The University of Texas at Dallas combines the benefits of a close-knit university with the intellectual rigor and opportunities of a major research university.

For students interested in joining our academic community, cost should not be a barrier to reaching their goal.

We’re serious about helping you maximize your investment — and it shows.

- Approximately 70% of our students receive some form of merit- or need-based financial aid.
- UT Dallas was ranked #32 in Kiplinger’s 2016 Top 100 Best Value Public Colleges in the United States.
- In a national survey, U.S. News & World Report ranked UT Dallas one of the top 30 public universities for lowest student debt after graduation.

The cost of college varies from student to student even at the same university.

For the most current tuition estimates, refer to the financial aid website at financial-aid.utdallas.edu.

Scholarships and Financial Aid

Each year, UT Dallas offers Academic Excellence Scholarships (AES) to qualified incoming freshmen.

Prospective students who are admitted to UT Dallas by the priority deadline of January 15 are automatically reviewed for an AES award. Scholarships are subject to fund availability.

AES Highlights:

- Automatic review — there is no separate application for AES.
- AES awards are merit-based; factors include grades in all coursework, success in AP, IB or dual credit courses, SAT/ACT scores, class rank, extracurricular and leadership activities, and special recognition.
- There are three AES award levels: Achievement, Distinction and Honors.

More information about each AES level can be found at utdallas.edu/aes.

In addition to AES, there are a wide range of other scholarship opportunities available to new and returning students.

Other University scholarship programs include the Eugene McDermott Scholars, National Merit Scholars, Terry Foundation Scholarship and Diversity Scholarship programs.

Other financial aid opportunities include grants, loans and work-study programs. In order to determine eligibility and take advantage of maximum funding availability, students should complete the FAFSA and TAFSA, for Texas students, as soon as possible beginning October 1.

A current listing of scholarships is available at utdallas.edu/scholarships.

UT Dallas Outcomes

Internships and corporate collaborations help prepare UT Dallas students for real-world experience.

This translates into opportunity and practical knowledge about how to be a leader and a team player. Students participated in more than 6,000 internships in 2016.

Learn more about career and internship possibilities at utdallas.edu/career.