

Estimated Domestic

Cost of Attendance (COA)

**Accelerated Master of Science in Quantitative Management:
Business Analytics program (Online) Class of 2021
(Based upon a Full Course Load over a 12-Month Period)**

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2020-21 Academic/Financial Aid Year				2021-22 Academic/Financial Aid Year		Program Total
	Fall 2020 4-months	Spring 2021 4-months	Total	Summer 2021 4-months	Total	
Educational Expenses (Student Bursar Account Charges)						
Fuqua Accelerated MSQM:BA Tuition	13,275	13,275	26,550	16,225	16,225	42,775
Transcript Fee	120		120			120
Total	13,395	13,275	26,670	16,225	16,225	42,895
Student Living Expenses*						
Board (Food)	1,480	1,480	2,960	1,480	1,480	4,440
Housing (including Utilities)	4,344	4,344	8,688	4,344	4,344	13,032
Miscellaneous	1,600	1,600	3,200	1,600	1,600	4,800
Transportation	736	736	1,472	736	736	2,208
Phone Service	280	280	560	280	280	840
Total	8,440	8,440	16,880	8,440	8,440	25,320
Total Cost of Attendance	21,835	21,715	43,550	24,665	24,665	68,215
Federal Loan Fees**	622	617	1,239	404	404	1,643
Student Loan Borrowing Eligibility***	22,457	22,332	44,789	25,069	25,069	69,858

*NOTE: The established 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. The living expenses are based on the monthly living expense allocation for the residential Master of Quantitative Management (MQM) Business Analytics program in Durham.

**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.

Students who are receiving Veterans Benefits may be able to apply for student loans up to the full COA in addition to their VA benefit. Please contact our Financial Aid Office for further information.

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.

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 \$1,100 (per month) allowance** may be factored for certified Dependent/Childcare expenses per child.

2) **Married and Spouse is working or in school - Up to a \$550 (per month) 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:

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.