

What is the Cost of Attendance?

Cost of Attendance (COA) is the total estimate of what it costs to attend the school for one Academic Year. It includes **Direct Costs** (Tuition and Fees – what you pay directly to the school) and **Indirect Costs** (housing, food, transportation, misc. personal expenses, books, materials, equipment, supplies, loan fees, and personal therapy).

The figures below represent the total **estimated** Cost of Attendance for the program, based on your chosen program planner. Tuition, fees, and indirect cost allowances are subject to change each year and are evaluated on an annual basis using national and local average living costs.

The purpose of the Cost of Attendance is to establish a limit on how much aid a student can receive for an academic year.

*The maximum quarterly indirect cost allowance for a full-time quarter (8 or more units) is **\$8,230**:*

Living Expenses (Housing & Food)	5500
Transportation	1250
Books	400
Misc. Personal Expenses	750
Loan Fees	55
Personal Therapy	275
Total	8230

*The maximum quarterly indirect cost allowance for a part-time quarter (4-7 units) is **\$7,455**:*

Living Expenses (Housing & Food)	5500
Transportation	625
Books	250
Misc. Personal Expenses	750
Loan Fees	55
Personal Therapy	275
Total	7455

This means if you are enrolled in 8 or more units during a quarter, you can borrow up to \$8,230 for living expenses for that quarter. If you are enrolled in less than 8 units during a quarter, you can borrow up to \$7,455 for living expenses during that quarter.

Estimated Cost of Attendance for MA Art Therapy/Counseling: 3 Year Program Planner Option B

2025-2026 Academic Year						
	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	7.5	4695	300	4995	7455	12450
WINTER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
SPRING	9.5	5947	300	6247	8230	14477
SUMMER	7.5	4695	300	4995	7455	12450
TOTALS	33	20658	1200	21858	31370	53228

2026-2027 Academic Year						
	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	9.5	5947	300	6247	8230	14477
WINTER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
SPRING	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
SUMMER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
TOTALS	35	21910	1200	23110	32920	56030

2027-2028 Academic Year						
	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	10.5	6573	300	6873	8230	15103
WINTER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
SPRING	4.5	2817	300	3117	7455	10572
SUMMER	4.5	2817	300	3117	7455	10572
TOTALS	28	17528	1200	18728	31370	50098

PROGRAM TOTALS	96	60096	3600	63696	95660	159356
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MA ART THERAPY/COUNSELING: 3 YEAR PROGRAM PLANNER - OPTION B

3-YR Fall entry-B	ATCN Year 1 Courses	Units	ATCN Year 2 Courses	Units	ATCN Year 3 Courses	Units
No summers off	CN AT 574 - PSYCH OF ALTRUISM	2.0	AT/CN 660 - ATCN ETHICS	4.5	AT/CN 656-2 - ATCN PRACTICUM 1 & Lab	4.0
FALL	CN AT 542-4 - FOUNDATIONS:CN	4.5	AT/CN 665-2 - ATCN ADDICTIONS	4.5	AT/CN 664 - ATCN ASSESSMENT	4.5
	AT/CN 594 - STUDIO ART	1.0	CN AT 581-4 - PSYCHOPHARMACOLOGY	0.5	ELECTIVE	2.0
	TOTAL	7.5	TOTAL	9.5	TOTAL	10.5
COST	7.5x\$626=\$4695+\$300=\$4995		9.5x\$626=\$5947+\$300=\$6247		10.5x\$626=\$6573+\$300=\$6873	
WINTER	CN AT 500-3 - MULTIC AWARENESS	1.5	CN AT 530-2 - CONSCIOUSNESS 1	4.0	AT/CN 657-2 - AT PRACTICUM 2 & Lab	4.0
	CN AT 581-5 PSYCHOPATHOLOGY	4.0	CN AT 543-2 - GROUP DYNAMICS	4.5	AT/CN 637-A - CAPSTONE 1	0.5
	AT/CN 545 - THEORIES OF AT	3.0			AT/CN 663-2 - ATCN FAMILY	4.0
	TOTAL	8.5	TOTAL	8.5	TOTAL	8.5
COST	8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621	
SPRING	CN AT 522-2 - HUMAN DEV	4.5	CN AT 531-2 - CONSCIOUSNESS 2	4.0	AT/CN 698-6L.2 - ATCN INTERNSHIP 1	4.5
	AT/CN 597-2 - AT MULTICULTURAL	3.0	CN AT 625-2 - CAREER & LIFE	4.5		
	AT/CN 530 - HISTORY OF AT	2.0				
	TOTAL	9.5	TOTAL	8.5	TOTAL	4.5
COST	9.5x\$626=\$5947+\$300=\$6247		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621		4.5x\$626=\$2817+\$300=\$3117	
SUMMER	CN AT 598-6 - RESEARCH	4.5	CN AT 523-3 - HERMENEUTICS	4.0	AT/CN 698-7L.2 - ATCN INTERNSHIP 2	4.5
	AT/CN 593 - AT TECHNIQUES	3.0	CN AT 675 - HELPING RELATIONSHIPS	4.5		
			ePortfolio part 1 due			
	TOTAL	7.5	TOTAL	8.5	TOTAL	4.5
COST	7.5x\$626=\$4695+\$300=\$4995		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621		4.5x\$626=\$2817+\$300=\$3117	
	TOTAL FOR YEAR (for FA)	33.0	TOTAL FOR YEAR (for FA)	35.0	TOTAL FOR YEAR (for FA)	28.0