

Fall 2015

Priority Registration

April 3	Admitted graduate students
April 6	Admitted seniors (90+ credits)
April 7	Admitted juniors (60-89 credits)
April 8	Admitted sophomores (30-59 credits)
April 9	Admitted freshman (0-29 credits)
April 13	Students with pending fall admission applications
April 20	Open registration

Academic Dates and Deadlines

August 24	Instruction begins Add/drop period begins Credit-to-audit period begins Registration begins for senior citizens using tuition waivers
August 31	Faculty approval required to add classes
September 4, 5 p.m.	Add/drop deadline Credit/no-credit deadline Credit-to-audit deadline
September 5	Withdrawal period begins online
September 7	No class day - Labor Day - UAA closed
September 8	No class day - UAA open
September 11, 5 p.m.	Deadline for section swaps
September 14, 5 p.m.	Payment deadline, \$125 assessed
October 23	Deadline to register for independent and directed studies; practicum, internship, research and thesis courses; and continuous registration
November 1	Deadline to apply for fall 2015 graduation and be included in the commencement program
November 2	\$175 late fee assessment
November 13	Open-entry class registration deadline Withdrawal deadline
November 25	No class day - UAA open
November 26-27	No class days - Thanksgiving holiday - UAA closed
December 4	Deadline to apply for fall graduation
December 7-12	Final exams
December 13	Commencement (for summer and fall 2015 graduates)
December 17	Grades available on UAOnline
December 24 - January 1, 2016	No class days - winter break - UAA closed

Note: For classes with irregular start or end dates, the 100 percent refund period ends at 5 p.m. five business days after the published class start day.

Tuition

Tuition is determined by:

- the number of course credit hours,
- the level (e.g., 100-level, 200-level) of the course, and
- the student's residency status.

Students taking 4 or fewer credits are charged at the resident rate.

Tuition for Academic Year 2015-16

Course Level	Resident	Nonresident
Undergraduate lower division (course numbers 050-299)	\$183 per credit hour	\$649 per credit hour
Undergraduate upper division (course numbers 300-499)	\$221 per credit hour	\$687 per credit hour
Professional development (course numbers 500-599)	Tuition costs vary - contact the academic department or refer to specific course listing on UAOnline	Nonresident fees do not apply
Graduate (course numbers 600-699)	\$423 per credit hour	\$864 per credit hour

Resident and Nonresident Tuition

A person eligible for resident tuition is a person who, at the end of the add/drop period for semester-length courses, is a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen who has been physically present in Alaska for two years and who declares the intention to remain in Alaska indefinitely. The University of Alaska policy on resident and nonresident tuition may be referenced in the current University of Alaska Board of Regents' Policy and University Regulation, Chapter 05.10 Tuition and Student Fees, at www.alaska.edu/bor/policy-regulations.

The Application for Resident Tuition Assessment may be found at www.uaa.alaska.edu/futurestudents/residency.cfm. The deadline for requesting residency and submitting all required documentation is before the add/drop deadline of the first semester in which residency is sought.

Nonresident students who restrict their registration to 4 or fewer credits each semester will be charged resident tuition. Nonresident students taking 5 or more credits are assessed nonresident fees on all academic credits.

Senior Citizen Tuition Waiver

UAA welcomes senior citizens to its classrooms and waives tuition for those eligible under Board of Regents policy R05.10.080. Regular tuition shall be waived for Alaska residents who are otherwise age eligible to receive full Social Security retirement benefits and who register on a space-available basis, that is, when courses can accommodate such students in addition to other enrolled students. Use of senior citizen waivers is governed accordingly:

- Senior citizens must register and present a completed tuition waiver with proof of age during the add/drop period, but not prior to the first day of class. Pre-registering, dropping, then re-registering for courses is not permitted with a tuition waiver.
- If a senior citizen elects to register before the add/drop period, they must pay full tuition and fees and the tuition waiver will not be accepted.
- Senior citizens must pay all additional course fees.
- The UAA Student Government and Student Media fees are waived.

- The UAA Student Life and Student Transportation fees are mandatory for all students taking 3 or more credits on the Anchorage campus.

Students should complete a Tuition Waiver Request, available at the University Center or www.alaska.edu/files/benefits/2013-Sr-tuition-waiver-form.pdf. Waiver forms should be completed and submitted, with proof of age eligibility, to the UAA Cashiering Office in the University Center.

Fees

Mandatory Student Fees

Mandatory student fees are charged to all students (including secondary school students) registering in 3 or more credits for courses held on the Anchorage campus, based on the total registration once the 3-credit on-campus criteria is met, with the exception of the Facilities and Technology fees, which are charged beginning at 1 credit. The Aviation Complex, King Career Center and University Center are considered on-campus facilities for purposes of fee assessment. Student fees are not refundable unless the student totally withdraws during the 100 percent refund period.

For fall and spring semesters, students may elect to pay certain student fees if they are registered in 1 to 5 credits, or 200 or more contact hours, in one semester. The Student Life Fee for students registered in fewer than 6 credits is set as a fixed rate.

For summer semester, students may elect to pay certain student fees if they are registered in 1 to 2 credits in one semester. The Student Life Fee for students registered in fewer than 3 credits is set as a fixed rate.

