

## STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES OFFICE

### 2016-17 ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION



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A full athletic scholarship includes the following components:

- Tuition
- Course Related Books
- Room and Board
- Mandatory Fees
- Required Course Fees
- Transportation/Miscellaneous

#### TUITION

The Student Financial Services office will process the tuition portion of your scholarship so that it credits against any tuition charges not exceeding 18 credits per semester.

#### **2016-17 Tuition Figures:**

In-State	\$9,884
Out-of-State	\$24,516

#### BOOKS

NCAA rules limit the provision of texts to those **required texts** for your classes. The Book Program is handled by the Compliance Services Office located in Bohler Athletic Complex Room 285. **Student-athletes must purchase required texts at the Student Book Corporation with a Book Request Form distributed by the Compliance Office. If you have any questions regarding the Textbook program, please contact the Compliance Office at (509) 335-2006.**

#### ROOM & BOARD

To understand how room and board is processed it is necessary to look at each element individually.

#### Room: Student-Athletes Living in Residence Halls

- SFS and Housing Services will process your athletic room scholarship for the actual cost of room charges, for your specific residence hall, based on a double-room occupancy. (Rates will vary by residence hall.)
- Keep in mind that your athletic scholarship **does not** cover the following charges: room upgrade, microfridge rental, lost key charges, fines and room damages.

#### Room: Student-Athletes Living Off-Campus

- Student-athletes living off campus are responsible for payment of rent.
- Housing rent deduction is an option for student-athletes living in University apartments. This process allows Housing Services to deduct the entire housing rent from your room and board scholarship. Monthly stipends are adjusted to reflect the housing rent claimed. If you are interested in having your rent automatically deducted from your scholarship, contact Housing and Dining Services (335-8625) or David Hall (335-4963)

**Board: Student-Athletes living in the Residence Halls** will have athletic aid board funding applied toward their Resident Dining Account (RDA) Charges. For details

about the RDA accounts, go to [livingat.wsu.edu](http://livingat.wsu.edu).

- Depending on the sport, there may be an additional charge for a training table program, at the beginning of each semester. Details about the WSU Cougar Athletic Training Table (CATT) will be provided by your sport prior to the start of the academic year, if applicable.

**Monthly Stipend:** Students will receive a monthly stipend to use toward food purchases off-campus. This amount will depend on total room and board charges and whether your sport is participating in the CATT.

#### Stipend Release for Student-Athletes Living Off-Campus

If you live off campus you will receive a monthly stipend. The monthly stipend amount will depend on whether your sport is participating in the Cougar Athletic Training Table (CATT) and charges related to it. **The first stipend release will be the first day of each semester provided student-athletes are cleared for aid.** Students are strongly encouraged to sign up for direct deposit at <https://studacct.wsu.edu/directdeposit.html> otherwise checks will be mailed out. **Note: students cannot pick up checks at Student Accounts.** If any outstanding charges exist on your student account, they will be deducted from the stipend.

## STIPEND DISBURSEMENT DATES

FALL 2016	SPRING 2017
Tues., August 16 <sup>th</sup>	Wed., January 4 <sup>th</sup>
Thurs., September 1 <sup>st</sup>	Wed., February 1 <sup>st</sup>
Mon., October 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wed., March 1 <sup>st</sup>
Tues., November 1 <sup>st</sup>	Mon., April 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Thurs., December 1 <sup>st</sup>	Mon., May 1 <sup>st</sup>

## MANDATORY FEES

Your athletic scholarship will cover the following fees assessed to all fulltime undergraduate students:

Health Fee	\$368/year
Transit Fee	\$55.48/year
Rec. Center Fee	\$306/year
Stadium Fee	\$50/year
CUB Fee	\$240/year
Technology Fee	\$40/year
Chinook	\$98/Spring Only
<b>Total Mandatory Fees</b>	<b>\$1,157.48/year</b>

These mandatory fees totaling \$529.74 for fall semester and \$627.74 for spring semester (due to Chinook fee) will be charged on your student account and are covered by your athletic scholarship which will be credited by University Receivables.

## REQUIRED COURSE FEES

Required course fees charged on your student account will be credited by University Receivables. It is important to note that only required course fees can be reimbursed. The following are examples of required fees your scholarship can and cannot cover:

COVERED	NOT COVERED
Writing Portfolio	Library Fines
Graduation Fee	Parking Tickets
Course Fees	Student Insurance
Placement Exams	Room Deposits

## Outside Scholarships

- There are very specific guidelines set by the NCAA regarding outside scholarships and how they are to be reported. If you have been notified that you are the recipient of ANY kind of outside scholarship, it is essential that you report it to the Athletic Financial Aid Staff immediately. It is important that you not accept any type of award until the Compliance Staff can determine how it may affect your individual financial aid limits and the team scholarship limits. Failure to report an outside scholarship could jeopardize your NCAA eligibility.
- To report an outside scholarship, please contact David Hall from Athletic Compliance or Charity Downing from Student Financial Services (contact information is on the last page.)

