

Estimated 25-26 Cost of Attendance Graduate, **Out-of-State** *Northern Virginia Region Campus*

The Cost of Attendance (COA) below represents an estimate of the total cost of attend Virginia Tech for one academic year (Fall & Spring).

Direct Cost

An estimate of the charges that will appear on the billing statement.

Indirect Cost

An estimate of the out-of-pocket expenses a student may have but does not pay for directly on the bill. These vary by student!

There may be differences between your actual charges and these estimates!

Tuition \$34,916

Fees \$1,266

Total Direct Cost \$36,182

Housing \$19,800

Food \$4,296

Course Materials \$1,120

Personal \$4,130

Transportation \$3,286

Direct Cost + Indirect Cost = Total COA \$68,814
Cost of Attendance

The COA for first time graduate students include a computer budget of \$2,150, or \$3,140, depending on the program. Students that use Federal Student Loans to help cover their costs will see a \$200 direct loan fee budget item. Most graduate students that complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), qualify for an **Unsubsidized Direct Loan** of \$20,500. Additional funding, up to the full COA, minus other financial aid, can be obtained through a **Graduate PLUS Loan**. **Graduate Assistantships** are considered other sources of financial aid and can reduce initial loan amounts!