

Comparative Cost Charts: Nonresident Student

The following examples assume a hypothetical "typical" nonresident student. MSU students should review their individual bills in order to determine what their specific costs will be. Bills will arrive July 30.

TUITION*: 2005-06 Nonresident Freshman/Sophomore

	New student	Returning student
2004-05 Tuition*	17,844.50	17,844.50
2005-06 Tuition:	\$19,339.50	\$19,339.50
<i>\$ increase above 2004-05 tuition</i>	1,495.00	1,495.00
<i>% increase above 2004-05 tuition</i>	8.4%	8.4%

*includes matriculation fee

TUITION & FEES: 2005-06 Nonresident Freshman/Sophomore

	New student	Returning student
2004-05 Tuition & Fees*	17,844.50	17,844.50
2005-06 Tuition Increment	1,495.00	1,495.00
Energy Fee	65.00	65.00
New Student Cohort	292.50	—
2005-06 Total Tuition & Fees:	\$19,697.00	\$19,404.50
<i>\$ increase above 2004-05 cost</i>	1,852.50	1,560.00
<i>% increase above 2004-05 cost</i>	10.4%	8.7%

*includes matriculation fee

TOTAL COST: 2005-06 Nonresident Freshman/Sophomore

	New student	Returning student
2004-05 Total Cost ¹	23,302.50	23,302.50
2005-06 Tuition Increment	1,495.00	1,495.00
Energy Fee ²	65.00	65.00
New Student Cohort ³	292.50	—
Housing Increase	286.00	286.00
2005-06 Total Cost:	\$25,441.00	\$25,148.50
<i>\$ increase above 2004-05 cost</i>	2,138.50	1,846.00
<i>% increase above 2004-05 cost</i>	9.2%	7.9%

¹ Includes tuition and fees of \$17,844.50 and residence halls charge of \$5,458.00.

² \$130 per year, assumes rebate for Fall Semester only. Appropriations support at initial 2004-05 level results in offset for spring term as well.

³ \$585 per academic year, assumes 50 percent rebate to allow phased implementation and better opportunity for students to plan finances.