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North Dakota State College of Science

**Enrollment Services
Financial Aid Office**



FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

2022-2023

***Congratulations on your decision
to attend North Dakota State
College of Science!***

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FINANCIAL AID AWARD NOTICE:

1. Go to [CampusConnection](#) Portal Link, login using your USERID and password, once logged on, Financial Aid Tile > accept/decline awards
2. Review [Satisfactory Progress Standards](#) Link
3. First-time loan borrowers, complete Entrance Counseling and Complete Master promissory note online at [Studentaid.gov](#) as soon as possible.

2022-2023 ESTIMATED AVERAGE YEARLY COSTS

Residency	Tuition/ Fees*	Room/ Board	Books/ Supplies	Personal**	Total
North Dakota or any student living on-campus with meal plan of 160 meals or greater	\$5,880	\$6,870	\$1,000	\$3,400	\$17,150
MN with Reciprocity	\$6,479	\$6,870	\$1,000	\$3,401	\$17,750
U.S. Resident	\$6,879	\$6,870	\$1,000	\$3,401	\$18,150
International	\$9,626	\$6,870	\$1,000	\$3,404	\$20,900
At Home (Living with Parents)					
North Dakota	\$5,880	\$3,335	\$1,000	\$3,400	\$13,715
MN with Reciprocity	\$6,479	\$3,335	\$1,000	\$3,401	\$14,315
U.S. Resident	\$6,879	\$3,335	\$1,000	\$3,401	\$14,715

Programs (1=1st year and 2=2nd year) with additional costs (ex. Instructional fees, Tools, Computer, uniforms, etc.), add this amount to your Estimated Average Costs:

Agriculture (1)	\$1718	Health Information -Medical Coding	\$1,132
Agriculture (2)	\$358	HVAC/R (1)	\$5,844
Architectural Modeling & Design Technology (1)	\$2,644	HVAC/R (2)	\$1,110
Architectural Modeling & Design Technology (2)	\$3,802	Information and Communication Technology (1)	\$3,122
Auto Body Repair & Refinishing Technology (1)	\$6,970	Information and Communication Technology (2)	\$570
Auto Body Repair & Refinishing Technology (2)	\$1,000	John Deere Technology (1)	\$10,316
Automotive Technology (1)	\$11,472	John Deere Technology (2)	\$962
Automotive Technology (2)	\$1,060	Land Surveying & Civil Engineering Technology (1)	\$2,682
Autonomous System Technician	\$1,608	Land Surveying & Civil Engineering Technology (2)	\$816
Building Construction (1)	\$3,466	Liberal Arts (1)	\$398
Building Construction (2)	\$388	Liberal Arts (2)	\$434
Business (1)	\$1,756	Meat Processing	\$1,562
Business (2)	\$562	Mechanical Systems (1)	\$884
Caterpillar (1)	\$10,360	Mechanical Systems (2)	\$760
Caterpillar (2)	\$1,090	Occupational Therapy Assistant (1)	\$1,046
Construction Management Technology (1)	\$2,672	Occupational Therapy Assistant (2)	\$1,200
Construction Management Technology (2)	\$404	Pathway - On Campus	\$6,010
Culinary Arts (1)	\$1,142	Pathway - At Home	\$4,270
Culinary Arts (2)	\$726	Pharmacy Technician (1)	\$472
Dental Assisting (1)	\$4,706	Pharmacy Technician (2)	\$1,424
Dental Hygiene (1)	\$7,466	Pharmacy Technician (Certificate)	\$1,592
Dental Hygiene (2)	\$4,706	Plumbing	\$1,842
Diesel Technology (1)	\$10,340	Powersports Technology (1)	\$8,808
Diesel Technology (2)	\$1,004	Powersports Technology (2)	\$1,038
Diesel Technology (Case IH) (1)	\$10,424	Practical Nursing (1)	\$2,362
Diesel Technology (Case IH) (2)	\$1,076	Practical Nursing (2)	\$4,554
Diesel Technology (Komatsu) (1)	\$10,374	Precision Machining Technology (1)	\$5,948
Diesel Technology (Komatsu) (2)	\$1,046	Precision Machining Technology (2)	\$900
Electrical Technology (1)	\$2,990	Registered Nursing (AAS) (1)	\$2,344
Electrical Technology (2)	\$964	Registered Nursing (AAS) (2)	\$5,024
EMS - Paramedic (EMT) (1)	\$1,364	Registered Nursing (ASN) (1)	\$3,370
EMS - Paramedic (EMT) (2)	\$4,160	Robotics Automation & Mechatronics Technology (1)	\$2,652
EMS Paramedic (Certificate)	\$4,514	Robotics Automation & Mechatronics Technology (2)	\$908
Emergency Medical Technician (Certificate)	\$4,160	Unmanned Aircraft Systems	\$1,336
Health Information Technician (1)	\$1,072	Welding Technology (1)	\$4,240
Health Information Technician (2)	\$910	Welding Technology (2)	\$976

