

# **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 <a href="https://studentaid.gov/complete-aid-process/how-calculated">https://studentaid.gov/complete-aid-process/how-calculated</a>

The charts below provide estimated average full-time costs for students for the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 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 2019-2020**

#### FULL TIME

### **FALL/SPRING**

Components	RESIDENT	RWP	RESIDENT	RNF	NON-RES	NNF
	W/PARENT	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL
	RWP		RNF		NNF	
	one term RWP		one term RNF		one term NNF	
B+S	708	1415	708	1415	708	1415
LFee	20	39	20	39	20	39
Misc/Pers	518	1035	609	1217	609	1217
R+B	2053	4106	3422	6843	3422	6843
AVG T&F	1832	3664	1832	3664	3468	6936
TRANS	1119	2237	1119	2237	1119	2237
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TOTAL	6248	12496	7708	15415	9344	18687

\$2,610	per year ADDITION FOR DEPENDENT CARE
\$910	-ADDITION FOR COMPUTER EXPENSE

## STUDENT BUDGETS FOR Eastern WV CTC 2020-2021

# FULL TIME FALL/SPRING

Components	RESIDENT	RWP	RESIDENT	RNF	NON-RES	NNF
	W/PARENT	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL	OFF CAMP	FULL
	RWP		RNF		NNF	
	one term RWP		one term RNF		one term NNF	
B+S	724	1448	724	1448	724	1448
LFee	18	36	18	36	18	36
Misc/Pers	530	1059	623	1245	623	1245
R+B	2133	4265	3554	7108	3554	7108
AVG T&F	1842	3684	1842	3684	3538	7076
TRANS	1162	2324	1162	2324	1162	2324
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TOTAL	6408	12816	7923	15845	9619	19237

\$2,726	per year ADDITION FOR DEPENDENT CARE
\$931	-ADDITION FOR COMPUTER EXPENSE

<sup>\*</sup> For married students reduce Room and Board, Trans and Misc/Pers to one half of total on each student if both attending EWVCTC. If spouse attending another institution, reduce room and board to \$0 and Trans and Mis/pers to one half of total budget

Per Year Award	Per Term Award	Enrollment	% Allocation by Term	Term
450	225	LTH	44%	Fall
500	250	HT	40%	Spring
600	300	3Q	16%	Summer

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.

estimated adjustment of x 2.3% CPI use low end College Board for Room and Brd NF which is \$13670 x52%

WP is 60% of NF R&B

Actual T&F instate base =\$/term Actual NonRes base=\$/term

Trans is 13670 x 17% for off camp

Use Average T&F from Fall 19

Use CPI increase to calculate Misc/Pers