ABOUT SIENA HEIGHTS

Siena Heights is a Catholic, coeducational university founded in the liberal arts tradition by the Adrian Dominican Congregation in 1919. The main campus in Adrian enrolls about 1,200 students in full-time and part-time study leading to associate’s, bachelor’s, master’s, and specialist’s degrees.

A leader in non-traditional education, and accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Universities, Siena Heights has 35 years of experience providing service-oriented education for working adults.

Mission: The graduate programs support the mission of Siena Heights University by fostering the personal and professional living of a purposeful, competent, and ethical life. In the spirit of St. Dominic Guzman, who began the Order of Preachers in 1216, and the Adrian Dominican Sisters, the graduate programs encourage contemplation and the sharing of the fruits of that contemplation. The graduate programs seek to provide a foundation in the theories of each specific discipline and opportunities to practice and reflect on the theories in application. The mission of integrating theory into practice is intended to help students facilitate change in their professional and personal endeavors.

A DEGREE THAT WORKS

Siena Heights University offers coursework leading to a Master of Arts in Leadership, Teacher Education, School Counselor Education and Mathematics Education with emphasis on technology integration. Siena Heights University has a flexible, innovative approach to education that offers evening and weekend courses, blended online delivery courses, credit and transfer options, individualized academic advising, dedicated faculty with career credentials, and online support.

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APPLICATION

Application materials should be sent to the appropriate Graduate College Office (see locations for details). The online application is available at www.sienaheights.edu. Please submit the following items in addition to your application:

+ Application Essay
+ Resume
+ Two documents verifying Michigan Residency

Residency:

Drivers License and Voter Registration
+ Three professional letters of recommendation
+ All official college transcripts
+ Michigan High School transcripts (if applicable)

The minimum GPA requirement is 3.0 (provisional admission under 3.0 may be considered). A personal interview will be scheduled pending completion of your application.

FINANCIAL AID

Financial assistance is available through federal and state aid programs. Students also may be eligible for tuition reimbursement from their employers. For further information, contact the Siena Heights University financial aid office at 1-800-521-0009, extension 7130, or at 1-517-264-7130. Candidates must be approved for admission to a specific graduate program before official action may be completed regarding financial aid awards.

To be eligible for state and/or federal funds, students must complete online the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. The Financial Aid Office on the Adrian Campus may require additional documentation.
LEADERSHIP PROGRAM OUTLINE [36 credit hours]

Leadership Core
Required [18 semester hours]
- GRS 601 History and Philosophy of Ideas
- GRS 602 Introduction to Research or
- GRS 605 Methodology of Research
- LDR 601 Leadership
- LDR 630 Organizational Culture and Communication
- LDR 640 Financial Systems Management
- LDR 660 Strategic Planning

Education
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- LDR 603 Curriculum Futures
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- LDR 610 Career Development and Mentoring
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Health Care
Required [12 semester hours]
- LDR 609 Health Care Systems Management
- LDR 620 Information Systems Management
- LDR 650 Medical Law
- LDR 678 Practicum

Elective [6 semester hours]
- LDR 614 Contemporary Issues in Health Care Admin.
- LDR 625 Human Resource Management
- GRS 694 Thesis/Project Seminar

Not-For-Profit
Required [9 semester hours]
- LDR 611 Not-For-Profit Fundraising
- LDR 636 Team Building
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Public Service
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- LDR 621 Organizational Psychology
- LDR 636 Team Building
- LDR 668 Politics, Policy and Ethics

Elective [9 semester hours]
- LDR 626 Project Management
- LDR 620 Information Systems Management
- LDR 625 Human Resource Management
- LDR 633 Grant Writing
- LDR 656 Labor Relations
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- Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
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