

Student Fees

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Students are charged tuition and mandatory student fees. This is an itemization of mandatory student fees which are comprised of new student fees, CUSG*-managed student fees, and FAB**-managed fees.

New Student Fee

The New Student Fee varies depending upon degree and international status as follows:

Entering freshmen & transfer undergraduate students ⁽¹⁺²⁺³⁺⁴⁺⁵⁾	\$182
Entering graduate students ⁽¹⁺²⁺³⁾	\$ 62
International undergraduate entering freshmen & transfer students ⁽¹⁺²⁺³⁺⁵⁺⁶⁺⁷⁾	\$500
International graduate entering students ⁽¹⁺²⁺³⁺⁸⁾	\$145

One-time, nonrefundable fee assessed at time of first registration for students entering a degree program. Nondegree students who are admitted to degree status are charged the new student fee at the time they first register. The fee covers:

⁽¹⁾ Buff OneCard	\$ 21
⁽²⁾ Immunization Management	\$ 6
⁽³⁾ Registration/Transcript type services	\$ 35
⁽⁴⁾ New Student Welcome Programs	\$ 50 (undergraduate domestic only)
⁽⁵⁾ Forever Buffs Alumni Membership	\$ 70 (undergraduates only)
⁽⁶⁾ International Undergraduate Orientation	\$ 50 (undergraduates internat'l only)
⁽⁷⁾ International Student Support Programs (Undergrad)	\$318 (international students only)
⁽⁸⁾ International Student Support Programs (Graduate)	\$ 83 (international students only)

Student Activity Fee – Summer Student Fee (CUSG-Managed)

Student fees are approved by vote of elected student representatives. All students are charged the CU Student Government (CUSG)-managed student fees at one of the following rates per semester, according to their enrollment:

Summer Session	Student Activity Fee
Session A, B, BS1, BS2, Independent Study	\$93.05
	\$15.00 Doctoral Students
Session C	\$148.88
	\$15.00 Doctoral Students
Session D and/or any combination of A, B, C, D, BS1, BS2	\$186.10
	\$15.00 Doctoral Students
Session E, F, G (Augmester), M (Maymester)	No fees charged. Except \$40 Immigration Compliance Fee (International Students only)

Payment of full CUSG student fees is mandatory for all students (except Grad status D in which case base fees are charged). For additional information please call (303)492-5381 or e-mail bursar@colorado.edu

Full CUSG student fees may only be waived due to extraordinary circumstances such as a medical condition. Petitions may be picked up and turned in at the CUSG office in UMC 125, and must include documentation of the reasons for waiving the fees.

Breakdown of Student Activity Fee

Center for Student Involvement	(6.85% of total)
A CU Student Government department where student groups and organizations can receive advising, financial guidance, programming and event support, and leadership development; coordinates programs and involvement opportunities to engage students in campus life; created in 2014 by combining the Student Organizations Finance Office (SOFO) with the Student Involvement, Activities and Leadership Development Office (SIALDO).	
CU Colleges and Schools	(1.12% of total)
Provides operating funds to individual college student governments.	
Cultural Events Board (CEB)	(2.76% of total)
Student-run organization dedicated to promoting cultural awareness on Boulder campus through wide variety of cultural programming since 1974. Student supported, administration and Board of Regents approved, 1974 to present.	
CU Student Government (CUSG)	(3.80% of total)

Makes policy and budget decisions, and is an advocate for students on campus, throughout the CU system, and at the state and national levels of government. Student run, Chancellor and Board of Regents approved

Distinguished Speakers Board (0.79% of total)
Obtains the highest caliber speakers who will intellectually stimulate the student body and surrounding community.

Environmental Center (6.49% of total)
Student-run resource center begun by students in 1970; promotes alternative transportation, water and energy conservation, and responsible resource use by all on campus; largest campus recycling operation in U.S.

KVCU Radio (0.82% of total)
Radio station serving campus and surrounding community; 24 hour news, weather, sports, and music; provides 100-150 volunteers with experience in radio, production, advertising, marketing, business, and management.

Legal Services (1.82% of total)
Provides direct legal services (i.e., counseling, document preparation, and in-court representation).

Off-Campus Housing and Neighborhood Relations (2.15% of total)
Maintains listings of rooms, houses, and apartments for rent in Boulder community, and lists of students looking for roommates; offers advice about leases, security deposits, how to avoid landlord tenant problems. Student supported, administration and Board of Regents approved.

Outdoor Recreation Facilities (3.61% of total)
Provides the necessary funding for improvements of outdoor recreation facilities.

Police Recharge (0.64% of total)
Payment to the CU Police Department for patrolling the UMC, Wardenburg Health Center, and the Student Recreation Center.

