

Benefit Type	
Domestic Partner of a Fulltime-Regular Employee ¹ Undergraduate Level Education Benefit	
School/Program	
Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences	
Full-time Student Cost of Tuition (per term)	
Academic Year 2020-2021	\$ 9,312.00
Academic Year 2021-2022	\$ 9,540.00
Per-Credit Cost of Tuition	
Academic Year 2020-2021	\$ 776.00
Academic Year 2021-2022	\$ 795.00
Enrollment (Per Credit)	
First Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	12
Second Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	15
Third Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	15
Available Benefit (Per Credit)	
First Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	6
Second Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	6
Third Enrolled Term of Calendar Year	6

First Enrolled Term of Calendar Year			
Cost of Tuition	<i>Full-time Student Cost of Tuition</i>	= 9312.00	\$ 9,312.00
Gross Benefit	<i>(Cost of Tuition for 6 credits) * 90% benefit</i>	= (776.00 * 6) * 0.90	\$ 4,190.40
Taxes	<i>(Gross Benefit * 29.65% tax rate)</i>	= 4190.40 * 0.2965	\$ 1,242.45
Net Benefit	<i>(Gross Benefit - Taxes)</i>	= 4190.40 - 1242.45	\$ 2,947.95
Student's Responsibility for Tuition Cost	<i>(Tuition Cost - Net Benefit)</i>	= 9312.00 - 2947.95	\$ 6,364.05

Second Enrolled Term of Calendar Year			
Cost of Tuition	<i>Full-time Student Cost of Tuition</i>	= 9312.00	\$ 9,312.00
Gross Benefit	<i>(Cost of Tuition for 6 credits * 90% benefit)</i>	= (776.00 * 6) * 0.90	\$ 4,190.40
Taxes	<i>(Gross Benefit * 29.65% tax rate)</i>	= 4190.40 * 0.2965	\$ 1,242.45
Net Benefit	<i>(Gross Benefit - Taxes)</i>	= 4190.40 - 1242.45	\$ 2,947.95
Student's Responsibility for Tuition Cost	<i>(Tuition Cost - Net Benefit)</i>	= 9312.00 - 2947.95	\$ 6,364.05

Third Enrolled Term of Calendar Year			
Cost of Tuition	<i>Full-time Student Cost of Tuition</i>	= 9540.00	\$ 9,540.00
Gross Benefit	<i>(Cost of Tuition for 6 credits * 90% benefit)</i>	= (795.00 * 6) * 0.90	\$ 4,293.00
Taxes	<i>(Gross Benefit * 29.65% tax rate)</i>	= 4293.00 * 0.2965	\$ 1,272.87
Net Benefit	<i>(Gross Benefit - Taxes)</i>	= 4293.00 - 1272.87	\$ 3,020.13
Student's Responsibility for Tuition Cost	<i>(Tuition Cost - Net Benefit)</i>	= 9540.00 - 3020.13	\$ 6,519.87

¹For purposes of this document, fulltime-regular employee refers to Full-Time, Regular Faculty, Full-Time, Regular Librarians, Full-Time, Regular Research Associates, Full-Time, Regular Postdoctoral Associates and Full-Time, Regular Staff³

² This example was populated using the Pennsylvania Residents Tuition Rates for Academic Years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022. To calculate total estimated cost of your studies, you will also want to include the mandatory fees. Tuition and Fee Information is published at <https://www.ir.pitt.edu/tuition-rates-and-fees>

³Staff members under Collective Bargaining Agreements are governed according to the terms of the Agreements

The University provides an educational benefit of up to 6 credits per term/semester for spouses & domestic partners, and it provides a contribution of 90% of the tuition.