

COST OF ATTENDANCE



Sturm College of Law
UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

2025-2026

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The cost of attendance is an estimate of the costs you may incur during the nine-month academic year. You can receive financial aid (scholarships, grants, loans and work study) up to the cost of attendance.

	FULL-TIME PROGRAM (based on 15 credits/sem)	PART-TIME PROGRAM (based on 11 credits/sem)
DIRECT COSTS: (billed by Denver Law)		
Tuition (\$2,113/credit)	\$63,390	\$46,486
Fees ¹	\$332	\$272
Health Insurance ²	\$3,980	\$3,980
Health/Couns. Fee ³	\$750	\$750
Subtotal	\$68,452	\$51,488
	+	+
INDIRECT COSTS: (not billed by Denver Law)		
Books	\$1,000	\$1,000
Room & Board	\$19,116	\$19,116
Transportation	\$1,418	\$1,418
Personal Expenses	\$1,746	\$1,746
Subtotal	\$23,280	\$23,280
	+	+
Stafford Loan Fees ⁴	\$217	\$217
Cost of Attendance	\$91,949	\$74,985

¹Additional fee not included in the above cost of attendance: Loan Repayment Assistance Program Fee - \$90 (first semester only)

²Health insurance is required to attend Denver Law; you can waive the university's coverage if you have your own. The cost above is for 12 months of coverage (Aug. 1 to July 31).

³The Health and Counseling Fee (HCF) is not an insurance plan but rather a required fee granting students access to the on-campus Health and Counseling Center. This fee cannot be waived.

⁴An origination fee is deducted from all disbursements of Direct Unsubsidized (1.057% fee) and Graduate PLUS Loans (4.228% fee). The amount above is the average fee paid by students borrowing an Unsubsidized Loan. Actual fees will vary based on amount borrowed.

FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE

Scholarships: All scholarship aid awarded by Denver Law is merit-based. We do not award need-based grants. Scholarships range from \$24,000 to full-tuition for full-time students and \$18,000 to full-tuition for part-time students and are renewable provided you maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA. All students are automatically considered for most merit aid. Scholarships are awarded on a rolling basis until funds are exhausted, so apply early to ensure that funds are available.

Chancellor's Scholarship: The Chancellor's Scholarship is the one scholarship for which you must apply. This full-tuition scholarship is awarded to students with a history of excellence in academics and public service who intend to pursue public interest law careers. To be considered, you must apply on our website by **January 17th**.

Federal Financial Aid: Federal grant aid is not available to law students. Nearly all federal aid that is awarded is in the form of federal loans. To be considered for federal aid, you must file the FAFSA annually at www.studentaid.gov. The priority deadline to file your FAFSA is January 15.

Military Benefits/Yellow Ribbon Program: For those utilizing Chapter 33 Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits with 100% eligibility, the Sturm College of Law, the University of Denver, and the VA will cover tuition costs over the GI Bill tuition and fees cap each academic year, making us a fully-funded Yellow Ribbon institution. There is no application for the Yellow Ribbon program. It is an automatic benefit for those who qualify. More information can be found on the Registrar's webpage: <https://www.du.edu/registrar/other-student-services/military-education-programs/gi-bill>

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