Recreation Center (27.54% of total)
Meets group and individual recreational needs of campus; jointly governed by CUSG and Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs.

Reusables (0.03% of total)
Cover costs for replacement of reusable dish ware used by Reusables/Zero-Waste Catering; established in spring 2014.

Small Cost Center Capital: renew/replace (0.12% of total)
For purchase and/or replacement of equipment for small cost centers.

Student Organization Allocations Committee (1.36% of total)
Viewpoint neutral funding board for student groups and events.

Uncollectible (0.09% of total)
Includes bad debt expenses.

University Memorial Center (UMC) (38.37% of total)
Provides central location for variety of educational and out-of classroom activities; jointly governed by CUSG and Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs.

Volunteer Resource Center (1.65% of total)
Works as placement agency with nonprofit agencies in Boulder community, and with CUSG and student groups.

Student Activity Fee Total (see table to the left)

Breakdown of Base Fees

Charged to graduate status D students only. Base fee paying students are not allowed to use the Student Recreation Center unless a student affiliate fee is paid to the recreation center.

This fee is broken down as:

University Memorial Center Bond	(78% of total)
Recreation Center Fields Bond	(22% of total)

*CUSG – CU Student Government (<http://cusg.colorado.edu/>)

**FAB – Fee Advisory Board (<http://www.colorado.edu/pba/budget/tuitionfees/fab/>)

Student Fees (Fee Advisory Board-Managed)

Charged to CU Boulder main-campus students per semester according to enrollment.

Arts and Cultural Enrichment Fee \$10.00

Supports on-campus performing arts (theatre, dance, music, and fine arts); provides no-charge or reduced cost admission for students to museums, performances, etc.; student supported, mandated by Regents in June 1995.

Capital Construction Fee \$170.00

Charged to students taking seven or more credit hours; \$85.00 is charged for students taking six or fewer credit hours; supports five capital construction projects; 20 percent will be allocated to need-based financial aid. Student bill passed in 2004. Began in fall 2006.

Immigration Compliance Fee \$40.00

Charged to international students; funds mandatory federal compliance reporting approved by Regents in 2003.

Mental Health Resource Fee \$13.00

Charged to all undergraduate and graduate students (except status D). This fee provides six mental health visits through Wardenburg Health Services including individual counseling, group therapy, and medication management.

\$0 for Graduate status D students

\$6.50 for enrollment in Session A, B, BS1, BS2, Independent Study

\$10.50 for enrollment in Session C

\$13.00 for enrollment in Session D and/or any combination of A, B, C, D, BS1, BS2

Recreation Center Expansion Fee \$66.64

Charged to all undergraduate and graduate students (except status D). This fee was voted on and passed by the student body in 2011 to support the Recreation Center expansion.

Paying the full Fall/Spring Student Fee as well as the full Rec Center Expansion Fee gives students access to the on-campus recreation center at no additional cost. The rec center houses state-of-the-art cardio equipment, aerobic studio, indoor climbing wall, free-weight room, pool, ice arena, indoor running track and much more.

\$0 for Graduate status D students

\$33.32 for enrollment in Session A, B, BS1, BS2, Independent Study

\$53.31 for enrollment in Session C

\$66.64 for enrollment in Session D and/or any combination of A, B, C, D, BS1, BS2

Student Bus and Bike Programs \$85.00

Allows students unlimited use of public transportation (RTD) in Boulder County, Broomfield, Westminster, and Denver including to DIA, Rockies Ride, and Buffs Ride; includes Broncos Ride or other special event rides. Fee supports Night Hop Shuttle – connecting Hill Area to downtown Boulder, Day Hop, Stampede, Skip and others. Student initiated and approved by Administration and Regents in 1991.

Student Computing Fee \$67.24

Used for building, maintaining, expanding, and updating computing labs; provides all students with access to e-mail and the Internet, etc.; supported by students and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and approved by Regents in 1990.

\$33.62 for enrollment in 6 or fewer credit hours

\$67.24 for enrollment in 7 or more

Student Health Fee \$52.00

Charged to all undergraduate and graduate students (except status D). This fee partially supports the operations of Wardenburg Health Center as well as campus-wide public health efforts such as emergency planning, infection surveillance, immunization compliance, and health education. This fee also provides access to all services at the health center as well as free services including flu shots, injury screening, and nutrition consultation.

\$0 for Graduate status D students

\$26 for enrollment in Session A, B, BS1, BS2, Independent Study

\$42 for enrollment in Session C

\$52 for enrollment in Session D and/or any combination of A, B, C, D, BS1, BS2

Student Information System Fee \$7.00

For maintenance of the three-campus student online computer systems; each campus contributes to its support approved by Administration and Regents in 1984.