# KCU COST OF ATTENDANCE 2023-2024 COB STUDENTS (2ND YEAR)

# **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 and Food, Personal/Medical Expenses, and Transportation. Living expenses per month:\$2,816 Living expenses total: \$25,346

# **FEDERAL LOAN LIMIT**

The Direct Unsubsidized loan limit for a first year student is \$20,500. 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 9 month academic year)

BUDGET ITEM	COST PER TERM	YEARLY COST
Tuition	\$18,418	\$36,836
(Based on flat rate, 12+ hours)		
Required Fees	\$110	\$220
Activity (\$70) & Technology (\$150)		
Books, Course Materials,	\$637	\$1,274
Supplies, and Equipment		
Housing and Food	\$8,181	\$16,362
(Estimate based on shared rent with a roommate)		
Personal/Medical	\$2,300	\$4,600
Transportation Costs	\$2,192	\$4,384
Loan Fees	\$677	\$1,354
TOTALS	\$32,515	\$65,030

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



### WHAT TO EXPECT WITH FEDERAL LOANS

Students who can submit a FAFSA are usually eligible for two federal loans, the Unsubsidized and Grad PLUS Loan. The Grad PLUS Loan doesn't have an annual limit (see left) and can be offered up to the Cost of Attendance. However, the PLUS Loan has a higher interest rate, higher origination fee, and requires a credit check.



# **HOW TO RECEIVE ACCEPTED LOANS**

After receiving an aid offer, students must accept the Unsubsidized Loan in Workday. If the Grad PLUS Loan is also needed a Grad PLUS Application through StudentAid.gov will be required to accept it. Students must also complete required Master Promissory Notes and Entrance Counseling through StudentAid.gov before the loans can disburse.



# **BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS FOR COMPUTERS**

Students who purchase a computer for their program can be reimbursed in a Grad PLUS Loan for that amount (up to \$2,000) through a Budget Adjustment. Computer must meet KCU's technology guidelines, but the adjustment cannot be approved in the last semester the student's program.

# Monthly Living Expenses Budget (BioScience 2 Year Students)

HOUSING AND FOOD	1 MONTH	9 MONTHS
Rent/Mortgage** Food Utilities - Electric/Water/Trash/Gas** Utilities - Phone/Internet Supplies/Other Total	\$1,000 \$550 \$115 \$115 \$38 <b>\$1,818</b>	\$9,000 \$4,950 \$1,035 \$1,035 \$342 \$16,362
PERSONAL/MEDICAL	1 MONTH	9 MONTHS
Personal Care Personal Property Insurance Dental/Medical Health Premiums Miscellaneous Clothing/Laundry Total	\$37 \$32 \$40 \$324 \$45 \$33 \$511	\$333 \$288 \$360 \$2,916 \$405 \$298 \$4,600
TRANSPORTATION	1 MONTH	9 MONTHS
Car Insurance License/Registration Gasoline Repairs/Maintenance Other Transportation Costs Total	\$114 \$62 \$150 \$125 \$36 \$487	\$1,026 \$558 \$1,350 \$1,125 \$325 \$4,384
Total Living Expenses	\$2,816	\$25,346

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