# KCU COST OF ATTENDANCE

2024-2025 3RD YEAR COM STUDENTS

# **BILLABLE COSTS**

Tuition and Required Fees are the only two items you'll be billed for directly by KCU. All other fees are estimates of your other expenses based on student surveys and cost of living indexes.

# LIVING EXPENSES

Living expenses include Housing, Food, Personal/Medical Expenses, and Transportation. Living Expenses per month:**\$3,180** Living Expenses total: **\$38,160** 

## FEDERAL LOAN LIMIT

The Direct Unsubsidized loan limit for a third year student is **\$47,167**. Students may apply for a Grad PLUS Loan which could cover the remaining Cost of Attendance, if necessary.

# FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid is assistance for most education related expenses. It cannot cover every expense a student might incur during their educational program.

# Cost of Attendance (Based on a 12 month academic year)

BUDGET ITEM	COST PER TERM	YEARLY COST
Tuition	\$27,927	\$55,854
Required Fees Activity (\$70) & Technology (\$150)	\$110	\$220
Books, Course Materials, Supplies, and Equipment	\$50	\$100
Additional Expenses (COMLEX Step 2 CE=\$716)	\$358	\$716
Clerkship Allowance (see box below)	\$1,769	\$3,538
Housing and Food*	\$12,840	\$25,680
Personal/Medical	\$3,240	\$6,480
Transportation Costs	\$3,000	\$6,000
Loan Fees	\$906	\$1,812
TOTALS	\$50,200	\$100,400

\*Cost of Attendance for students living with parent does not include money for rent/mortgage or most utilities.

#### **COMLEX FEES FOR LEVEL 2**



In the third year, your maximum financial aid eligibility includes the fees for the COMLEX Level 2 exam! If you know you'll need help with that fee be sure to take that cost into account when you accept the aid you need at the beginning of the year!

## **CLERKSHIP ALLOWANCE**



The Clerkship Allowance category helps account for additional expenses related to your clerkships. This could include travel costs, fees, or living expenses. This allowance is calculated at 11% of Housing/Food and Personal/Medical: \$25,680 + \$6,480 = \$32,160 \$32,160 x 11% = \$3,538

## AID FOR ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS



Students who are eligible for federal aid and enroll in the Bioethics or Global Health programs can receive additional Grad PLUS Loan eligibility to cover those costs. The Financial Aid Office emails applications for additional aid to students enrolled in those programs during the academic year.

# Monthly Living Expense Budget (COM 3rd Year Student)

HOUSING AND FOOD	1 MONTH	12 MONTHS
Rent/Mortgage** Food	\$1,300 \$566	\$15,600 \$6,792
Utilities - Electric/Water/Trash/Gas**	\$118	\$1,416
Utilities - Phone/Internet	\$118	\$1,416
Supplies/Other	\$38	\$456
Total	\$2,140	\$25,680
PERSONAL/MEDICAL	1 MONTH	12 MONTHS
Personal Care	\$38	\$456
Personal Property Insurance	\$33	\$396
Dental/Medical	\$59	\$708
Health Premiums Miscellaneous	\$330 \$46	\$3,960 \$552
Clothing/Laundry	\$34	\$409
Total	\$540	\$6,480
TRANSPORTATION	1 MONTH	12 MONTHS
Car Insurance	\$117	\$1,404
License/Registration	\$64	\$768
Gasoline	\$154	\$1,848
Repairs/Maintenance	\$128	\$1,536
Other Transportation Costs	\$37	\$444
Total	\$500	\$6,000
Total Living Expenses	\$3,180	\$38,160

Total includes expenses for students living on their own (see \*\* items above for figures to subtract if student is living with parent)