

Information Technology

Network Systems Engineer

Cost of Attendance- 1050 Hours

Cost of Attendance(COA) is used to give an idea of what the full cost of attending school will be for each year. There are Direct and Indirect costs included in the COA. Your specific indirect costs may be different than what is listed below.

| | Total Cost of Attendance 2023-2024 | | | | |
|----------|---|-------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|
| | | Dependent | | Independent | |
| | | In-District | Out-of-District | In-District | Out-of-District |
| Direct | Tuition and Fees | \$3,150.00 | \$6,300.00 | \$3,150.00 | \$6,300.00 |
| Indirect | Books/Course Materials/Supplies/Equipment | \$1 .00 | \$1 .00 | \$1 .00 | \$1 .00 |
| Indirect | Housing & Meals | \$5,654.00 | \$5,654.00 | \$11,925.00 | \$11,925.00 |
| Indirect | Transportation | \$1,225.00 | \$1,225.00 | \$2,584.00 | \$2,584.00 |
| Indirect | Miscellaneous | \$2,544.00 | \$2,544.00 | \$5,366.00 | \$5,366.00 |
| Indirect | Licensure/Certification Cost | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| | Estimated cost of Attendance | \$12, .00 | \$15 .00 | \$.00 | \$26, .00 |

Definitions

Direct costs are items that will appear on your Meridian Invoice, such as tuition and fees.

Indirect costs will not appear on your invoice but are **estimated** costs associated with going to college and should be included in your personal budget. Most of these costs would be incurred whether you attend school or not. These include items like books, transportation, housing and personal expenses.

Dependent students are under 24 years old, are not married and have no dependents.

Independent students are any students who do not fall into the dependent student definition.

In-District students currently live within one of the districts that we serve.

Out-of-District students are charged double tuition, due to living outside of the Meridian district.

*all tuition costs provided are for the full career major. If you enroll as half-time, you may not incur the full tuition amount during the 23-24 school year.

*indirect costs are based on the Consumer Price Index as of December 2022. Source: US Department of Labor.

MERIDIAN TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2023-2024 RELATED EXPENSES
Information Technology REQ'D FOR CAREER MAJOR

| Item | | Computer & Network Support Specialist | PC Support Technician | Network Systems Engineer | Cyber Crime Specialist | Cyber Security & Network Defense Analyst | IT Programming Specialist | Cost | Expenses Covered by Tuition |
|---|--|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 - 3 Ring Binder | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$15.00 | N |
| Pencils/Misc. | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$10.00 | N |
| Pens/Highlighters | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$10.00 | N |
| Notebook Paper | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$5.00 | N |
| 8 1/2 x 11 Sheet Protectors | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$10.00 | N |
| Headphones or Earbuds | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$35.00 | N |
| Flash Drive (32GB or larger) | | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | \$39.00 | N |
| Skills USA Dues | | N | N | N | N | N | N | \$18.00 | N |
| BPA Dues | | N | N | N | N | N | N | \$22.00 | Y |
| Total Expenses | | \$124.00 | \$124.00 | \$124.00 | \$124.00 | \$124.00 | \$124.00 | | |
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| Tuition | | \$1,890.00 | \$1,440.00 | \$3,150.00 | \$1,890.00 | \$3,150.00 | \$1,800.00 | | |
| Hours | | 630 | 480 | 1050 | 630 | 1050 | 600 | | |
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| * Books are provided for classroom use. | | | | | | | | | |