

YOUR NEXT STEPS AFTER RECEIVING AN AWARD LETTER

STEP 1: UNDERSTANDING YOUR ESTIMATED COSTS

Review the tuition and fees charges for your program. Note that tuition and fees are subject to change depending on your actual enrollment each term.

STEP 2: UNDERSTANDING YOUR AWARD LETTER

Your award letter breaks down your estimated costs as well as your financial aid that is being offered. These two factors determine what you may need to pay out of pocket.

STEP 3: LOANS

Loans can be a necessary and helpful component of your financial aid. Whether you take them or not is up to you. We encourage you to evaluate your situation and **only** take out loans necessary to pay for your educational cost. You can check out our [accepting your loans](#) resource to see how to accept your loans.

STEP 4: FINANCIAL SETTLEMENT

Financial Settlement deadline requires that all students must have their account balance paid or covered by financial aid. You may check out our resources on how to [pay your bill](#), steps to enroll in a [Wildcat Pay Plan](#) (if you are enrolled in an eligible program), and how to request a credit refund. Note: Online students are not eligible for a payment plan due to the shortened term periods and reduced rates.

