## 25/26 Cost of Attendance

The student's cost to attend college, known as "cost of attendance," includes tuition and fees, as well as such living expenses as food, housing, and transportation while attending school. The school estimates the cost of attendance following guidelines established by federal regulation.

Financial need is determined by an equation that balances the cost of attendance with the student's student aid index (SAI). The federal government computes the SAI from information provided on the FAFSA application. When the SAI is less than the cost of attendance, the student has demonstrated a "need" for financial assistance.

## **Cost of Attendance**

Financial Need

minus ( - )	Student Aid Index
equals ( = )	Financial Need

## Estimated Cost of Attendance for Fall 2025 and Spring 2026 Semesters

Expense	Dependent living w/parent	Independent
Tuition and Fees	\$5,220	\$5 <i>,</i> 220
Books and Supplies	\$1,500	\$1,500
Transportation	\$2,010	\$2,010
Food and Housing	\$4,816	\$10,070
Personal Expenses	\$2,600	\$2,600
TOTAL	\$16,146	\$21,400

The Cost of Attendance (COA)\* below is for in-district enrollment of 30 credit hours for the fall and spring semesters. Use the COA that reflects your living situation.

\*Tuition estimate is based on in-district rates. Tuition and fees are subject to change.