## Institutional Scholarships

- Along with outside scholarships, institutional scholarships must be monitored to determine how they might impact individual and team count. If you have been notified that you are the recipient of an institutional scholarship, you will need to let the Financial Aid office know, please note that the Athletic Compliance Staff will also be notified and will confirm your eligibility for receiving such an award before it is disbursed.

- You will be notified immediately if the Athletic Compliance Staff has determined you are not eligible for an institutional scholarship per NCAA rules and regulations.

## Applying for Financial Aid

- If you would like to be considered for additional funding, please complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). By completing this free form, you will be considered for federal and state student grants, work-study, and loans. If you haven't already completed the FAFSA, please do so using the online application at [fafsa.ed.gov](http://fafsa.ed.gov).

## Receiving Financial Aid and Athletic Scholarship Room and Board Funding

If you haven't done so yet, please sign up for Direct Deposit which can be done on-line at <https://studacct.wsu.edu/directdeposit.html>.

## General Notes of Interest

- Books:** While books are included in your athletic scholarship for a value of \$800, note that all book charges are covered if they are **required**. This process is coordinated through the Athletic Department and not through Student Accounts.
- Billing Notices:** WSU does not mail billing statements. The information is available on-line and you can easily access your

account at [my.wsu.edu](http://my.wsu.edu), select Finances to see what you owe and pay on-line at that time. Please share this information if someone else pays your tuition.

- Shared Access:** Due to federal regulations, we are unable to discuss your account with a third-party (parent, grandparent, etc.) without your permission. To be able to discuss your account with a third-party, you must allow that person third-party access to your account. You can do this by visiting myWSU. Under Main Menu, click Self-Service > Third Party Access and follow the instructions.

## WEBSITE REFERENCE LIST

### myWSU

All general university information, address updates, third-party access  
[my.wsu.edu](http://my.wsu.edu)

### Financial Aid & Scholarships

Information regarding Athletic Financial Aid, loan and awarding process,  
requested forms  
[financialaid.wsu.edu](http://financialaid.wsu.edu)

### University Receivables/ Student Accounts

Direct Deposit forms, Tuition due dates, Billing  
[wsu.edu/studacct/](http://wsu.edu/studacct/)

### University Housing

Living options, Applying for housing  
[housing.wsu.edu/](http://housing.wsu.edu/)

### REFERENCE SITE:

[FINANCIALAID.WSU.EDU/ATHLETICS.HTML](http://FINANCIALAID.WSU.EDU/ATHLETICS.HTML)

## Quick Reference List:

<b>Financial Aid &amp; Scholarships Office</b> Charity Downing (509) 335-9722 <a href="mailto:Charity_Downing@wsu.edu">Charity_Downing@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Compliance Office</b> (Book vouchers, book charge backs) David Hall (509) 335-4963 <a href="mailto:d.hall@wsu.edu">d.hall@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Student-Athlete Development</b> (Athletic advising, tutoring, summer school) Wanda Tennant (509) 335-0285 <a href="mailto:wtennant@wsu.edu">wtennant@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Housing &amp; Dining Services</b> Cindy Kromm (509) 335-8625 <a href="mailto:kromm@wsu.edu">kromm@wsu.edu</a> <a href="mailto:hdfinance@wsu.edu">hdfinance@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Admissions Office</b> (509) 335-5586 <a href="mailto:admiss2@wsu.edu">admiss2@wsu.edu</a> 1-888-468-6978 (888-GO-TO-WSU)
<b>Academic Success &amp; Career Center</b> (509) 335-6000 <a href="mailto:ascc@wsu.edu">ascc@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Registrars Office</b> (509) 335-5346 <a href="mailto:registrar@wsu.edu">registrar@wsu.edu</a>
<b>University Receivables</b> (Stipend checks/deposits, student account charges) (509) 335-9651 <a href="mailto:univ-receivables@wsu.edu">univ-receivables@wsu.edu</a>
<b>ITS Help Desk – Network ID</b> (509) 335-4357 <a href="mailto:helpdesk@wsu.edu">helpdesk@wsu.edu</a>
<b>New Student Programs</b> (509) 335-4242 <a href="mailto:orientation@wsu.edu">orientation@wsu.edu</a>
<b>Academic Services - Athletics</b> (509) 335-0285 <a href="mailto:athletics@wsu.edu">athletics@wsu.edu</a>