



Estimated Cost of Attendance Academic Year 2026-2027

Semester

On Campus Cost of Attendance 2026-2027
(based on full time students taking 15 credits)

	In-District	In-State / GEM	WUE / Canadian Ex	Out-of-State
Tuition	\$1,504.95	\$2,613.00	\$3,919.50	\$4,071.90
Fees	\$1,278.32	\$1,278.32	\$1,278.32	\$1,278.32
Books	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00
Housing	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00
Meals	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00
Total	\$6,958.27	\$8,066.32	\$9,372.82	\$9,525.22

GEM – Growing Eastern Montana (GEM) tuition rate applies to students who are residents of North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, and Sakatchewan and is equivalent to the in-state rate.

WUE – Under the Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) program, students enroll at a reduced tuition level. Residents from the following states or territories may participate if eligible: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, and Washington. Residents from the following Commonwealth of Northern Marianas Islands may participate if eligible: American Samoa, Northern Marianas, Guam, Marshal Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, and Palau.

Canadian Exchange – Under the Canadian Exchange Program, residents from the following provinces may participate, if eligible: Alberta and British Columbia.

Yearly

On Campus Cost of Attendance 2026-2027
(based on full time students taking 15 credits/semester)

	In-District	In-State / GEM	WUE / Canadian Ex	Out-of-State
Tuition	\$3,009.90	\$5,226.00	\$7,839.00	\$8,143.80
Fees	\$2,556.64	\$2,556.64	\$2,556.64	\$2,556.64
Books	\$350.00	\$350.00	\$350.00	\$350.00
Housing	\$4,600.00	\$4,600.00	\$4,600.00	\$4,600.00
Meals	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00
Total	\$13,916.54	\$16,132.64	\$18,745.64	\$19,050.44

Meal Plan Options Yearly Cost:

Option One	\$2,400 (Approx. 1 meal per day on weekdays for 16 weeks)
Option Two	\$3,400 (Approx. 1-2 meals per day on weekdays for 16 weeks)
Option Three	\$5600 (approx. 3 meals a day on weekdays for 16 weeks)

Full Pell Grant for the 2026-2027 school year is \$7,395. Amount awarded depends on financial need and cost of attendance.

All students residing in campus housing are required to purchase a meal plan. If no option is made, students are assigned Option Two.

Students have the ability to add funds to meal accounts if needed.