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## 2020-2021 Master of Arts in Dietetics - OU Online

Students are recommended to enrolled in 8-9 hours per semster, so 9 hours of enrollment is used for estimates below.

Residency status is not a factor when assessing tuition rates.

The terms of enrollment below are an example. A student's enrollment sequence may look different.

First Year Student	Su (3 Mo.)	Fa (4.5 Mo.)	Sp (4.5 Mo.)	Totals for Year
Tuition		\$5,823	\$5,823	\$11,646
Books/Supplies		\$941	\$941	\$1,881
Loan Fees		\$450	\$450	\$900
Living		\$11,313	\$11,313	\$22,626
Computer		\$1,500	\$0	\$1,500
Total Budget		\$20,027	\$18,527	\$38,553
Second Year Student	Su (3 Mo.)	Fa (4.5 Mo.)	Sp (4.5 Mo.)	Totals for Year
Tuition	\$5,823	\$5,823	\$5,823	\$17,469
Books/Supplies	\$404	\$808	\$808	\$2,019
Loan Fees	\$0	\$450	\$450	\$900
Living	\$7,404	\$11,313	\$11,313	\$30,030
Total Budget	\$13,631	\$18,394	\$18,394	\$50,418

All figures listed above are estimates, subject to tuition rate increases & your individual needs & situation.

These are in NO WAY a guarantee of expenses.

## **Estimated Costs Explanation**

**Tuition**: includes estimated tuition for 9 hours of enrollment

**Books/Supplies:** costs provided by the College that may include items such as textbooks, exams & board fees, association membership dues, or other out of pocket expenses that are required OR recommended your department.

**Cost of Living**: using a \$2,514 monthly estimate of expenses for the average living expenses you *may* incur, such as rent/mortgage, utilities, transportation expenses, food, health insurance, & personal expenses

Computer: all first-year students are assumed to need to purchase a new computer & all associate peripherals

## **Award Package**

- \* Receipt of a financial aid notification does not indicate acceptance into an academic program.
- \* The total estimated costs for one academic year (Summer, Fall, & Spring) are referred to as your cost of attendance or your budget.
- \* Once your FAFSA has been received, we will create your financial aid offers, offering you aid up to your cost of attendance. Your initial offers will likely consist of mostly, or possibly only, loans.
- \* Federal Direct Loans are offered to all federal aid eligible students who submit a valid FAFSA. For the 12 months of study in an academic year, a possible maximum of \$20,500 is offered.
- \* Go to our website for explanations of the variety of aid programs you may be eligible for & see in your financial aid offers.

Example Award Package	
First Year Student EXAMPL	E

Cost of Attendance \$ 38,553 Federal Loan Funds \$ 20,500 Difference \$ 18,053

Additional Loan Funds \$ 18,053

- \* Additional Loan Funds reflect the remainder of your eligibility, up to the cost of attendance, less any Federal Direct Unsubsidized loan amounts.
- Additional Loan Funds are an indicator of your potential to research & apply for a Federal Direct Grad Plus loan or an Alternative loan.
- \* Both Grad Plus loans & Alternative loans are credit based loans & may require endorsers or co-signers. Each loan product has its own advantages & disadvantages. It is at your discretion to borrow the type & amount of loan that is appropriate to your situation.

## Reminders:

- \*The FAFSA has to be completed & submitted every year in order for aid to be processed.
- \* You have to initiate the acceptance of any loans for processing to occur via Self-Service.
- \* While you are offered the maximum loan amounts possible, the amount accepted <u>can be reduced</u> to fit your specific situation.
- \* For a detailed breakdown of estimated tuition & fees for upcoming & previous years, please visit the Bursar's Office Tuition & Fees site.

https://financialservices.ouhsc.edu/Departments/Bursars-Office/Tuition-Fees