The above Estimated Cost-of-Attendance (COA)/Budget represents the estimated total cost to attend Virginia Tech for one academic year.

There can be differences between your actual charges and these estimates based on fees specific to certain Colleges or Majors.

Books, Transportation, and Personal expenses are variable, out-of-pocket costs that will not be included on your billing statement. These charges will vary by student. Loan fees are the average amount of loan fees incurred by all students for Federal Direct Loan funds during the 2021-22 academic year.

Most graduate students that complete a FAFSA are eligible for an Unsubsidized Direct Loan of $20,500 per year. Additional funding, up to the full COA less other financial aid can be obtained through Graduate PLUS Loans. Graduate Assistantships are considered other sources of financial aid and can reduce initial loan awards. If not attending full time, we will prorate this budget based on enrollment.