The above amounts are estimates and are subject to change. Actual expenses will vary depending on student program, credits, and living arrangements. Books, supplies & tools do not have to be purchased at the NDSCS bookstore. For a complete tool listing, contact the NDSCS bookstore. If you have unusual costs, please contact the Financial Aid Office at 1-800-342-4325.

*The amount for fees is \$884 for all states. The remainder is tuition for an average of 16 credits each semester.

¹U.S. Resident: U.S. citizens or citizens of the Canadian provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan ²International: Citizens of another country excluding Canadian provinces of Manitoba & Saskatchewan

OTHER SOURCES FOR AID: SCHOLARSHIPS

NDSCS Scholarships: North Dakota State College of Science has over 160 separate scholarships, and each year, awards scholarships to over 700 students (incoming and returning). Strong academic performance and meeting the application deadline play important roles in qualifying for an NDSCS scholarship. Scholarships for the 2022-2023 academic year have already been awarded. Deadline for the 2023-2024 academic year is October 1, 2022. The scholarship application is part of the admissions application or available online [here](#).

Other Scholarships: There are a number of places to search outside scholarships...your high school counselor, local library, regional organizations and employers, hometown banks, etc. The Internet is also a powerful search tool.

Check-out these sites:

www.collegeboard.com

www.fastweb.com

www.finaid.org

www.scholarships.com

WATCH OUT FOR SCAMS!

Be wary of scholarship searches that charge a fee, and scholarships that are "guaranteed" or require credit card/checking account information.

OTHER SOURCES FOR AID: WILL YOU NEED AN ALTERNATIVE LOAN?

This worksheet will estimate your direct and indirect education expenses, and the financial resources available to you to cover these costs. Use page 2 of this booklet to determine your Direct Expenses. Prior to the beginning of each semester, you may view your actual costs by logging into [CampusConnection](#).

Education Expenses for the Year

DIRECT EXPENSES

Tuition & Fees	\$ _____
Room (on-campus)	\$ _____
Meal Plan (if applicable)	\$ _____
Books	\$ _____
Program Costs	\$ _____
Total Direct Expenses	\$ _____

INDIRECT EXPENSES

Rent (off-campus)	\$ _____
Meals (off-campus)	\$ _____
Personal	\$ _____
Total Indirect Expenses	\$ _____
Total Direct & Indirect	\$ _____

Financial Resources for the Year

YOU

Savings	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ _____
Job Earnings	\$ _____

YOUR FAMILY

Savings	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ _____
Investments	\$ _____
Parent Income	\$ _____

Financial Aid Offered	\$ _____
Any Other Aid/Support	\$ _____
Total Financial Resources	\$ _____

If your Direct & Indirect Expenses are more than your Financial Resources:

1. Review the online Alternative Loan Programs page by click [here](#).
2. Complete the loan application (online or paper). Please note: using a credit-worthy co-signer may drastically reduce your loan interest rate.
3. The loan lender will **contact you directly when the loan is approved, and give you estimated disbursement dates**. If you attend Fall and Spring semesters, half of the loan funds will be distributed Fall and the remaining half will be distributed Spring.

