

Estimated Domestic
Daytime MBA Cost of Attendance (COA)
2019-20
9-Month Period

First Year Student Class of 2021				Second Year Student Class of 2020		
	Fall	Spring	Academic Year	Fall	Spring	Academic Year
Educational Expenses (Student Bursar Account Charges)						
Fuqua Daytime Tuition	35,000	35,000	70,000	35,000	35,000	70,000
Student Medical Insurance*	3,535		3,535	3,535		3,535
Health Fee	417	417	834	417	417	834
MBA Association (Gov't Fee)	500		500	500		500
Graduate Activity Fee	19	18	37	19	18	37
Graduate Recreational Facility Fee	158	158	316	158	158	316
Transcript Fee	40		40			0
Graduate Student Services Fee	10	10	20	10	10	20
Pre-Term Fee	2,200		2,200			0
Total	41,879	35,603	77,482	39,639	35,603	75,242
Educational Supplies						
Books/Course Packs	333	333	666	333	333	666
Total	333	333	666	333	333	666
Student Living Expenses						
Board (Food)	1,710	1,710	3,420	1,710	1,710	3,420
Housing (including Utilities)	4,639	4,640	9,279	4,639	4,640	9,279
Miscellaneous	1,786	1,787	3,573	1,786	1,787	3,573
Transportation	927	927	1,854	927	927	1,854
Phone Service	288	288	576	288	288	576
Total	9,350	9,352	18,702	9,350	9,352	18,702
Total Cost of Attendance	51,562	45,288	96,850	49,322	45,288	94,610
Federal Loan Fees**	1,946	1,667	3,613	1,846	1,667	3,513
Student Loan Borrowing Eligibility***	53,508	46,955	100,463	51,168	46,955	98,123

NOTE: The established educational supplies and living expenses of this COA are results of an annual Duke University survey completed by Duke students receiving financial aid (i.e. student loans). The Financial Aid Office uses the survey results to establish a "student budget" and determine eligible borrowing amounts.

***Student Medical Insurance Plan** is required for all Fuqua Daytime MBA students and is charged during the fall semester. It can be waived if you have other health insurance coverage. Please contact our Financial Aid Office if your Duke-sponsored Student Medical Insurance Plan cost is different from this amount. We will adjust your COA accordingly. The actual cost of the Student Medical Insurance Plan is established in late spring each year. The University Bursar's Office provides additional information regarding student medical insurance with fall tuition statements.

****Federal Loan Fees** are automatically added to the budget assuming the student is borrowing the maximum Unsubsidized and Graduate PLUS Loan offer. If a private/alternative loan is borrowed these fees will have to be reduced or removed.

*****The Student Loan Borrowing Limit** will be reduced by any other financial aid received (i.e. scholarships, sponsorships, other student loans). This cost of attendance will determine the total amount of your Financial Aid eligibility.

Additional Considerations to Increase the Cost of Attendance

Students must request these additional considerations in writing.

Federal Student Loan Programs (i.e. Graduate PLUS Loan) may be used for the following increases:

One -Time Computer Increase - Students must submit an invoice or quote for the price of the computer in order to receive this increase up to the \$2,000.

Summer Math Review Course - This fee (\$950) can be added to the cost of attendance only after registration has been confirmed for the course.

Study Abroad Expenses (i.e. Exchange, GATE, Fuqua Client Consulting Practicum) - Students can apply for this increase once they have been approved for the trip. The student will need to submit a financial aid application and apply for the additional funding with his/her lender based on the budget of the trip.

Increase for Family Expense - Requests for budget adjustments are considered on a case-by-case basis.

- **Dependent/Childcare Expense for Students who are:**

- 1) **Single Parents - Up to a \$10,066 allowance** may be factored for certified Dependent/Childcare expenses per child.
- 2) **Married and Spouse is working or in school - Up to a \$5,033 allowance** may be factored for certified Dependent/Childcare expenses per child.

Note: Through federal student loan programs, we cannot consider the cost of childcare for a married student whose spouse is an at-home parent.

However, if the student is borrowing a private student loan, then we may consider the cost of childcare when the spouse is an at-home parent.

Please contact our office for details regarding the regulations and documentation required for a Dependent/Childcare allowance.

Private Student Loan Programs ONLY may be used for the following increases:

- **Duke Student Health Insurance Family Coverage:** This increase may be made to the cost of attendance when proof of coverage is presented to the Financial Aid Office.

Statements and explanations provided by the student for immediate family expenses do not constitute supporting documentation for budget adjustments.

Depending on the reason for the increase request, and in order for the Financial Aid Office to determine if an increase is allowable, students may be asked to submit additional supporting documents beyond those originally submitted. Per student's request and depending on special circumstances, we may consider an additional of living expense increase up to 60% of the standard living expense allocation (This is only considered for Fuqua students whose spouse is living with them during their studies at Fuqua, not employed and not a student).

Non-Allowable Cost of Attendance Adjustments: Expenses incurred for interview activities coordinated by Fuqua (i.e. Weekend-In-Cities) and general interview trips are not considered for financial aid purposes because they are not standard requirements within the curriculum. **Please Note:** Due to Federal Law, personal consumer debt (i.e., credit cards, car loans, etc.) cannot be factored into the cost of attendance.