

Estimating Your First Year Cost to Attend Widener University for the 2023–2024 Academic Year

This information sheet is for undergraduate tuition and housing expenses to estimate your costs for attending Widener University. The estimated annual total cost listed below for fall and spring does not include books, health insurance (if required), course fees, and miscellaneous costs such as transportation, personal or recreational expenses.

Please determine your estimated cost based on the housing status indicated on your financial aid offer. Awards are subject to adjustment if you change your decision to either commute or live on campus in University housing. For example, if your offer is based on you living in a residence hall (ON CAMPUS), your financial aid offer will change if you choose to be a commuter. In particular, the Widener Grant-in- Aid may be affected if you change your housing plans and you will no longer qualify for the Campus Experience Grant.

DO NOT INCLUDE Federal Work Study in your cost estimate: Federal Work Study awards are NOT credited to the student’s semester account. These funds are paid directly to the student in the form of a bi-weekly paycheck based on the number of hours worked for part-time employment on campus.

You will be billed for each semester at Widener University. Your semester bill is expected to be paid prior to the start of each semester. For information on billing and all Widener tuition and fees charges, and payment plans, please visit widener.edu/BursarOffice and look for the “Undergraduate Tuition Rate and Payment Guide”.

If you have been awarded aid as a RESIDENCE HALL (ON CAMPUS) student:

	FALL	SPRING	TOTAL
Estimated Annual Tuition and Fees*	\$26,819	\$26,819	\$53,638
Estimated Annual Housing**	\$4,400	\$4,400	\$8,800
Estimated Annual Food (Meal Plans)**	\$3,490	\$3,490	\$6,980
Estimated Annual Billable Costs	\$34,709	\$34,709	\$69,418
– Less Merit/Presidential Scholarship			
– Less Campus Experience Grant	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$2,000
– Less Other Scholarships			
– Less Federal Pell Grant			
– Less Federal SEOG Grant			
– Less Other Grants			
– Less Direct Federal Sub Loan (-1.057%) ***			
– Less Direct Federal Unsub Loan (-1.057%) ***			
Annual Estimated Remaining Billable Cost after Aid			
– Less Direct Federal PLUS Loan (-4.228%) ***			
– Less Alternative Loan***			

*Engineering students pay an additional \$2,395 fee annually. Nursing students pay an additional \$1,090 fee annually.

**Estimated annual First Year Freshman Housing and Food (Meal Plan) displayed- Second year and beyond students vary by Housing and Meal Plan selected.

***There may be origination fees for loans, which are up-front charges by a lender for processing a new loan application, and are used for administration of the loan program.

See over for Commuter Cost Estimate

If you have been awarded aid as a COMMUTER or OFF CAMPUS student:

	FALL	SPRING	TOTAL
Estimated Annual Tuition and Fees*	\$26,819	\$26,819	\$53,638
Estimated Annual Housing	\$0	\$0	\$0
Estimated Annual Food	\$0	\$0	\$0
Estimated Annual Billable Costs	\$26,819	\$26,819	\$53,638
– Less Merit/Presidential Scholarship			
– Less Other Scholarships			
– Less Federal Pell Grant			
– Less Federal SEOG Grant			
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Our Financial Aid Service members would be glad to meet with you to discuss your financial aid offer and questions you may have about how to manage your remaining cost after aid.

Enrollment Services staff are available to assist you with planning for your Widener education. We are happy to help with enrolling at Widener University. Please feel free to contact our office:

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