

Cost of Attendance

Cost of Attendance (COA) is the average cost to attend for one academic year. This includes standards and estimated numbers for tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board, transportation, and personal expenses. Tuition and fee rates (http://www.easternwv.edu/get-started/tuition-fees) vary by a student's residency and enrollment status. The tuition and fees component in a student's COA is a standard amount based on full-time enrollment. The COA budget component for housing and meals for students who live with parents or reside off-campus are estimated. Eastern does not charge students for these amounts, but they are part of their Financial Aid COA budget to determine their financial aid eligibility.

Housing and meal costs for a commuting student are variable and depend greatly on the student's living arrangements. Books and Supplies are variable costs and depend upon their particular program of study. Transportation and Miscellaneous expenses are variable costs and can consume a large part of a student's educational costs if they don't budget carefully.

In all cases, the total amount a student is awarded cannot exceed the COA established for that student. In some instances, when certain Federal Financial Aid programs and certain WV Higher Education Programs are awarded, students are limited to receive grants and scholarships up to the student's demonstrated financial need. The Financial Aid Office determines a student's financial need by subtracting their Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from their Cost of Attendance (COA). The information the student reports on their FAFSA is used in a formula established by the U.S. Congress, which determines their EFC.

To read more about how the amount of a student's financial aid is determined click <u>https://studentaid.gov/complete-aid-process/how-calculated</u>

The charts below provide estimated average full-time costs for students for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 academic years and are provided for planning purposes. For actual tuition and fee charges students may view their Account Summary by Term after they have registered for classes.

This section can be found in the MyEastern link at (https://rand.wvnet.edu:9797/ECCPROD/twbkwbis.P_WWWLogin) .

*The budget is reduced to 75% if attending three quarter time, 50% is attending half time and less than half time budgets only include tuition, fees, books, and transportation expenses.

Budget Charts below

STUDENT BUDGETS FOR Eastern WV CTC 2023-2024

FULL TIME

FALL/SPRING

Components	RESIDENT	RWP	RESIDENT	RNF	NON-RES	NNF
	W/PARENT	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL
the second second	RWP		RNF		NNF	
	one term RWP		one term RNF		one term NNF	
B+S	836	1672	836	1672	836	1672
LFee	23	46	23	46	23	46
Misc/Pers	610	1220	718	1436	718	
H+F	2678	5355	4463	8925	4463	8925
AVG T&F	2134	4268	2134	4268	4635	9270
TRANS	1603	3205	1603	3205	1603	3205
TOTAL	7883	15766	9776	19552	12277	24554

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\$965	-ADDITION FOR COMPUTER EXPENSE	

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Award the percentage of the allocation allotted each term until we expend. This should ensure that at least 85% of eligible students are awarded. There may be up to 15% per term who cannot be awarded. Currently we are only awarding about 40% of the eligible population.

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B+S	786	1571	786	1571	786	1571
Lfee	21	42	21	42	21	42
Misc/Pers	575	1149	675	1350	675	1350
R+B	2870	5740	4784		4784	9568
AVGT&F	1975	3950	1975		4260	8520
TRANS	1506	3012	1506	3012	1506	3012
TOTAL	7732	15464	9747	19493	12032	24063

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