

Cost & Aid

Invest in Your Future with Confidence

Your education at Columbus State University is a strong investment in the knowledge, experience, and confidence to make a lasting impact. Understanding your costs today helps you plan wisely for a future that pays far beyond the classroom.

Estimated Cost of Attendance

The Cost of Attendance is an estimate of the potential costs associated with attending Columbus State University.

Undergraduate, On Campus, Georgia Resident

| Fee | Estimated Cost |
|--|--------------------|
| Tuition (12 hours full-time) | \$4,488.00 |
| Fees | \$1,410.00 |
| Housing (rates may vary depending on residence unit) | \$6,926.00 |
| Food (rates may vary depending on meal plan) | \$5,144.00 |
| Books, Materials, Supplies, Equipment | \$1,760.00 |
| Transportation | \$2,140.00 |
| Miscellaneous | \$6,460.00 |
| Total Per Academic Year (Fall/Spring) | \$28,328.00 |

[Other Cost Estimates](#)

[Net Price Calculator](#)

Graduate, Off Campus, Georgia Resident

| Fee | Estimated Cost |
|--|--------------------|
| Tuition (6 hours; rate varies by program) | \$4,488.00 |
| Fees | \$1,410.00 |
| Housing | \$7,100.00 |
| Food | \$4,200.00 |
| Books, Materials, Supplies, Equipment | \$1,760.00 |
| Transportation | \$2,140.00 |
| Miscellaneous | \$6,460.00 |
| Total Per Academic Year (Fall/Spring) | \$27,558.00 |

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You're not alone in funding your future. Financial Aid

Paying for college is possible with the right guidance and support. At CSU, we are committed to access and affordability, and our team works alongside you to build a financial plan that supports your goals and removes barriers to your success.

Financial Aid Deadline: July 1st

[Financial Aid](#)

\$3 million

awarded annually
in scholarships

20%

of undergraduates receive
scholarships each year

\$14,441

average financial aid package
for first-time, full-time freshmen

86.5%

of students who applied for
need-based aid received an award

It all starts with the FAFSA

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is the first step toward unlocking several funding options, including Georgia's HOPE and Zell Miller Scholarships, the Pell Grant, and federal student loans. It's simpler than you may think, and our team is here to guide you. Be mindful of important deadlines and start your application today.

CSU School Code = 001561

[Start Your FAFSA Application](#)

In-state tuition for our border-state neighbors

Students who live in Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, or Tennessee are eligible to receive undergraduate in-state tuition and fees at CSU. It's one more way we expand access and open doors to a transformative education, no matter if you call Georgia home.

[Learn More about border-state tuition](#)

We Are Here To Help

Our team provides clear answers, thoughtful guidance, and personalized support. Visit us in University Hall or reach out by email or phone.

Contact Financial Aid

Email: finaid@columbusstate.edu

Phone: (706)507-8800

Contact Office of Student Accounts

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