

# OFF-CAMPUS LIVING WORKSHEET

OFF-CAMPUS EXPENSE	ESTIMATED MONTHLY COSTS	ONE-TIME COSTS
Rent		
Rental Application		
Security Deposit		
Renter's Insurance		
Utilities (Electric and/or Gas)		
Water, Sewer, Trash		
Cable TV & Internet		
Cell Phone		
Furniture		
Groceries		
Household Supplies (i.e. paper towels)		
Toiletries (i.e. shampoo)		
Clothing		
Public Transportation		
Car Fuel		
Car Maintenance (i.e. inspection, registration, oil changes)		
Car Insurance		
Other		
Other		
Other		
<b>TOTAL MONTHLY COSTS:</b>		
<i>Multiply by # of Months:*</i>		
<b>TOTAL COSTS:</b>		



Add these two numbers

**YOUR GRAND TOTAL FOR OFF-CAMPUS LIVING:**

Thinking about living off-campus? Use this worksheet to sum up and compare living costs on-campus versus off-campus.

When considering the totals for on- and off-campus living, be sure to multiply your total estimated monthly costs by the number of months you will be living on- or off-campus before you add it to your total one-time costs.



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\*Some apartments may require you to sign a 12-month lease even though the school year is shorter. Make sure you know what length of time you're committing to living in an apartment so you can accurately calculate the yearly cost. (There can be a big difference between living off campus for 9 months versus 12!)

# ON-CAMPUS LIVING WORKSHEET

ON-CAMPUS EXPENSE	ESTIMATED MONTHLY COSTS	ONE-TIME COSTS
Dorm/Housing		
Meal Plan		
Cell Phone		
Household Supplies (i.e. paper towels)		
Toiletries (i.e. shampoo)		
Clothing		
Laundry		
Parking Fees		
Car Fuel		
Car Maintenance (i.e. inspection, registration, oil changes)		
Car Insurance		
Other		
Other		
Other		
<b>TOTAL MONTHLY COSTS:</b>		
<i>Multiply by # of Months:*</i>		
<b>TOTAL COSTS:</b>		



Add these two numbers

**YOUR GRAND TOTAL FOR ON-CAMPUS LIVING:**

Now that you've totaled your off-campus living expenses, compare them to the cost of living on campus for the year.

Don't forget to multiply your total estimated monthly costs by the number of months you will be living on campus before you add it to your total one-time costs.



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\*When living on campus, you're often paying by the semester, but in order to better compare the cost of on-campus vs. off-campus living, this worksheet asks you to break it down by month. Adjust your numbers accordingly!

**OFF-CAMPUS TOTAL**

**VS**

**ON-CAMPUS TOTAL**