DIRECT LOAN INFORMATION

- **Federal Direct Stafford Loans may be subsidized or unsubsidized.** Loan repayment begins six months after you have graduated or left college. If you were offered a:

Federal Direct Stafford Loan - this loan is subsidized; the government will pay the interest on this loan while you are enrolled in college and during the 6-month grace period.

Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan - this loan is unsubsidized; you may pay the interest on this loan, or have the interest added to the principal of the loan.

- **If you decline your loan(s)** now or later change your mind about borrowing, contact the Financial Aid Office and we will assist you.
- The Federal Direct Student loan interest rate is 4.99%.

Students may borrow up to \$5,500 per year until they have completed 30 credits. After that, students may borrow up to \$6,500 each year.

Independent students may borrow an additional \$4,000 per year unsubsidized (not interest free).

To be considered “**independent**” at least one of the seven following descriptions must apply to you:

- you were born before January 1, 1999,
- you are married,
- you have dependents for whom you provide over 50% of their support,
- you are a military veteran,
- you are homeless as determined by a state agency
- you are an orphan/ward of the court, or
- you already have a Bachelor’s Degree.

If none of these seven items apply to you, you are not considered “independent.”

- **If this is your first Direct Loan:** After you have accepted your loan, you will need to complete your Master Promissory Note electronically on the web at www.studentaid.gov If you do not complete a Master Promissory Note, you will not receive any loan funds.
- **Complete Entrance Counseling on the web** at www.studentaid.gov as soon as possible. If you do not complete Entrance Counseling, you will not receive any loan funds.

REMEMBER...

- Go online to accept, revise or decline your awards.
- Complete and sign your master promissory note.
- Complete Entrance Counseling.

ONCE YOU ARE A STUDENT

- You will be allowed to charge at the campus bookstore, beginning in early August, provided you have enough financial aid to cover the cost of your books and supplies.
- Payment Due dates are the following days:
 - Fall Semester - September 7
 - Spring Semester - January 25
 - Summer Semester - June 14

If you have financial aid that exceeds the amount on your bill, you will be presented with a check or funds will be direct deposited; if your financial aid is less, you may pay the difference by check, credit/debit card, or cash.

- In order to continue to receive financial aid from one semester to the next, you must achieve term and cumulative GPA including all transfer credits of at least a 1.5 by the end of your first semester, 1.75 by the end of your second semester, 1.86 by the end of your third semester, and a 2.0 thereafter. Also, you must successfully complete at least 67% of all the credits that you attempt both for the term and cumulatively.
- Tax Credits - 1098-T statements will be available online through CampusConnection beginning January 31.

NDSCS Office of Financial Aid

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Locally: 671-2207
Fax: 701-671-2482

Website: <https://www.ndscs.edu/paying-college/financial-aid>

Email: NDSCS.Fin.Aid@ndscs.edu

Office Hours

Academic Year

Monday thru Friday
7:45 am-4:45 pm (CST)

Summer

Monday thru Thursday
7:45 am-4:45 pm (CST)

Friday
7:45 am-3:00 pm (CST)

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What if I do not accept my award?

Your financial aid will not be processed (and will not credit your account).

What happens if I do not complete Entrance Counseling or Master Promissory Note?

If you do not complete Entrance Counseling and Master Promissory Note, your loan funds will not credit your account. Entrance Counseling and Master Promissory note can be completed online at www.studentaid.gov

What if I need to make arrangements to pay for college or have a question about my bill?

Please contact the Business Affairs Office at 800-342-4325 ext. 32216.

What happens if there is a considerable change in my or my family's income?

Please contact the Financial Aid Office at 800/342-4325 ext. 32207 or print a Special Circumstance form from the web by clicking [here](#)

What if I am an online student and will not be present on-campus for Semester Payment Due Days?

Please contact the Business Affairs Office at 800-342-4325 ext. 32216.

What about Summer 2022 Financial Aid?

A 2021-2022 FAFSA filed before June 30, 2022 and after you register for summer term (for at least 6 credits), you must complete a Summer Financial Aid Form, available under the NDSCS eForms tile on the CampusConnection.

