## CONTRA COSTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

# 2020-21 Student Cost of Attendance Budget

#### **Half-time Enrollment or More**

| Enrolled in 6 or More Units | Living w/Parent(s) | Living Off-Campus |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|                             | 2 semesters        | 2 semesters       |
| Fees                        | \$1,288            | \$1,288           |
| Books & Supplies            | \$1,080            | \$1,080           |
| Food & Housing              | \$10,098           | \$19,062          |
| Transportation              | \$1,080            | \$981             |
| Personal Expenses           | \$3,708            | \$4,347           |
| Total                       | \$17,254           | \$26,758          |

Academic Year Length: 2 semesters (9 months)

Resident Fees: Based on enrollment in 14 units per semester for average full-time enrolled student.

14 units x \$46 per unit = \$644

Enrollment fees for the fall 2020 and spring 2021 academic year = \$1,288

Other Fees Not Included:

Student Union Fee (DVC & LMC only) of \$1.00 per unit (\$10.00 maximum per academic year)

Student Activity Fee of \$5.00 per semester

Student Representation Fee of \$2.00 per primary term

These fees are NOT covered by the California College Promise Grant Program.

Non-Resident Tultion: Cost per unit in addition to Student Cost of Attendance (\$300)

**Books & Supplies:** Cost of books (\$594), educational supplies (\$135), course materials fees (\$171), and computer-related expenses (\$180).

Food & Housing: Allowance for rent, utilities, household supplies, food, snacks, and meals on campus.

**Transportation:** Represents allowance for student's transportation to and from classes and work (bus fare, gas, oil, tolls, parking, etc.) and travel to and from parents' residence. Does not include vehicle payments, insurance, repairs, or license fees.

Personal Expenses: Includes clothing, laundry and dry-cleaning, personal care, gifts, recreation, medical etc.

Loan Origination Fees: For student loan borrowers, the actual or average loan origination fees are added to the budget.

### **Less than Half-Time Enrollment**

| Enrolled in Less Than 6 Units | Living w/Parent(s) | Living Off-Campus |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|                               | 2 semesters        | 2 semesters       |
| Fees                          | \$460*             | \$460*            |
| Books & Supplies              | \$1,080            | \$1,080           |
| Transportation                | \$1,080            | \$981             |
| Total                         | \$2,620            | \$2,521           |

Per federal regulation, less than half-time student budget do not include the cost of food and housing and personal expenses.

## **Approved Budget Increase**

The standard student budget can be increased on a case-by-case basis for the following: the one-time purchase of a computer during a student's education within the Contra Costa Community College District; cost of dependent care while the student attends classes; special educational expenses for students with disabilities; certain vocational programs that require equipment, tools, uniforms, or supplies. Inquire with your campus financial aid office if you have these expenses. Verification may be required. Please note that no adjustments will be made to less than half-time budgets.

THE EXPENSE BUDGETS SHOWN ON THE TABLE COMPLY WITH CALIFORNIA STUDENT AID COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDED 2020-21 STUDENT BUDGET RANGES.

<sup>\*</sup>Calculated based on enrollment in 5 units per semester.