

CENTER FOR STUDENT OPPORTUNITY

Off-Campus Study
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Cost Estimate Worksheet Washington, DC - Washington Media Institute

This form is used to help develop a financial plan. **The amounts listed are for estimating purposes only.** Actual amounts billed to your student account may vary due to personal selection and/or assignment and are subject to change without notice.

The estimated fees below are based on the program's published prices from Winter 2020. When the fees are added to a student's account, they will be adjusted to the program's updated prices.

Student Name: _____ Student ID: _____ A/C Term /Year of study: **Winter ~ 2021**
Approx. Program Dates: Approximately 16 weeks early January - late April

Estimated Program Fees invoiced to Alma College and added to your Alma College Student Account:

\$	_____	14,000	Program Provider Tuition
\$	_____	5,700	Washington Intern Student Housing (WISH) at Woodley Park. View the website for a listing of WISH's amenities. Meals are not included.
\$	_____	490	Alma College Off-Campus Study Administrative Fee
\$	_____	20,190	Estimated Fees

Additional Estimated Expenses listed below are paid out-of-pocket to service providers, travel agents, etc. Fill in the blanks with any required/optional expenses and personal spending to help complete an estimate of your financial costs.

\$	_____	2,800	Miscellaneous living expenses estimated at \$175/week, 16 weeks. This figure will vary based on a student's personal preference and spending habits. Expenses considered are food, course materials, supplies, cultural events, entertainment, laundry, living expenses, public transportation, taxis, etc. This budget takes into consideration food is purchased and prepared at home.	\$	_____	Books and academic materials
\$	_____	350	Transportation, round trip home to program:	\$	_____	Cell Phone/Communication/Internet Usage
\$	_____		Train travel at \$250 or airfare at \$400	\$	_____	Entertainment (museums and monument touring are free)
\$	_____			\$	_____	Incidentals
\$	_____			\$	_____	Laundry
\$	_____			\$	_____	Personal Expenses
\$	_____			\$	_____	Souvenirs
\$	_____			\$	_____	Transcript fee if program requires official Alma transcript(s)
\$	_____			\$	_____	Other (list)
\$	_____			\$	_____	Other (list)
\$	_____			\$	_____	Total of above to add to ESTIMATED TOTAL

\$ 23,340 ESTIMATED TOTAL

Students attending an off campus study program must take this form to the Financial Aid Office to be completed. While there, schedule an appointment with a representative to discuss your financial aid package. Once completed, the Coordinator of Financial Counseling in the Center for Student Opportunity can also provide financial advice.

TO BE COMPLETED BY FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

\$ _____ ** This is your financial aid award that will apply for Off-Campus Study for the above mentioned term:

\$	_____	State/Federal Grants	\$	_____	Other:
\$	_____	Student Loans	\$	_____	Other:
\$	_____	PLUS Loans	\$	_____	Other:

Potential eligible Venture Funds not included in Financial aid award total above \$ _____

Alma funds ineligible for Off-Campus Study and not included in Financial aid award total above \$ _____

**This award amount is a point-in-time estimate and subject to change based on Alma College receiving/processing your FAFSA information. Please note you will need to meet Federal and State FAFSA deadlines. Amounts may decrease due to changes in funding from Federal and State programs which is beyond the control of Alma College. Financial aid for Fall Term will be estimated over the summer, and can be viewed through the student portal.

I have reviewed & discussed the financial requirements with the above mentioned student and provided an estimated financial aid package.

Financial Aid Office signature: _____ Date: _____

I understand that it is in my best interest to verify my financial aid package prior to participating in the program.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

UPLOAD COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR OFF-CAMPUS STUDENT ACCOUNT