

2324 Cost of Attendance (COA)

The COA for a student is an **estimate** of that student's educational expenses for the period of enrollment. Federal laws require colleges to establish a Cost of Attendance (COA) for each student receiving any financial aid or student support.

Tuition / Career Services Fees	(\$200+\$7)	\$4,968
Fees (Average) **		\$500
Books / Supplies		\$1,800
Misc /Personal		\$1,574
Transportation		\$1,260
Living Expenses -Independent		\$6,336
Living Expenses -Dependent		\$3,166

Total Estimated Cost of Attendance – Full Time

Independent \$16,438 Dependent \$13,268

Total Estimated Cost of Attendance – Half Time

Independent \$13,268 Dependent \$10,743

Tuition and Fees - An amount normally assessed a student carrying the same academic workload, as determined by the institution.

Books, Course Materials, Supplies, and Equipment - An allowance for books, course materials, and equipment, which must include all such costs required of all students in the same course of study, including a reasonable allowance for the rental or upfront purchase of a personal computer, as determined by the institution.

Personal Expenses - An allowance, as determined by the institution, for a student attending the institution on at least a half-time basis.

Transportation - The transportation allowance may include costs incurred by a student for transportation between school, residence, and place of work.

Living Expenses - An allowance for food and housing (formerly known as Room and Board) costs, as determined by the institution, to be incurred by the student attending the institution on at least a half-time basis. It is an equivalent of three meals per day.

If you have additional expenses which exceed the standard cost of attendance, you may request to have your Cost of Attendance (COA) reviewed. These additional expenses may include, but are not limited to dependent care, disability related expenses, study abroad expenses, approved licensure fees, and cooperative education costs. For more information about COA and additional expenses, please contact the Financial Aid Office.

^{**}Some majors will have additional licensure and certification fees added.