

HLC Accreditation Evidence

Cost of Attendance

URL: https://docs.bartonccc.edu/finaid/FA%20Docume nts/2223%20Documents/coa2223.xlsx

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** Barton's standard budget components (tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board, personal expenses, and transportation expenses) for full-time students is based upon the national average as determine by The College Board's survey of Trends in College Pricing for 2020 which can be accessed at the link below. College Board's Trends in Pricing for 2021-2022

** Residency costs for on-campus, off-campus, or with a relative are averaged to alleviate the need for multiple buidgets for residents and non-residents.

- ** Initial awards are based on a full time, Fall/Spring budget and will be adjusted as the student's enrollment requires. The student's budget is based upon the student's actual enrollment status (e.g. full-time, half-time, etc.) during each semester.
- ** Initial awards are based on a 15 week semester. The student's actual budget will be adjusted depending on weeks beyond or less than a 15 week semester. Components adjusted for this include Room & Board, Personal Expenses and Transportation Expenses.
- ** On a case-by-case basis, if it is determined through the financial aid verification process that any of the COA components are paid for by a 3rd party, the COA will be adjusted to reflect only those expenses that the student is responsible for during their enrollment period.
- ** Non-standard budget components may be added to the Cost of Attendance if the student has additional educationally-related expenses. The follow are considered non-Standard budge components:
 - 1. Loan fees are based upon the actual origination fee assessed by the lender.
 - 2. Child/Elder care is added on a case-by-case basis. Students must identify this when they accept their student loan.
 - 3. ADA expenses are added to the COA on a case-by-case basis and must be supported by documentation. Students must inform their Financial Aid Officer they have these special expenses and provide supporting documentation.
 - 4. The MLT and Nursing programs have special expenses unique to those programs. Students in either of these programs as identified by the MLT and Nursing departments will have added these special expenses added.
 - 5. Students in the Natural Gas Program who have additional tool expenses.
 - 6. Students in the Welding program who have additional tool expenses.
- ** If the estimated expenses of the COA is not reflective of the student's actual expense, the student may request an adjusment of the COA by contacting his or her Financial Aid Officer. The COA my be adjusted on a case-by-case basis upon submission of documentation showing justification.

** Starting July 1, 2010, federal regulations require the Financial Aid Office reduce the Room & Board allowance if the student is receiving a BAH housing allowance.

Full-Time Budget	Three-Quarter Time Budget	Half Time Budget	Less Than Half Time Budge
Summer Budget	Fall/Summer Spring/Summer Budg	12 Month In-State Budget	Non-Standard Budget Corr

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