

Graduate School of
Professional Accounting
Financial Aid
Information

Class entering May 2024

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Overview



- Costs
- Basics of Financial Aid
- Tips
- FAQs Answered



Tuition Costs

Semester	Tuition
Summer 2024*	\$28,080
Fall 2024*	\$24,570
<i>Total**</i>	<i>\$52,650</i>

*based on 2023-24 rates; tuition and fees are subject to change for 2024-25 – rates will be finalized in April 2024

** Based on full-time Summer/Fall enrollment. Those transferring credits, or attending in a different pattern can reach out directly for a personalized breakdown



Costs Beyond Tuition



- Books
- Fees
- Health Insurance
- Housing/Living Expenses
- Meal Plan (if applicable)
- Transportation



Basics of Graduate Financial Aid

- File the FAFSA
 - Studentaid.gov
 - FSA ID
 - Northeastern University school code is 002199
- The FAFSA is academic year specific
 - Summer and Fall 2024 part of 2024-25 academic year in FAFSA
- Graduate students are independent by default
 - No parental information needed on FAFSA



Types of Aid Available

- **Institutional Scholarships**

- Departmental Scholarships

- Awarded by the Graduate School of Professional Accounting directly
 - Merit-based

- **Double Husky Scholarship**

- Available to alumni who have graduated with a Northeastern University degree
 - 25% Tuition Scholarship
 - Learn more about the Double Husky Scholarship:

<https://www.northeastern.edu/graduate/admissions-information/scholarships/double-husky-scholarship/>



Types of Aid Available (cont.)

- **Parent & Family Scholarship**

- Available to parents and siblings of current full-time Undergraduate Day students

- 25% Tuition Scholarship

- Learn more about the Parent & Family Scholarship here:

<https://www.northeastern.edu/graduate/admissions-information/scholarships/parent-and-family-scholarship>

- **Deloitte Foundation Accounting Scholars Program**

- <https://damore-mckim.northeastern.edu/deloitte-foundation-accounting-scholars-program/>

- **Outside Scholarships**

- <https://studentfinance.northeastern.edu/applying-for-aid/graduate/types-of-aid/>

- <https://www.thiswaytocpa.com/education/scholarship-search/>



Types of Aid Available (cont.)

- **Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan**

- Up to \$20,500 per academic year
- Interest rates fixed yearly. For current rates visit: <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/loans/interest-rates>
- Interest accrues while in school
- No credit check required

- **Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan**

- Can borrow up to Cost of Attendance less other aid
- Interest rates fixed yearly. For current rates visit: <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/loans/interest-rates>
- Interest accrues while in school
- Credit check required



Other Financing Options

- **Federal Work Study**

- Funding is not deducted from bill
- Student works and earns paycheck
- Work Study eligibility is need-based

- **Private Student Loans**

- Apply directly with lender
- Credit check required; interest rate based on credit history

- **Monthly Payment Plan**

- No interest payment plans, low sign-up fee
- Divides costs over a semester



Other Financing Options (cont.)



- **VA Benefits**

- Wide variety of options, including Post-9/11 GI Bill and Yellow Ribbon
- Certification process required
- For additional information please contact our Veteran Services team at nuvets@northeastern.edu



Tips for Navigating the Process

- Ask questions and don't make assumptions
- Use contact information that will likely be stable
 - Try not to use school emails that will shut down once you leave institution, or email addresses not regularly used
 - Most official emails will go to your Northeastern email address once you have one, so be sure to check it regularly
- Do your research
- Don't be afraid to ask for help



Student Financial Services Contact Information

Main Office

354 Richards Hall

studentfinance.northeastern.edu/

Financial Aid: 617.373.5899

gradsfs@northeastern.edu

Student Accounts: 617.373.2270

studentaccounts@northeastern.edu

Virtual Office Hours:

Weekdays 8:30am-4:30pm

Limited Walk-in Hours:

Monday 8:30am-7:00pm

Tuesday-Friday 8:30am-5:00pm

Book an appointment at

<https://service.northeastern.edu/appointments>





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