

Financial Information

Lyon College is committed to making an educational experience of the highest quality available to qualified students. Tuition and fees account for about 45 percent of Lyon’s educational investment in its students. With a combination of affordable costs, extensive merit-based scholarship and financial aid programs, and academic programs of quality, Lyon has been regularly recognized as one of higher education’s best bargains among private, selective liberal arts colleges.

Fees for 2025-26

The following summary outlines the basic charges by semester and year for the 2025–26 academic year.

Regular Undergraduates	Semester	Year
Tuition * (12–17 credits)	\$14,950	\$29,900
Housing	\$2,885	\$5,770
Dining Plan	\$2,490	\$4,980
Student Activity Fee	\$120	\$240
Technology Fee	\$500	\$1000
Campus Enhancement Fee (Not applicable to FT Freshmen)	\$75	\$150
Total basic cost for typical student	\$21,020	\$42,040

Tuition per credit:*	
Overload, more than 17 credits	\$800
More than 5 credits, fewer than 12 credits per semester	\$930
5 credits or fewer	\$475
New Student Orientation Fee	
Freshmen & Transfers - Applied first semester	\$150
International Students - Applied first semester	\$250

Deaf Education Certificate	\$410 /credit hour
Masters of Arts in Teaching	\$410 /credit hour
RN to BSN	\$335 /credit hour

Residential Housing Options* (Annual Rates)	Hall	Double	Single
Standard Housing	Blandford Hall Bryan Hall Hoke-McCain Hall Love Hall Spragins Hall	\$5,770	n/a
Premium Housing	Brown & Barton Apartments McRae Hall Whiteside Hall Wilson Hall Wilson & Rogers Hall	\$6,800	n/a
Pet Friendly	Bryan Hall	\$6,800	n/a
Other Housing	Sturbridge (Single Bedrooms) Townhouse	n/a \$10,000	\$10,000 \$12,000

Residential Dining Options*		Semester	Annual
Unlimited Plan	Unlimited Meals + \$100 Flex per semester	\$2,880	\$5,760
18 Meals-Premium	18 meals/week + \$100 Flex per semester	\$2,780	\$5,560
18 Meals	18 meals/week + \$15 Flex per semester	\$2,705	\$5,410
14 Meals-Premium	14 meals/week + \$125 Flex per semester	\$2,580	\$5,160
14 Meals (Base)	14 meals/week + \$25 Flex per semester	\$2,490	\$4,980
10 Meals-Premium	10 meals/week + \$135 Flex per semester	\$2,430	\$4,860
10 Meals	10 meals/week + \$35 Flex per semester	\$2,390	\$4,780
Commuter Dining Options*		Semester	Annual
Commuter Meal Plan-Premium	5 meals/week + \$100 Flex per semester	\$1,000	\$2,000
Commuter Meal Plan	5 meals/week + \$50 Flex per semester	\$950	\$1,900
<i>Note: Commuter options are only available for non-residential students</i>			
Presidential Scholars (per credit)			\$140
Summer School Fees (2024)			
Tuition per credit			\$250
Room per summer sub-term (students taking classes)			\$600
Room per summer sub-term (students performing research)			\$0

**The College reserves the right to increase this charge if an increase in food or utility costs should demand.*