

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 Counseling: 3 Year Program Planner Option B

2025-2026 Academic Year

	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	8	5008	300	5308	8230	13538
WINTER	9	5634	300	5934	8230	14164
SPRING	7.5	4695	300	4995	7455	12450
SUMMER	6.5	4069	300	4369	7455	11824
TOTALS	31	19406	1200	20606	31370	51976

2026-2027 Academic Year

	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	7	4382	300	4682	7455	12137
WINTER	8	5008	300	5308	8230	13538
SPRING	8	5008	300	5308	8230	13538
SUMMER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
TOTALS	31.5	19719	1200	20919	32145	53064

2027-2028 Academic Year

	UNITS	TUITION	RESOURCE FEE	DIRECT COSTS	INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL COA
FALL	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
WINTER	8.5	5321	300	5621	8230	13851
SPRING	6.5	4069	300	4369	7455	11824
SUMMER	6.5	4069	300	4369	7455	11824
TOTALS	30	18780	1200	19980	31370	51350

PROGRAM TOTALS	92.5	57905	3600	61505	94885	156390
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MA Counseling: 3 Year Program Planner - Option B

3-YR Fall entry-B	CN Year 1 Courses	Units	CN Year 2 Courses	Units	CN Year 3 Courses	Units
<i>No summers off</i>	CN AT 522-2 - HUMAN DEV	4.5	CN 660-3 - CN ETHICS	4.5	CN 664-3 - CN ASSESSMENT	4.5
FALL	CN AT 500-3 - MULTIC AWARENESS	1.5	CN AT 581-4 - PSYCHOPHARM	0.50	CN 656-2 - CN PRACTICUM 1	4.0
	CN AT 574 - PSYCH OF ALTRUISM	2.0	ELECTIVE #2	2.0		
	TOTAL	8.0	TOTAL	7.0	TOTAL	8.5
COST	8x\$626=\$5008+\$5308		7x\$626=\$4382+\$300=\$4682		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621	
WINTER	CN 565-3 - CN ADDICTIONS	4.5	CN AT 530-2 - CONSCIOUSNESS 1	4.0	CN 657-3 - CN PRACTICUM 2	4.0
	CN AT 542-4 - FOUNDATIONS HISTORY & THEORIES OF CN	4.5	CN AT 581-5 PSYCHOPATHOLOGY	4.0	CN AT 625-2 - CAREER & LIFE	4.5
	TOTAL	9.0	TOTAL	8.0	TOTAL	8.5
COST	9x\$626=\$5634+\$300=\$5934		8x\$626=\$5008+\$5308		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621	
SPRING	CN AT 598-6 - RESEARCH	4.5	CN AT 531-2 - CONSCIOUSNESS 2	4.0	CN 698-8L.2 - CN INTERNSHIP 1	4.5
	CN 577-4 - CN MULTICULTURAL	3.0	CN 663-2 - CN FAMILY	4.0	ELECTIVE #3	2.0
	TOTAL	7.5	TOTAL	8.0	TOTAL	6.5
COST	7.5x\$626=\$4695+\$4995		8x\$626=\$5008+\$5308		6.5x\$626=\$4069	
SUMMER	CN AT 543-2 - GROUP DYNAMICS	4.5	CN AT 523-3 - HERMENEUTICS	4.0	CN 698-9L.2 - CN INTERNSHIP 2	4.5
	ELECTIVE #1	2.0	CN AT 675 - HELPING RELATIONSHIPS	4.5	ELECTIVE #4	2.0
			ePortfolio part 1 due			
	TOTAL	6.5	TOTAL	8.5	TOTAL	6.5
COST	6.5x\$626=\$4069		8.5x\$626=\$5321+\$300=\$5621		6.5x\$626=\$4069	
	TOTAL UNITS FOR YEAR 1	31.0	TOTAL UNITS FOR YEAR 2	31.5	TOTAL UNITS FOR YEAR 3	30.0