

The following budget embodies what the Office of Student Financial Aid (OSFA) deems as reasonable costs associated with attending Meharry Medical College's School of Graduate Studies and Research. We anticipate that most students will live within the budget amounts set forth. However, those with extenuating circumstances will be considered on a case-by-case basis for a possible cost of attendance increase. Documentation must be submitted and approved before a budget increase.

COA Components	Monthly	First Year 8 months
Tuition		\$33,475
Fees		\$6,335
Books & Supplies		\$1,000
Room (incl. rent (~\$1,500), utilities, home telephone, water)	\$1,675	\$13,400
Board (Monthly food allowance)	\$325	\$2,600
Transportation (incl. gas, car maintenance, car insurance, license and registration)	\$415	\$3,320
Personal (incl. clothing, food away from home, dry cleaning, entertainment, cell phone, cable and Internet usage)	\$226	\$1,808
Miscellaneous*		\$2,400
<b>2022-23 COA TOTALS</b>	<b>\$2,641</b>	<b>\$64,338</b>
* Includes	\$500	Medical and dental incidentals not covered by health insurance
	\$1,900	Loan fees

**Dependent child care costs may be added, up to \$8,524 per child. Documentation must be presented on the child care facility letterhead, documenting date of enrollment, dependent's name, parent name, the cost to attend and document must be signed by the child care facility's personnel.**

**PLEASE NOTE: credit cards and automobile payments are NOT, and will not be, included in your cost of attendance. In addition, expenses for spouses or other family members, (including family health insurance premiums) other than child care expenses, may NOT be included.**

**Tuition and the health insurance fee will be split evenly between both fall and spring semesters.**