



**Counseling Program  
2018-2019 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	48
Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Examination (CPCE) outcome	Successful completion: 100% Remediation: 0%
Number of program graduates from the past year	4
Completion rate	100%*
Licensure or certification rate	100%
Job placement rate	100%
Program enrollment	24
Number of new admissions	5
Average class size	10
Awards and achievements	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 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: 100%
Number of program graduates from the past year	3
Completion rate	100%*
Licensure or certification rate	90%

Job placement rate	100%
Program enrollment	10
Number of new admissions	10
Average class size	10 students
Awards and achievements	2 Graduate Assistantships

\*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.

## 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: 9,466; Undergraduate: 8,142; Graduate: 1,324
- The student body are 60.7% female and 39.3% male.
- The student body represents 45 states and 45 foreign countries.
- 75% of full-time instructional faculty have earned the highest degree in their fields.

#### University Academics:

- Associate programs: 6
- Bachelor's programs: 60
- Master's and specialist programs: 37
- Doctoral programs: 3