



Running Start

Cost of Attendance

The maximum number of credits paid by Running Start is based on high school enrollment. Below is a general guideline. A detailed breakdown (by minutes) is listed on the Enrollment Verification Form.

Number of classes enrolled in high school per semester = Number of allowable credits covered by Running Start

0-1 high school classes	15 credits allowed at the college
2 high school classes	12 credits allowed at the college
3 high school classes	9 credits allowed at the college
4 high school classes	6 credits allowed at the college
5 high school classes	3 credits allowed at the college

1. Students are responsible for the following expenses:
 - All non-tuition costs [i.e. books, supplies, mandatory fees (Technology fees, eLearning fee for online/hybrid courses, Classroom/Lab fees)]
 - [Tuition](#) in excess of the allowable credits based on the number of courses enrolled at high school
 - **Full tuition for any course below 100 level; or offered during PreFall Session**
 - [Tuition rates available on Cascadia's Paying for College Webpage](#)
 - Quarterly Student Activity Center Building Fee (**beginning Fall 2015**)
 - Transportation and parking expenses
2. There is a Running Start Fee Waiver available for the state mandated fees. Forms are available on the college website (search Running Start Fee Waiver Form) or in the Running Start Office.

To be eligible for the waiver, you must qualify by one of the three options below:

- Applied for and received notification that you have been deemed eligible for the Free or Reduced-Meals Program within the last five years. A letter from the school district's Food Services Department/Lunch Program Office stating eligibility for the Free or Reduced-Meal Program will be required and must be submitted with the Running Start Fee Waiver Form.

- Currently receiving public assistance from a state or federal program. A copy of a Medical Identification Card (medical coupon), a TANF benefits statement, or a Basic Food statement listing the student's name will be required and must be submitted with the Running Start Fee Waiver Form. The student's name must appear on the documentation provided.
- Is a Foster Youth and the student must provide a signed statement from your caseworker as required documentation attached to the Running Start Fee Waiver Form. The documentation must be on official letterhead.

The following are covered by the Running Start Fee Waiver: Fee Rates Available on Cascadia's Paying for College Webpage	
Technology fee	The student body voted to assess this fee to provide email accounts, discounted Microsoft software, network storage, and regularly updated hardware and software.
Computer and technology lab	This fee is charged in addition to tuition for classes that place a high demand on computer and/or technology resources.
Intensive computer and technology lab	This fee is charged in addition to tuition for classes that involve use of advanced technology or require extraordinary technical support.
eLearning, online	For online and hybrid classes.
Quarterly Student Activity Center Building Fee (beginning Fall 2015)	The Student Activities Center is a joint effort between UWB and Cascadia students to provide space for student leadership and clubs, fitness and recreation, casual study, and a multi-purpose room/events center. This facility will be operated and used jointly by UWB and CCC students.

The following are not covered by the Running Start Fee Waiver: Fee Rates Available on Cascadia's Paying for College Webpage
Art Lab
Art 240
Human Anatomy Lab
Human Physiology
Math Supply
Microbiology Lab
Miscellaneous Intensive Supply
Science Lab
World Languages Lab