



Ole Miss[®]

**YOU HAVE A LEGACY TO LEAD.
THIS IS WHERE IT BEGINS.**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

A University of Mississippi education is an exceptional investment in your future. The Office of Financial Aid at Ole Miss can provide all of the information you need to understand the various financial aid programs available.



Types of Aid

An Ole Miss degree is a great value, and we offer many financing options to get you there! Financial Aid is money that can help you pay for college. This money can come from the U.S. Department of Education, the state where you live, outside organizations, or Ole Miss. The Office of Financial Aid is here to guide you. Understanding the various types of aid will jump-start your financial plan.

Scholarships

FREE MONEY! Scholarships are awarded based on different factors including merit, financial need, and talent in areas such as academics, athletics, and music.

Grants

ALSO FREE MONEY! They usually require a demonstration of financial need, and are often provided by government sources.

Loans

Funds for students and parents that will eventually have to be repaid with interest.

Federal Work-Study

A part-time job opportunity (typically on-campus) for students who demonstrate financial need.

Cost of Attendance

The Cost of Attendance (COA) is an estimate of how much it could cost to attend our institution when you take into account all related expenses. Direct Costs are billed by Ole Miss, and Indirect Costs are realistic allowances for other expenses you should anticipate. *The estimate below is based on students who are living in university-managed student housing.*

Direct Costs/Billed Expenses:

Tuition, Capital Improvements Fee, Student Activity Fee, Housing, Food

Indirect Costs:

Books/Supplies, Personal, Travel

Direct Costs/Billed Expenses	
Tuition	\$9,252*
Capital Improvements Fee	\$100
Student Activity Fee <small>(except satellite campus-only students)</small>	\$60
Housing	\$6,840**
Food	\$5,200
Total for Residents	\$21,452
Additional Fee for Nonresidents	\$17,568
Total for Nonresidents	\$39,020
Indirect Costs	
Books/Supplies	\$1,200***
Personal	\$3,200
Travel	\$3,100

Based on 2023-2024 figures

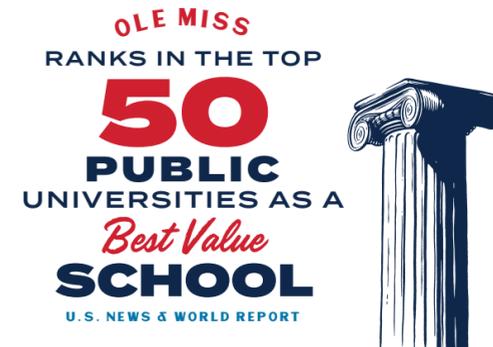
* Students enrolled in the School of Engineering will be charged a program fee each semester. The amount is based on the student's class level.

** Double occupancy in a traditional residence hall is expected to be \$5,842.

*** It is anticipated that students will also need to purchase or rent a computer.

80%
of freshman
STUDENTS
RECEIVE SOME TYPE OF
FINANCIAL AID

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Tips & Resources

- Join academic, social, and volunteer based clubs/organizations and strive to get leadership positions in your school and community. This helps to build your scholarship resume!
- Make time to sit down with your parents/guardians/high school counselor to discuss how you will pay for college.
- Focus on getting good grades –they matter! Merit-based scholarships are partially based on your high school GPA.
- Take, and retake the ACT and SAT tests. Many merit-based scholarships are based on your test scores, too. You can find test prep services offered by our university at outreach.olemiss.edu.
- In Mississippi, a great free resource is Get2College! They can help with ACT prep, college admissions applications, FAFSA completion, and questions about financial aid options. Visit their website at get2college.org.
- Talk to one of our financial aid advisors to help you make a financial plan to pay for college.
- Once admitted, check your college-assigned email and the email you applied with periodically as this is where you will find important information regarding next steps in the enrollment process.

Next Steps

- Apply for admission for the 2024-2025 academic year at olemiss.edu/apply.
- Fill out the Special Programs & Scholarships Application at finaid.olemiss.edu/specialprogramsapplication/. The SPSA deadline is January 10, 2024.

You can continue to revise some parts of the application, but we recommend submitting it this Fall so that you can be fully considered for everything. Be sure to check our timeline for deadlines so you don't miss out!

- Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at studentaid.gov.
- Mississippi residents should apply for state financial aid at msfinancialaid.org.
- Find our complete timeline and important dates at finaid.olemiss.edu/timeline/.

