

Cost of Attendance

In addition to the fixed direct cost listed in the Tuition and Fees section of this catalog, the CIA is required to estimate a cost of attendance (COA) that includes indirect costs such as personal expenses and transportation. While the COA can be one of the more confusing aspects of the financial aid process, it gives the student and the student's family an idea of what costs might be incurred beyond tuition and fees so they can plan accordingly. It is important to differentiate between direct and indirect costs, as indirect costs are simply estimates used by SFRS during the awarding process to determine a student's financial need, while direct costs are actual amounts that will be charged to the student's account. See the charts below for the average COA by campus and program.

Keep in mind that SFRS can only award students an amount of aid equal to or less than their associated cost of attendance budget. Students who have questions regarding their budget, would like consultation in planning their budget, or would like copies of the cost of attendance should contact SFRS. For more information about COA, [view this video](#).

New York – Undergraduate Programs (excluding online programs)

On Campus Off Campus With Parent

Direct Cost		Direct Cost		Direct Cost	
Tuition	\$33,850	Tuition	\$33,850	Tuition	\$33,850
General Fee	\$1,670	General Fee	\$1,670	General Fee	\$1,670
Board Fee	\$4,240	Board Fee	\$4,240	Board Fee	\$4,240
Supplies	\$1,100	Supplies	\$1,100	Supplies	\$1,100
Room	\$8,870				
	\$49,730		\$40,860		\$40,860
Indirect Costs		Indirect Costs		Indirect Costs	
		Room	\$7,740		
Books	\$1,000	Books	\$1,000	Books	\$1,000
Personal	\$2,450	Personal	\$1,550	Personal	\$700
Transportation	\$1,350	Transportation	\$2,526	Transportation	\$2,526
	\$4,800		\$12,816		\$4,226
COA	\$54,530	COA	\$53,676	COA	\$45,086

New York – Online Graduate Programs

Online BBA

Direct cost	
(based on 6 credits per term)	
Tuition	\$9,360
Technology fee	\$420
	\$9,780
Indirect cost	
Books	\$2,000
COA	\$11,780

Online MPS—Food Business

Direct cost	
Tuition	\$21,140
Indirect cost	
Books	\$2,000
COA	\$23,140

Online MPS—Wine Management

Direct cost	
Tuition	\$21,140
Wine fee	\$1,000
	\$22,140
Indirect cost	
Books	\$2,000
COA	\$24,140

California

On Campus Off Campus With Parent

Direct Costs		Direct Costs		Direct Costs	
Tuition	\$33,850	Tuition	\$33,850	Tuition	\$33,850
General Fee	\$1,670	General Fee	\$1,670	General Fee	\$1,670
Board Fee	\$3,640	Board Fee	\$3,640	Board Fee	\$3,640
Supplies	\$1,100	Supplies	\$1,100	Supplies	\$1,100
Room	\$9,080				
	\$49,340		\$40,260		\$40,260
Indirect Costs		Indirect Costs		Indirect Costs	
		Room	\$9,940		
Books	\$1,000	Books	\$1,000	Books	\$1,000
Personal	\$2,450	Personal	\$1,550	Personal	\$700
Transportation	\$1,350	Transportation	\$2,526	Transportation	\$2,526
	\$4,800		\$15,016		\$4,226
COA	\$54,140	COA	\$55,276	COA	\$44,486

Texas

Off Campus With Parent

Direct Costs		Direct Costs	
Tuition	\$33,850	Tuition	\$33,850
General Fee	\$910	General Fee	\$910
Board Fee	\$1,820	Board Fee	\$1,820
Supplies	\$1,100	Supplies	\$1,100
	\$37,680		\$37,680

Indirect Costs		Indirect Costs	
Room	\$7,680		
Books	\$1,000	Books	\$1,000
Personal	\$1,550	Personal	\$700
Transporation	\$2,526	Transportation	\$2,526
	12,756		\$4,226
COA	\$50,436		\$41,906