and achievements	1 Graduate Assistantship 1 KCA Summer Scholarship

*Completion rates are estimated by the number of students starting the program who complete within the estimated completion timeframe, which for the Ed.S. in Clinical Mental Health Counseling degree, it is 3 years full-time and 4 years part-time. In this cohort, a student exceeded the estimated time period.

Program Applicants and Demographics

Total Program Enrollment	49
EdS CMHC Student Enrollment	37
MAEd SC Enrollment	12
Graduate Demographics 2022-2023	EdS CMHC Graduates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Graduates 9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6 White female ○ 2 White male MAEd SC Graduates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Graduates 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 4 White female ○ 1 White male
Faculty Demographics 2022-2023: 3 Core Faculty	1 Hispanic female 1 White female 1 Asian male

University Overview

University Basics

Location	Murray, KY
Founded	1922
Type	4-year, state-supported public university
Colors	Navy blue and gold (white accent)
Nickname	Racers

University Demographics

Student Body and Faculty:

- Enrollment: Total: 9,489; Undergraduate: 7,756; Graduate: 1,733
- The student body are 63% female and 37% male.
- Twenty-one percent (21%) of the student body is non-white/Caucasian.

- Fall 2016 first-time admitted freshmen enrolled: 1,502
- The student body represents 43 states and 60 foreign countries.
- Murray State has a diverse student body with 641 international students.
- The undergraduate student to faculty ratio was 15 to 1.
- Seventy-seven percent (77%) of full-time instructional faculty have earned the highest degree in their fields.
- Female faculty make up 42.5% of full-time faculty.

University Academics:

- Associate programs: 6
- Bachelor's programs: 68
- Master's and specialist programs: 41
- Doctoral programs: 3