

International Student Program

Fees and Expenses (2022-2023)

International student applicants are required to pay a one time \$50 non-refundable application processing fee. This fee is payable by credit card (via the student portal), flywire, cashier's check, or money order in US dollars drawn from a US bank. All fees below are estimated and subject to change without notice. *International Students are not eligible for financial aid*.

Applicants must provide proof of funds with a **minimum balance equivalent to \$28,500* (USD)**. The amounts below are the estimated cost students will pay per semester:

REQUIRED SCHOOL FEES	AMOUNT	SEMESTER
Student Tuition & Enrollment Fee	\$378 per unit	\$4,536 ^A
Medical Insurance ¹	\$704 per semester	\$704
SEVIS Fee	\$25 per semester	\$25
Student Health & Representation Fee	\$21 per semester	\$21
Minimum Anticipated Cost Payable to West		\$5,286 ^A (Per Semester)

ADDITIONAL NEEDS (ESTIMATES)	ANTICIPATED COST
Living Expenses (Housing & Food)	\$16,500
Books & Supplies	\$1,428
Minimum Anticipated Cost Per Academic Year	\$17,928 ^B

TOTAL ANTICIPATED NEEDS IS APPROXIMATELY \$28,500 PER STUDENT FOR 9-MONTH PERIOD (EXCLUDING SUMMER/WINTER)

IMPORTANT NOTES

- A The amount reflects minimum, full-time enrollment. F1 visa students are required to complete a minimum of 12 units per fall and spring semesters. Higher unit loads, enrollment in winter intercession (optional), and/or enrollment in summer intercession (optional) increase the overall cost of tuition.
- ¹ Per <u>LACCD Board Rule 2309.30</u>, all international students are auto-assigned a student medical insurance plan upon enrollment. This insurance is considered a **required fee and cannot be waived or declined**.
- ^B Per individual cost varies based on living accommodations and lifestyle choices.
- * Students who will not be paying for housing or groceries (free room and board) will only be required to document a minimum of \$20,000 (USD) in available funds.