

State Authorization

Hardin-Simmons University offers online courses and programs to wide array of students including students who live on campus as well as students located at a distance. HSU is a member of NC-SARA (National Council for State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements), meaning we share a reciprocity agreement to offer online courses and programs with other NC-SARA member states. To determine whether you live in an NC-SARA state, please [review the NC-SARA map here](#). Hardin-Simmons is currently efforting the remaining states that are not NC-SARA members to gain state authorization to serve students in those states.

Hardin-Simmons University has been approved by the State of Texas to participate in the National Council for State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements. NC-SARA is a voluntary, regional approach to state oversight of postsecondary distance education. HSU is also a participating member of the Southern Regional Education Board's Electronic Campus.

We are currently accepting applications from the following states and are actively pursuing verification from remaining states.

The following are states in which Hardin-Simmons University is authorized to offer online courses and programs:

- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- California
- Colorado
- Connecticut
- Delaware
- District of Columbia
- Florida
- Georgia
- Hawaii
- Idaho
- Illinois
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas
- Kentucky
- Louisiana

Maine
Maryland
Massachusetts
Michigan
Minnesota
Mississippi
Missouri
Montana
Nebraska
Nevada
New Hampshire
New Jersey
New Mexico
New York
North Carolina
North Dakota
Ohio
Oklahoma
Oregon
Pennsylvania
Rhode Island
South Carolina
South Dakota
Tennessee
Texas
Utah
Vermont
Virginia
Washington
West Virginia
Wyoming