UNDERSTANDING YOUR AWARD

REVIEW YOUR AWARD ONLINE
Log into your account at MY.SEATTLEU.EDU to review your financial aid offer letter. If you have not yet set up your account, reference your admission decision email for instructions.

To view your award within MY.SEATTLEU.EDU, select Financial Aid. This section is important as it will help you understand your financial aid award and next steps. Once your checklist page loads, click “Review and Accept your Financial Aid Award Package” to view the aid that has been awarded to you.

The out-of-pocket costs worksheet is a helpful financial aid resource and is available at SEATTLEU.EDU/COSTWORKSHEET.

SAMPLE FINANCIAL AID AWARD
Your financial aid award explains the scholarships, grants, work study opportunities and student loan funding available to you. In the first column you’ll see the description of the award. The second column shows the status and the third column shows the annual amount awarded. The subsequent columns will show how your aid is distributed across fall, winter and spring quarters.

TYPES OF AID

SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS
Scholarships and grants are awards that do not require repayment. Scholarships are generally awarded on academic merit, whereas state, federal and SU grants are typically based on demonstrated financial need from the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

WORK
Work aid is awarded by state or federal work study programs, which offer subsidized part-time employment, both on- and off-campus, for students who qualify. The work section of your award shows the maximum amount a student can earn in a given year. These funds arrive in the form of a paycheck and are not to be factored into the out-of-pocket costs worksheet.

LOANS
Loans may be included in your financial aid award. Some loans are interest-free while you attend college. Although loans must be repaid, interest rates are low and the terms are generally far more favorable than loans available commercially.

You have the following awards
Your award package assumes you will be enrolled full-time. If you enroll less than full-time, the financial aid you actually receive may be less than what is stated here. Please contact Student Financial Services at financialservices@seattleu.edu if you have questions about your enrollment status.

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<tr>
<th>Award Type</th>
<th>Award Amount</th>
<th>Status</th>
<th>Total Awarded</th>
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<tr>
<td>Scholarships and Grants</td>
<td>$9,200.00</td>
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<td>Achievement Scholarship</td>
<td>$14,000.00</td>
<td>Accepted by Student</td>
<td>$4,667.00</td>
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<td>SU Grant</td>
<td>$1,000.00</td>
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<td>$333.00</td>
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<td>Subsidized Loans</td>
<td>$3,500.00</td>
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<td>Award Total</td>
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<td>$20,500.00</td>
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Your aid may be distributed across different categories. The sample award above shows a student who qualified for both scholarships and grants and loans. Please reference the categories to the left for more information about the different types of aid.

The percentages above each aid category show the percentage that category comprises of your total award package. For instance, 73% of this sample student’s total awarded aid is made up of scholarships and grants.
You have the following awards

**Scholarships and Grants**
Money you don't have to pay back $9,200.00

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**Loans**
Money you have to pay back $5,500

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**Total Awards**
Accept or Decline All $20,500.00

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<td>$6,834.00</td>
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The **status column** indicates the awards you have accepted. Grants and scholarships are automatically accepted and loans are listed as “estimated” until you take steps to accept them.

Your **total award** at the bottom of the page shows your financial aid eligibility from all sources for the 2021-22 year. Subtract any work study aid to find your total financial aid for use in our out-of-pocket costs worksheet. The total cost of attendance for the 2021-22 year is listed on the back of this guide and additional cost information can be found at SEATTLEU.EDU/COSTS.

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**WHAT’S NEXT?**

- **FILE THE FAFSA**
  If you have not done so already, filing the FAFSA is the best way to be considered for more aid. Visit fafsa.ed.gov and indicate you want your results sent to SU, Federal School Code No. 003790.

- **CONNECT WITH SEATTLE U**
  Connect with the SU community or consider attending an admitted student event to speak with a financial aid counselor.
  - First-Year Students
    SEATTLEU.EDU/EVENTS
  - Transfer Students
    SEATTLEU.EDU/ADMITTED/TRANSFER/RECEPTION

- **OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIPS**
  If you receive a scholarship from an outside donor that is not included on your financial aid offer letter, notify Student Financial Services as soon as possible so it will be considered when determining eligibility for other financial aid and revising the offer if necessary.

- **THIRD PARTY PROXY ACCESS**
  Proxy access allows your parent/supporter to communicate with Student Financial Services about your account. Log into MY.SEATTLEU.EDU and select your username in the upper right corner to view or add proxy access.

- **SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES**
  We understand the significant investment of attending Seattle University. As a result, we try to ensure our initial financial aid offer is the absolute best we can provide. However, we do know that there may be special circumstances that are not accurately reflected on the FAFSA. If you feel you have additional information that could impact how your financial aid information has been processed, contact Student Financial Services.

- **CONFIRM YOUR ENROLLMENT**
  Visit SEATTLEU.EDU/ADMITTED to submit your confirmation deposit, RSVP for admitted student events and keep up-to-date on important next steps.
  - First-Year Student deposits are due by May 1, or 30 days after the date of your admission.
  - Transfer Students deposits are due 30 days after the date of your admission.

**WE’RE HERE TO HELP**

Contact us if you need any help navigating the financial aid process.

Student Financial Services
206-220-8020 or financialservices@seattleu.edu
## COST OF ATTENDANCE FOR 2021-22
### FALL, WINTER AND SPRING QUARTERS

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<td>Annual Fees: Recreation Fee $300 and Technology Fee $525</td>
<td>$825</td>
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<td>Books &amp; Supplies</td>
<td>$1,200</td>
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<td>Room &amp; Board</td>
<td>$13,035</td>
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<td>Personal Expenses</td>
<td>$2,400</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL ESTIMATED COST OF ATTENDANCE</strong></td>
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The cost of attendance includes institutional expenses (tuition and fees) and expenses that are flexible based on student choices (room & board, books, personal expenses and transportation). These combined tuition, fees and other expenses represent the entire cost of attendance. Individual expenses will vary based on student-specific majors, courses, living arrangements and personal spending choices.

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After graduation, Redhawks Soar

Attending a college that fits your needs is an investment in your future. Your time spent at Seattle University will not only challenge you to become a leader for a more just and humane world, but it will also set you up for success professionally. Consider the following:

- **97%**: of SU graduates are employed, enrolled in a full-time graduate program or engaged in post-graduate service within six months of graduation.

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