

Resident Undergraduate Tuition & Fees at Public Institutions in the WICHE Region

Academic Year Rates for Full-time Students (enrolled in 15 credit hours per semester or equivalent)

2-YEAR

State	Tuition and Fees				% Change		
	2010-11	2009-10	2005-06	2000-01	1-year	5-year	10-year
					2010-11 to 2009-10	2005-06 to 2010-11	2000-01 to 2010-11
Alaska	4,150	3,970	2,709	2,088	4.5%	53.2%	98.8%
Arizona	2,006	1,945	1,535	1,059	3.1%	30.7%	89.4%
California	780	780	780	330	0.0%	0.0%	136.4%
Colorado	3,091	2,802	2,334	1,532	10.3%	32.4%	101.8%
Hawaii	2,711	1,967	1,226	1,061	37.8%	121.2%	155.5%
Idaho	2,405	2,265	1,811	1,313	6.2%	32.8%	83.2%
Montana	3,267	3,233	2,846	2,088	1.1%	14.8%	56.5%
Dawson CC*	2,856	2,736	2,324	1,596	4.4%	22.9%	78.9%
Flathead Valley CC*	3,584	3,496	2,349	1,748	2.5%	52.6%	105.0%
Miles CC*	3,420	3,420	2,835	1,512	0.0%	20.6%	126.2%
MSU-Billings, COT	3,693	3,661	3,478	2,503	0.9%	6.2%	47.5%
MSU-Great Falls, COT	3,025	3,012	2,877	2,383	0.4%	5.1%	26.9%
Montana Tech, COT	3,128	3,128	2,936	2,220	0.0%	6.5%	40.9%
UM Helena, COT	3,061	3,061	2,874	2,293	0.0%	6.5%	33.5%
UM Missoula, COT	3,369	3,347	3,096	2,448	0.7%	8.8%	---
Nevada	2,243	2,010	1,643	1,395	11.6%	36.5%	60.8%
New Mexico	1,308	1,209	1,191	767	8.2%	9.9%	70.6%
North Dakota	3,833	3,808	3,202	1,954	0.6%	19.7%	96.1%
Oregon	3,720	3,567	2,980	1,831	4.3%	24.8%	103.2%
South Dakota	4,791	4,394	2,805	---	9.0%	70.8%	---
Utah	2,783	2,601	2,096	1,489	7.0%	32.8%	86.9%
Washington	3,355	3,116	2,583	1,734	7.7%	29.9%	93.5%
Wyoming	2,152	2,118	1,818	1,462	1.6%	18.4%	47.3%
WICHE Average	2,840	2,652	2,104	1,436	7.1%	35.0%	97.8%

*in-district

Ratio of Tuition & Fees to Median Household Income

State	2010-11	2009-10	2005-06	2000-01
Alaska	6.7%	6.4%	4.8%	4.0%
Arizona	4.4%	4.3%	3.4%	2.7%
California	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%	0.7%
Colorado	5.5%	5.0%	4.6%	3.2%
Hawaii	4.9%	3.5%	2.1%	2.1%
Idaho	5.1%	4.8%	4.1%	3.5%
Montana	8.1%	8.0%	7.6%	6.4%
Nevada	4.4%	3.9%	3.4%	3.0%
New Mexico	3.0%	2.8%	3.1%	2.2%
North Dakota	7.7%	7.6%	7.6%	5.4%
Oregon	7.6%	7.3%	6.7%	4.3%
South Dakota	10.5%	9.6%	6.5%	---
Utah	4.8%	4.4%	3.8%	3.1%
Washington	5.6%	5.2%	5.1%	4.1%
Wyoming	4.1%	4.0%	4.1%	3.7%
WICHE Average	5.6%	5.2%	4.6%	3.4%

Note: WICHE averages are calculated as a simple average of the 15 member states (i.e. an average of state rates, not individual institutional rates); 2009 median household incomes were used for 2010-11 and 2009-10

Source: Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, *Tuition and Fees in Public Higher Education in the West*. U.S. Census Bureau, *Table H-8: Median household income by state: 1984 to 2009*.