



**SNOW  
COLLEGE**

# 2025-26 Tuition & Fees Presentation State Board of Higher Education

March 28, 2025



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# Tuition and Fee Hearings and Meetings

General  
Student  
Fee  
Advisory  
Board

- February 10

Student  
Leadership  
Review

- February 10

Truth-in-  
Tuition  
Student  
Hearing

- February 28

Board of  
Trustees  
Meeting

- February 12
- March 13

# Overview of Requests

	Current Tuition and Fees	\$ Tuition Adjustments	% Tuition Adjustments	\$ Student Fee Adjustments	% Student Fee Adjustments	Proposed Tuition and Fees	% Change
Undergraduate Resident	\$4,338	\$100	2.53%	0	0	\$4,438	2.3%
Undergraduate Non-Resident	\$14,288	\$350	2.53%	0	0	\$14,638	2.45%
Graduate Resident	N/A						
Graduate Non-Resident	N/A						

Academic year, 15 credit hours per semester

# General Student Fees Recommendation

No net  
increase

# Overview of General Student Fees

Fee Description	2024-25 Current Fee	2025-26 Fee Request	Move to Tuition	\$ Change	% Change
Theater	\$ 8.90	\$ 10.00	No	\$ 1.10	12.4%
Communications	\$ 8.00*	\$ -	No	\$ (8.00)	-100.0%
Student Insurance	\$ 5.50	\$ 5.50	No	\$ -	0.0%
Building	\$ 176.30	\$ 176.30	No	\$ -	0.0%
Music	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00	No	\$ -	0.0%
Fitness	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.90	No	\$ 0.90	15.0%
A/C	\$ 27.00	\$ 27.00	No	\$ -	0.0%
Wellness Center	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	No	\$ -	0.0%
Athletics	\$ 42.00	\$ 42.00	No	\$ -	0.0%
Intramurals	\$ 12.00	\$ 12.00	No	\$ -	0.0%
Student Events & Activity	\$ 92.30	\$ 98.30	No	\$ 6.00	6.5%

*\*The \$2 Richfield Communication fee has been moved to Fitness.*

# Additional General Student Fee Changes

- **\$4 decrease in Communications Fee**
  - Student newspaper and radio programs terminated
  - Student Fee Advisory Board voted to reallocate to other existing fee categories where funding was not adequate
  - Student Fee Advisory Board voted to maintain fees at \$204 (per semester)

# Additional General Student Fee Changes

- **\$0.55 increase/reallocation (\$4.45 to \$5.00) to Theater Fee**
  - Annual increase of \$2,757 (\$22,308 to \$25,065)
  - Fee has remained unchanged for 15 years despite inflation
  - Funds are used for set construction, costumes, lighting, sound, and other production elements
  - Fee allows students to attend live theatrical productions at significantly reduced ticket prices and the increase in fee will allow ticket prices not to increase at this time



# Additional General Student Fee Changes

- **\$0.45 increase/reallocation (\$3.00 to \$3.45) to Fitness Center Fee**
  - Annual increase of \$2,256 (\$15,039 to \$17,295)
  - Most equipment was purchased prior to 2020
  - Funds have not been adequate to keep up with maintenance and replacement costs of equipment in the fitness center
  - In 2024, the Fitness Center recorded 53,000 user visits showing the high demand by students
  - Fee allows students to visit the Fitness Center free of charge supporting their overall mental and physical well-being leading to improved academic success

# Additional General Student Fee Changes

- **\$3.00 increase/reallocation (\$46.15 to \$49.15) to Student Events & Activities Fee**
  - Annual increase of \$15,039 (\$231,354 to \$246,393)
  - Fee has remained unchanged since 2016 despite inflation and rising costs
  - Current allocation is not adequate to host weekly activities for the entire student body
  - Student demand for weekly events is not being met
  - Funds are used for venues, entertainment, supplies, and services for student activities
  - Fee provides student activities that 1) promote engagement and belonging, 2) are critical for a rural campus experience, mental health and well-being, 3) provide leadership and school spirit, and 4) enhance academic success and retention

No net  
increase

# 2025-26 Tuition Recommendation

# Proposed Adjustments to Tuition

	Current Tuition	\$ Increase Legislative Match	% Increase Legislative Match	\$ Increase Institution Request	% Increase Institution Request	Proposed Tuition
Undergraduate Resident	\$3,930	\$76	1.93%	\$24	0.6%	\$4,030
Undergraduate Non-Resident	\$13,880	\$267	1.93%	\$83	0.6%	\$14,230
Graduate Resident	N/A					
Graduate Non-Resident	N/A					

Undergraduate: Academic year, 15 credit hours per semester

*\*No increase in technical education tuition; remains at \$85/credit*

# Detail of Institutional Requests (R-4B Forms)

- **Advancement & Tenure, Degree Advancements - \$76,000**
  - Allows for consistent practice of development to attract and retain qualified faculty and staff
  - Faculty increases for FY '26 - \$61,000
  - Staff increases for FY '26 – \$15,000
  - No other ongoing revenue source available
  - Increase equates to ~\$10 per semester or a 0.6% increase
  - Student body was supportive of this increase

# Current & Proposed Undergraduate Tuition

Credit Hour	Current Resident	Proposed Resident	Current Non-Res.	Proposed Non-Res.
1	\$ 315	\$ 365	\$ 934	\$ 1,284
2	\$ 465	\$ 515	\$ 1,480	\$ 1,830
3	\$ 615	\$ 665	\$ 2,026	\$ 2,376
4	\$ 765	\$ 815	\$ 2,572	\$ 2,922
5	\$ 915	\$ 965	\$ 3,118	\$ 3,468
6	\$ 1,065	\$ 1,115	\$ 3,664	\$ 4,014
7	\$ 1,215	\$ 1,265	\$ 4,210	\$ 4,560
8	\$ 1,365	\$ 1,415	\$ 4,756	\$ 5,106
9	\$ 1,515	\$ 1,565	\$ 5,302	\$ 5,652
10	\$ 1,665	\$ 1,715	\$ 5,848	\$ 6,198
11	\$ 1,815	\$ 1,865	\$ 6,394	\$ 6,744
12	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
13	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290

Credit Hour	Current Resident	Proposed Resident	Current Non-Res.	Proposed Non-Res.
14	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
15	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
16	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
17	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
18	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,015	\$ 6,940	\$ 7,290
19	\$ 2,115	\$ 2,165	\$ 7,486	\$ 7,836
20	\$ 2,265	\$ 2,315	\$ 8,032	\$ 8,382
21	\$ 2,415	\$ 2,465	\$ 8,578	\$ 8,928
22	\$ 2,565	\$ 2,615	\$ 9,124	\$ 9,474
23	\$ 2,715	\$ 2,765	\$ 9,670	\$ 10,020
24	\$ 2,865	\$ 2,915	\$ 10,216	\$ 10,566
25	\$ 3,015	\$ 3,065	\$ 10,762	\$ 11,112

# How Adjustments will Affect Affordability

- Remain the most affordable institution in the state
- Comparisons with peer institutions (annual tuition + fees, 15 credits)

Snow College	\$4,180
WICHE Institutions	\$4,365
Rocky Mountain Institutions	\$3,664
Peer Group Institutions	\$5,005

\*Based on 23-24 rates

**Thank you!**

