Financial Aid Overview

Average Cost of Attendance for 2015-16
- Tuition and Fees: $47,929
- Room and Board: $13,846
- Books and Supplies: $1,050
- Personal Expenses: $1,200
- Transportation: $750
- **Total Cost: $64,775**

Commitment
- 100% of demonstrated financial need is met for all four years assuming on-time completion of applications and continued demonstrated need
- 81% of students who apply receive need-based aid
- $30.3 million in need-based aid for freshman class
- $1.8 million in merit-based aid for freshman class
- $21,994 average Federal loan debt of graduates (May 2015 graduates)

Statistics
- 100% of demonstrated financial need is met for all four years assuming on-time completion of applications and continued demonstrated need
- $120 Million in need-based scholarship assistance in the 2013-14 academic year
- 98% of first year students return for their second year
- $34,500 is the average amount of University scholarship offered to freshman who demonstrate financial need
- $4,200 is the average freshman need-based loan debt

Education with Value
A Notre Dame education is an incredibly valuable investment – and not simply because of the quality, rigor, and access of the education a student received.
- Opportunity to truly get to know self through spiritual examination and personal inquiry.
- Encouraged to take the time to discover who they are, what they love, and how to apply their knowledge.
- Gain an understanding of the world that involves a critical examination of issues, cultures, and ideas.
- Combination of self-discovery and global-awareness is a hallmark of the Notre Dame education, and is one of the ways that our graduates are prepared to thrive in a changing world.
- We offer one of the widest and most influential alumni networks in the world.
- The Notre Dame community is something that strengthens and deepens over the course of time.

Outcomes
- 95% of students graduate on time, which is among the top 3 graduation rates in the nation
- 98% of students are successful in finding career opportunities (graduate school, jobs, or volunteer work) within six months of graduating
- 84% of pre-med graduates are admitted into medical school (nearly twice the national average)
- Over 500 employers visit campus every year for recruitment.
- 20,000 internships are accessible though our career center web site