

# CMU Enrollment Bulletin

## Cost of Attendance

Taking a closer look at the value of a CMU education.

Undergraduate tuition, fees, living expenses (housing and food), books and supplies, and estimated miscellaneous expenses create the cost of attendance.

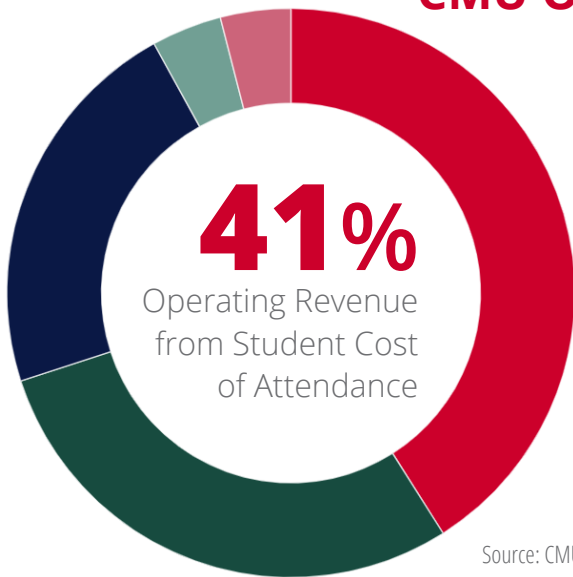
Carnegie Mellon is committed to making an education accessible for students from all socio-economic backgrounds by applying \$124.8 million of CMU dollars (in 2022-2023) for need-based financial aid.

*Where do my tuition dollars go?*



### CMU Operating Revenue/Support (Unrestricted FY 2023)

About 41% of the university's billion+-dollar operating revenue is provided by undergraduate and graduate tuition and auxiliary services (primarily housing and dining). The other major source of revenue is research.



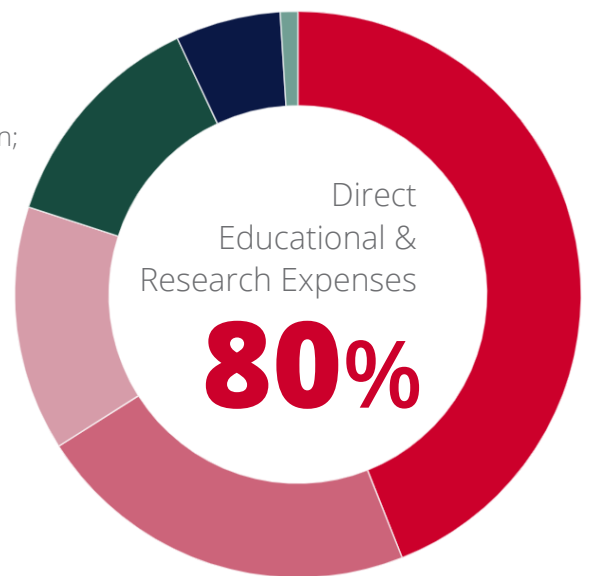
- 41% Tuition & Other Fees (Net of Financial Aid)
- 29% Sponsored Projects
- 4% Auxiliary Services (Housing & Dining)
- 22% Investment Income & Contributions
- 4% Other & Net Assets

Source: CMU Finance Division Annual Report, 2023

### CMU Core Expenses (FY 2023)

CMU spends roughly 44% of its core operating expenses on instruction; when added to research and academic support, you find that a little over 80% of these expenses go directly toward educational services for students. That's a good return on investment.

- 44% Instruction
- 22% Research
- 14% Academic Support
- 13% Institutional Support
- 6% Student Services
- 1% Other



Source: CMU Finance Division

# 2024-2025 Undergraduate Tuition, Fees & Living Expenses

The rates below reflect first-year undergraduate students living on-campus in a CMU residence hall. Fees and other expenses vary for returning undergraduates, commuters and students living off campus. Health insurance coverage is also required. For all cost of attendance scenarios, see the Student Financial Services website at [www.cmu.edu/sfs/tuition](http://www.cmu.edu/sfs/tuition).

## Undergraduate Cost of Attendance

Tuition	\$64,596
Housing	10,816
Food	7,350
First-Year Experience Fee	610
Technology Fee	470
Student Activities Fee	308
Transportation Fee	262
Books/Supplies & Miscellaneous	2,400
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$86,812</b>

