

# 2016-17 Figure Your Costs



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## GRADUATE/POST-BACCALAUREATE/CERTIFICATE STUDENT BUDGET WORKSHEET

An enriched PDF version of this worksheet is also available at [www.saic.edu/fyc](http://www.saic.edu/fyc). It will help by calculating the figures for you. Complete this worksheet to determine your estimated cost of education at SAIC and to ensure that payment-in-full or payment arrangements are made by August 15 for fall and January 15 for spring.

### STEP 1: ESTIMATE YOUR DIRECT EDUCATIONAL COSTS

Direct costs are costs for which you will be billed by SAIC.

	SAMPLE FIGURES SEMESTER	YOUR FIGURES FALL	YOUR FIGURES SPRING	YOUR FIGURES ANNUAL (FALL/SPRING)
<b>Tuition</b> (\$1,580 per credit hour)	\$23,700 (15 credits)	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>Health Insurance</b> (Optional)* Charged to all full-time and international students	\$950	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>U-Pass</b>	\$135	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>U-Pass Ventra Card Fee</b> (One-time fee \$5)		\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>Technology Fee</b>	\$285	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>Residence Hall</b> (Optional; per semester)		\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>162 N. State</b> Single: \$7,750    Double: \$5,800				
<b>&amp; Jones Hall</b> Small Single: \$6,550    Triple: \$4,650				
<b>Buckingham</b> Private: \$6,250    Shared: \$4,225				
<b>Meal Plan</b> —\$775 for new students; \$525 for continuing students (per semester, if in a residence hall)		\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
		<b>FALL SEMESTER SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>SPRING SEMESTER SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>YOUR ANNUAL SUBTOTAL</b>
<b>SUBTOTAL A</b>	<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED DIRECT EDUCATIONAL COSTS PER SEMESTER</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	

PLEASE NOTE: A GRADUATE STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT MAY VARY. (15 CREDITS=\$23,700; 12 CREDITS=\$18,960; 10.5 CREDITS=\$16,590; 9 CREDITS=\$14,220)

### STEP 2: REVIEW YOUR ANTICIPATED FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES AS LISTED ON YOUR AWARD LETTER

Do not include earnings from student employment.

	FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER	ANNUAL (FALL/SPRING)
<b>Grant Total</b> (SAIC/Smith)	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>Scholarship Total</b> (Merit or other)	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>Federal Direct Stafford/Perkins Loan Total**</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>SUBTOTAL B</b>	<b>TOTAL ANTICIPATED FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____

### STEP 3: CALCULATE YOUR ESTIMATED AMOUNTS DUE TO SAIC

To determine your estimated amount due to SAIC or refunded to student, use the formula **Subtotal A - Subtotal B = Subtotal C**\*\*\*

	FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER	ANNUAL (FALL/SPRING)
FROM STEP 1: <b>SUBTOTAL A</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
FROM STEP 2: <b>SUBTOTAL B</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	
<b>SUBTOTAL C</b>	\$ _____ + \$ _____	= \$ _____	

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\* Health insurance may be waived if the student has comparable coverage per year. Waivers must be resubmitted each year online through SAIC Self-Service.

\*\* Aid resources that require additional steps to secure. Loan fees will be deducted from your Stafford and PLUS Loans, as well as some private loans. Refer to the SAIC Financial Aid Award Guide. Please note that the loan amounts requested cannot exceed your cost of attendance (COA) budget, and program limits. Your COA equals the total of your Direct and Indirect Costs. Students may view their COA budget on SAIC Self-Service.

\*\*\* Please note that if your balance at Subtotal C is a credit, you may be issued a refund which can then be used to cover indirect costs. If your balance in Subtotal C is an amount due, you will need to pay the remaining amount in full, secure additional loans, enroll in a deferred payment plan, or any combination each semester.

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## GRADUATE POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATE STUDENT BUDGET WORKSHEET

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### STEP 4: ESTIMATE YOUR INDIRECT EDUCATIONAL COSTS

Indirect costs are costs for which you will need to budget, but will not be charged by SAIC. Choose your living expenses by semester as listed below to calculate your indirect costs.

Choose Option A, B, C, or D

**Books and Supplies** (Choose Studio or Non-Studio)

Studio Programs

Non-Studio Programs

**Living Expenses**

Room Allowance

Board Allowance

**Personal**

**Transportation**

	OPTION A ON CAMPUS (new student)	or	OPTION B ON CAMPUS (continuing student)	or	OPTION C OFF CAMPUS	or	OPTION D AT HOME
Books and Supplies (Studio Programs)	\$885		\$885		\$885		\$885
Books and Supplies (Non-Studio Programs)	\$260		\$260		\$260		\$260
Living Expenses (Room Allowance)	\$0		\$0		\$2,965		\$760
Living Expenses (Board Allowance)	\$1020		\$1270		\$1,795		\$1,795
Personal	\$685		\$685		\$685		\$685
Transportation	\$320		\$320		\$320		\$320
<b>SUBTOTAL D</b> TOTAL ESTIMATED INDIRECT EDUCATIONAL COSTS PER SEMESTER	\$ _____		\$ _____		\$ _____		\$ _____

ANNUAL EXPENSES (SEMESTER EXPENSES X 2)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Note:** The indirect estimates for books, personal and transportation are calculated for enrollment in 15 credits per semester. Estimates for enrollment other than 15 credits per semester can be obtained at [www.saic.edu/fyc](http://www.saic.edu/fyc). Room and board estimates are the same for any enrollment.

### STEP 5: DETERMINE AMOUNT YOU WILL NEED TO FINANCE YOUR TOTAL COST OF EDUCATION

Estimated Amount Due to SAIC or Refunded to Student after Financial Aid\*\*\*

FROM STEP 3:

**SUBTOTAL C**

FALL SEMESTER

SPRING SEMESTER

ANNUAL (FALL/SPRING)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Indirect Educational Costs

FROM STEP 4:

+ **SUBTOTAL D**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**AMOUNT YOU WILL NEED TO FINANCE YOUR TOTAL COSTS**

**SUBTOTAL E**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### STEP 6: ESTIMATE YOUR ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO FINANCE YOUR TOTAL COST OF EDUCATION

Only include loans that have been offered if you plan to secure them.

**Student Contribution from Savings and Work**

FALL SEMESTER

SPRING SEMESTER

ANNUAL (FALL/SPRING)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Federal Direct PLUS Loan and/or Private Educational Loan\*\***

(Please note: Post-Baccalaureate students are not eligible for Federal Direct Grad PLUS Loans)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL ANTICIPATED FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES**

**SUBTOTAL F**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

IF SUBTOTAL F IS LESS THAN SUBTOTAL E, THEN YOU MUST INCREASE THE RESOURCES IN STEP 6 TO ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE ENOUGH TO COVER YOUR COST OF EDUCATION.

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