Contact the Issue Cage in the Wells Fargo Sports Complex (or Alaska Airlines Center for summer 2015 semester) for information about the Athletics/Sports Complex Fee; contact Student Activities in the Student Union regarding the Student Activity Fee.

Student Health and Counseling Center services are not available to students registered in fewer than 6 academic credits.

Breakdown of Mandatory Student Fees (fall and spring semesters)

- **e-Portfolio Fee:** \$8 for students registered in 3 or more credits. Supports software licensing, user training and student support programs.
- **Facilities Fee:** \$4 per credit hour (increases to \$6 per credit hour in spring 2016) for students enrolled in 1 to 15 credits regardless of class delivery mode. Supports facility renovation and infrastructure renewal. Revenue remains at the university from which the fee is collected.
- **Green Fee:** \$3 for students registered in 3 or more credits. Supports student-led funding initiatives to make UAA a more sustainable and environmentally friendly campus.
- **Student Concert Board Fee:** \$10 for students registered in 3 or more credits. Supports major concerts, comedy shows and speakers.
- **Student Government Fee, USUAA:** \$1 per credit for students registered in 3 or more credits. Maximum charge \$12. Supports Club Council; student advocacy for academic, student and legislative affairs; USUAA activities; legal services; and operating expenses.
- **Student Life Fee:** \$22.50 per credit for students registered in 6 or more credits. Maximum charge \$270. Allocation:
 - **Athletics/Recreational Sports:** \$9 per credit. Allocation: \$5.40 for free or reduced admission to athletic events (www.goseawolves.com); \$3.60 for recreational use of Wells Fargo Sports Complex, including pool, ice rink, weight room and gymnasium, and Alaska Airlines Center, including recreation weight room and auxiliary gym.
 - **Student Activities:** \$3.50 per credit. Supports Campus Kick-Off, Homecoming and Winterfest events; the Publicity Center and Student Union Gallery; and free or reduced admission to musical events, comedy shows, featured lectures, multicultural events and other social programs. Also supports UAA Life online system (www.uaa.alaska.edu/life), your campus connection to clubs and organizations.
 - **Student Health and Counseling Services:** \$10 per credit. There is no charge for routine physical exams, TB and HIV testing, health education, mental health counseling, and wellness programs. Laboratory and pharmacy services available at greatly reduced costs. Alcohol and other drug education may be provided at Student Affairs-approved satellite

locations at no charge or at a reasonable price based on the cost of services provided.

(www.uaa.alaska.edu/studenthealth)

- **Student Media Fee:** \$11 for students registered in 3 or more credits. Allocation: \$5.50 for KRUA 88.1 FM student radio station and \$5.50 for The Northern Light student newspaper.
- **Student Transportation Fee:** \$13 for students registered in 3 or more credits. Supports campus shuttle service, U-Pass People Mover Program (citywide bus pass), bicycle racks, trail/sidewalk maintenance and Call Team walking escorts.
- **Technology Fee:** \$5 per credit for students registered in 1 or more credits. Maximum charge \$60. Provides up-to-date equipment, software, maintenance, training and support for students.

Course Fees

Course fees vary and are shown on the UAOnline detailed class information pages. To view fees for a specific class, go to the UAOnline Class Schedule Search and click on the class CRN.

- **Administrative Fee:** An administrative fee may be charged instead of tuition.
- **eLearning Fee:** \$25 per credit is charged for each Anchorage campus distance course. Go to www.uaa.alaska.edu/learning or call 907-786-6177 for additional information about distance classes.
- **Lab and Materials Fees:** These additional charges cover the costs of lab supplies. Refer to the specific class listing on UAOnline for more information on lab and material fees. These fees are not refundable unless you drop during the 100 percent refund period.
- **Network Charge:** Four percent of tuition for academic year 2015-16. Covers rapidly rising costs, especially in the maintenance and enhancement of university-wide technology infrastructure. This fee will be applied on a course-by-course basis to tuition, nonresident surcharges if applicable, and fees in lieu of tuition, for credit and noncredit courses. Courses with applicable fees charged in lieu of tuition less than the lower division credit hour tuition rate (\$183 for 2015-16) will be exempt from the charge. All calculated fees will be rounded to the nearest dollar.
- **Special Fees:** Special fees are assessed to pay for travel, equipment or facilities out of the ordinary.

Other Fees

The following fees are applicable in specific circumstances and may not apply to everyone.

- **Continuous Registration Fee** (graduate students): The continuous registration fee is \$423 for academic year 2015-16.
- **Late Payment Fees:** A \$125 fee will be assessed on all accounts which are not paid by the payment deadline. An additional \$175 fee will be assessed later in the semester on all accounts still outstanding. Students who pay for or drop their courses prior to the published payment deadline will not be assessed the fee. Find payment deadlines on the Dates and Deadlines calendar at www.uaa.alaska.edu/records/calendar.
- **Parking Fee:** Fee paid to use parking lots on campus each semester. Students may buy parking decals at www.thepermitstore.com. For more information, call 907-786-1119 or visit the Parking Services site at www.uaa.alaska.edu/parking.