



COLLEGE COST COMPARISON WORKSHEET

This worksheet is a guide to calculate a student expense budget and to help determine the resources needed to meet the costs for the school year when comparing colleges.

College Name:			
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A. Direct Educational Expenses:

Tuition	\$	\$	\$
Miscellaneous Fees	\$	\$	\$
On-Campus Housing	\$	\$	\$
On-Campus Meal Plan	\$	\$	\$
Subtotal A:	\$	\$	\$

B. Financial Aid Offered:

Institutional Scholarships	\$	\$	\$
State/Federal/Institutional Grants	\$	\$	\$
Estimated Outside Scholarships	\$	\$	\$
Subtotal B:	\$	\$	\$

C. Estimated Balance Due After Scholarships/Grants (A minus B)	\$	\$	\$
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D. Student Loans and/or Campus Work

Student Loan	\$	\$	\$
Student Loan	\$	\$	\$
Campus Work Study Award	\$	\$	\$
Subtotal D:	\$	\$	\$

E. Estimated Balance Due (C minus D)	\$	\$	\$
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F. Indirect/Variable Expenses (Examples):

Books and Supplies	\$	\$	\$
Off campus housing	\$	\$	\$
Personal Expenses	\$	\$	\$
Transportation Expenses	\$	\$	\$
Other:	\$	\$	\$
Subtotal F:	\$	\$	\$

G. Estimated Total Due (E plus F)	\$	\$	\$
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Please Note: The amounts listed in E and F represent the family's financial responsibility. Individual family decisions will determine which portion of these costs will be covered by the student and which costs will be covered by the parents.