



Proposed Tuition Increase 2026-2027

Board of Trustees

March 18, 2026

General Student Fee Advisory Board

- 9 members (5 students, 4 staff)
- Co-Chaired by the ASUU student body president and AVP, Budget & Finance
- Oversees the process to establish, revise, maintain, or repeal general student fees and make a recommendation to the University of Utah Board of Trustees
- Reviewed all 10 existing fees
- No new fees were requested

Recommendation for 2026-2027

GENERAL STUDENT FEE	SEMESTER RATE	ANNUAL RATE	%	CHANGE	NEW SEMESTER RATE	NEW ANNUAL RATE
Athletic	\$82.69	\$165.38	14.9%		\$82.69	\$165.38
ASUU Activity	\$23.70	\$47.40	4.3%		\$23.70	\$47.40
Building	\$119.24	\$238.48	21.5%		\$119.24	\$238.48
Campus Recreation	\$18.81	\$37.62	3.4%		\$18.81	\$37.62
Computing	\$119.45	\$238.90	21.5%	-10%	\$107.51	\$215.01
Fine Arts	\$18.50	\$37.00	3.3%		\$18.50	\$37.00
Gardner Commons	\$45.00	\$90.00	8.1%		\$45.00	\$90.00
Student Life Center	\$60.00	\$120.00	10.8%		\$60.00	\$120.00
Student Media	\$9.00	\$18.00	1.6%		\$9.00	\$18.00
Transportation	\$58.35	\$116.70	10.5%		\$58.35	\$116.70
Total	\$554.74	\$1,109.48	100%		\$542.80	\$1,085.59

BASED ON 15 CREDIT HOURS

Truth in Tuition



Proposed 2026-27 Tuition

3.5%

INCREASE IN TUITION

Proposed Expenses to Cover

DESCRIPTION	TUITION % INCREASE	TUITION \$ INCREASE	ROLLING % INCREASE	ROLLING \$ INCREASE
2.50% Compensation Increase	0.87%	4,204,200	0.87%	4,204,200
Health & Dental Insurance	0.58%	2,792,300	1.45%	6,996,500
Internal Service Funds	0.00%	20,700	1.45%	7,017,200
SB 8 Compensation Adjustments	0.06%	300,033	1.51%	7,317,233
Faculty Salary Adjustments for Inflation, Promotion, and Retention	1.98%	9,600,000	3.50%	16,917,233
Total	3.50%	16,917,233		

Tuition Requests for Academic Year 2026-27

Undergraduate

COLLEGE	PROGRAM MODALITY	TUITION SCHEDULE DESCRIPTION	25-26 RATE	26-27 RATE	\$ CHANGE	% CHANGE
Architecture	In-person	Undergraduate Differential	\$68.80	\$75.68	\$6.88	10.00%

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Graduate

COLLEGE	PROGRAM MODALITY	TUITION SCHEDULE DESCRIPTION	25-26 RATE	26-27 RATE	\$ CHANGE	% CHANGE
Business	Online/ In-person	Masters of Business Creation (MBC)	\$550.00	\$833.33	\$283.33	51.5%
Education	In-person	Educational Psychology Graduate Programs	\$72.22	\$115.00	\$42.78	59.24%
Engineering	Online	MS in Construction Engineering (Certificates)	\$0.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,300.00	New
Health	Hybrid	Master of Athletic Training	\$0.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	New

How Increases are Used

Tuition increases are used to support student success and completion rates.

- Cover the university's required legislative match for compensation increases, dental and medical benefits, and insurance and liability
- Address faculty promotion and retention
- Support student services
- Respond to unforeseen increases in operational costs due to rapid inflation

Tuition & Fee Approval

Final tuition and student fee recommendations will be made at the University of Utah Board of Trustees meeting in March.

Approval of requests will be made by the Utah Board of Higher Education on March 27, 2026.

A wide-angle, low-perspective shot of a modern cable-stayed bridge. The bridge has a prominent white pylon with multiple stay cables. A person with a backpack is walking away from the camera on the left side of the bridge. A cyclist is riding away from the camera on the right side. The bridge has white railings and a dark asphalt surface. In the background, there are buildings and mountains under a clear blue sky. The word "Questions?" is overlaid in large white text at the bottom center.

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