

GRAD SCHOOL FINANCE 101

The UNCG Graduate School and Office of Financial Aid are committed to assisting our students with the process of identifying and securing funding. We encourage you to explore as many of the resources below as you can and to reach out to us if you have any questions.

SOURCES OF GRADUATE FUNDING



Assistantships- require up to 20 hours per week for a fixed stipend paid in monthly installments



Tuition Support- Funding administered by the Graduate School that may cover the cost of partial or full tuition



Fellowships- non-service awards that may cover tuition, fees, and living expenses. These may be at UNCG or external.



Financial Aid- Federal student loans are based on financial need and estimated cost of attendance.

FINANCIAL AID BASICS

File your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

- The FAFSA is required to apply for Federal Student Loans
- You will need to create a FSA ID at <https://fsaid.ed.gov> in order to sign your FAFSA electronically and access other Federal Student Aid sites.

Federal Student Loan eligibility is based on cost of attendance (COA) and enrollment status

- Graduate students must enroll in at least 4.5 semester hours at the 500 level and above in an eligible degree/ certificate program
- Students are eligible for Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loans only
- Can receive up to \$20,500 in unsubsidized student loans annually
- Can borrow up to \$138,500 overall while pursuing a graduate degree
- Graduate Plus Loan- Credit based loan available to grad students who have borrowed their annual or aggregate unsubsidized loan limit.

ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF FUNDING

- Find Scholarships through the Graduate School or your academic department. Check out the UNCG Scholarships page for more information.



- Funds outside of UNCG can be researched at: <https://fia.uncg.edu/outside-scholarships/>

- Financing out of pocket? Use the monthly payment plan option through the UNCG Student Account Center. Contact the Cashier & Student Accounts Office for more info



TUITION

UNCG Graduate Programs Tuition Fall 2020-Spring 2021

	In-State	Out-of-State
Full Time (12 credit hours)	\$4,101.50	\$10,960.50
Part Time (6 credit hours)	\$2,628.65	\$7,772.90

*Tuition rates are reviewed and set annually by the North Carolina legislature. The University reserves the right to alter any charges without prior notice.

FEES

Educational & Technology Fee	\$230.50
Student Activities Fee	\$288.50
Athletic Fee	\$390
Student Facilities Fee	\$353.50
Health Services Fee	\$155
Transportation Fee	\$53
Security Fee	\$15
Registration Fee	\$6
ASG Fee	\$0.50
Total Fees:	\$1492



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