



MINNESOTA STATE



Locations:
**Brainerd
Staples**

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FY16 Student Profile: 7,122 Total Students Served | 28% Pell Eligible | 10% Students of Color

REQUEST DETAILS

Dollar amounts are estimates and subject to change

- **\$3.3 million of \$143 million in campus support**
- **348 students supported by incentive grants**

WHAT'S AT STAKE?

A fully funded request will:

- Provide resources for enhancing student success through intentional advising, targeted retention efforts to close the achievement gap, expanded course offerings, and new program development.

Not fully funding the request will:

- Continue significant budget reductions such as those already impacting FY18: 14 retirements with limited replacement, three position reductions, and \$350,000 in operating reductions.
- Impair ability to implement student success strategies focused on retention and advising to close the achievement gap.
- Further reductions in course offerings and academic program closures.

2017 CAPITAL REQUEST

- **\$2.1 million in asset preservation**

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Nestled in the premier recreational area of Minnesota, Central Lakes College (CLC) is a comprehensive community and technical college offering the full college experience through cultural events, theatre, athletics, student housing, an active Student Senate, honors courses, and the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.

SERVICE TO MINNESOTA

- We have added more than 5,000 graduates to our region over the past five years.
- More than 95% of graduates are employed in a field related to their study, which fuels the economic engine of central and greater Minnesota by providing graduates who serve as police officers, teachers, welders, nurses, IT professionals, and more.
- We partner with more than 30 area high schools to offer College in the Schools.
- Collaborations with industry leaders and community partners

ensure student success and community satisfaction.

- Partnerships with area businesses get students working in the field before graduation.

PARTNERSHIPS

- **Minnesota DNR Enforcement, DNR Forestry, Camp Ripley, and Crow Wing County:** Partnership for students in the Natural Resources program.
- **Clow Stamping, Brunswick, Pequot Tool and Manufacturing, and Ryerson:** Donate steel and supplies to the welding program.
- **Cragun's Resort and Essentia Health:** Sponsor the theatre and cultural arts programs.
- **Local health care partners such as Lakewood Health System, St. Gabriel's Hospital, and many more:** Provide clinical experiences for nursing and allied health programs.

A FEW WORDS FROM A FACULTY MEMBER



"I believe one of the most important strategies of working with all students is convincing them early that they matter and that I recognize that they are individual people with stories, skills, and talents. I get to know them, their hobbies, their families, and their personal educational goals."

- Adam Marcotte, 2016 Minnesota State Educator of the Year, English Faculty & Honors Program Coordinator, Central Lakes College