

# Continuing Undergraduates Fall 2021 and Prior Cohort

## 2021 AND PRIOR COHORT COST OF ATTENDANCE FOR 2023-2024

Some or all instruction for all or part of the Academic Year may be delivered remotely. Tuition and fees have been set regardless of the method of instruction and will not be refunded in the event instruction occurs remotely for any part of the Academic Year.

The University of California Board of Regents approved a multiyear [Tuition Stability Plan](#) on July 22, 2021. The plan helps students and family's budget for a UC education by keeping UC tuition stable and predictable and providing new resources for financial aid.

Beginning fall 2022, tuition will be adjusted for each incoming undergraduate class but will subsequently remain flat until the student graduates, for up to six years. For undergraduates who first enrolled in fall 2021 or earlier--including all current undergraduates--tuition will stay flat at current rates for the duration of their enrollment, up to six years. The plan will be up for reauthorization by the Board of Regents in five years.

Use this estimated cost of attendance if you were admitted Fall 2021 and prior (Cohort 0) to help determine how much money you'll need to attend UC San Diego and how much financial aid you may need to meet that goal. Your actual costs may differ. For more information on each Cost of Attendance element visit our [Financial Aid Terms](#) webpage.

Based on three quarters, Full-Time Enrollment for Undergraduate Students. *ESTIMATE* your expected direct UC San Diego costs using your estimated financial aid awards from your College Financing Plan (CFP) to fill out the [Estimate Your Bill](#) form.

## ESTIMATED BASIC COST OF ATTENDANCE

### California Residents and Non-California Residents

Undergraduate Cost of Attendance	LIVING WITH PARENTS	ON-CAMPUS HOUSING	OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING
CA Resident Tuition and Fees			
Components of CA Resident Tuition and Fees	\$17,133	\$17,133	\$17,133
UC Systemwide Tuition and Fees \$12,570			
UC San Diego Campus Fees \$2,304			
UC San Diego Health Fee \$2,259			
<b>Living Expenses</b>			
Food & Housing for students without dependents	\$7,716	\$17,325	\$15,567
Food & Housing for students with dependents <sup>5</sup>			
Books, course materials, supplies, and equipment	\$1,308	\$1,308	\$1,308
Miscellaneous personal expenses	\$2,049	\$1,620	\$1,791
Transportation expenses	\$2,277	\$858	\$1,500
<b>Estimated CA Resident Cost Totals</b>	<b>\$30,483</b>	<b>\$38,244</b>	<b>\$37,299</b>
<b>Non-CA Resident Supplemental Tuition</b>	<b>\$29,754</b>	<b>\$29,754</b>	<b>\$29,754</b>
<b>Estimated Non-CA Resident Cost Totals</b>	<b>\$60,237</b>	<b>\$67,998</b>	<b>\$67,053</b>

- The Cost of Attendance (COA) includes the annual UC San Diego Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) of \$2,259. Read more on [how to use UC SHIP](#) or [how to waive UC SHIP](#).
- Non-California resident and international students pay non-Resident Supplemental Tuition (currently \$29,754 annually) in addition to charges paid by California resident students. To assist with educational costs, non-California residents will be considered for federal aid only: [Federal Pell Grant](#), [Federal Work-Study](#), and [Federal Direct Loans](#). International students may apply for [Private Education Loans](#), to assist with educational costs.
- The Food & Housing category includes a cost for Snacks & Meals Out. The Snacks & Meals out included in the Living with parents Food & Housing cost is \$1,824. The Snacks & Meals out included in the On-Campus Food & Housing cost is \$1,635. The Snacks & Meals out included in the Off-Campus Food & Housing cost is \$2,123.

4. The Miscellaneous personal expenses category will be adjusted, along with federal financial aid for students enrolled less than half-time (i.e., less than 6 units). Miscellaneous personal expenses are indirect costs that are not billed to your student account.
5. Students with Dependents will be given a separate allowance in their cost of attendance.

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- Students may submit [Cost of Attendance Add-On forms](#) with appropriate documentation for rent and utilities, transportation costs, computer purchases and/or increased books and supplies. **Submission of a request does not guarantee an approval.**
  - [Federal Direct Unsubsidized and Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loans](#) require the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#). FAFSAs are available beginning October 1st every year except the 2024-25 FAFSA, which will be available December 2023. [Private Education Loans](#) are available for domestic and international students.
  - Students who are unable to complete the FAFSA or California Dream Act Application or who are enrolled in less than half-time (6 units), may be able to apply for a private loan. [Private Education Loans](#) are available for domestic and international students. Inquire at the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office for lenders that accept international applicants or review this outside resource [finaid.org](http://finaid.org) for helpful information on how to choose and compare lenders.