FINANCIAL AID FOR MAC STUDENTS 2020–2021
MASTER OF ARTS WITH CERTIFICATION • SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Below is information to help you learn more about the financial resources available to you to help pay for your MAC program. For general information about aid, see our website (above). When corresponding with our office, be sure to provide your UMID.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Below are estimated costs for the MAC program, which typically runs from late June/early July 2020 to late June 2021. The tuition and fees listed below are based on costs from 2019–2020; actual tuition and fees are determined by the U-M Board of Regents each June:

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* includes $1,920 for Elementary MAC computer and video costs

Estimated costs are based on full-time enrollment (8 credit hours per term for Fall and Winter; 4 credit hours for Spring and Summer terms). Secondary MAC students are enrolled for two credits during Spring Term. Current full-time and part-time tuition and fees can be found on the web at ro.umich.edu/tuition. Elementary MAC students are also expected to acquire computer equipment costing between $1,600 and $1,920 to complete their program. For residency questions, contact the Registrar’s Office at 734-764-1400 or visit http://ro.umich.edu. Note: EDU650 students may incur additional course fees.

WHAT TYPES OF AID ARE AVAILABLE?

Most scholarship support will come from your program and you are considered for that when you are admitted to U-M. Rackham Graduate School administers some fellowships as well; contact Rackham or the School of Education for details about these programs.

The Office of Financial Aid does not administer scholarship, grant, or fellowship programs for graduate students.

You may also seek out private scholarships whenever possible; see finaid.umich.edu/private-scholarships for a list of recommended, free scholarship search engines. Other financial assistance for graduate students is somewhat limited compared to assistance available to undergraduate students. Students are only considered for Federal Unsubsidized Direct Stafford Loans when they apply for graduate student aid.

Students may also apply separately for alternative loan programs, including the Federal Grad PLUS Loan and loans through private lenders.

Federal Work-Study employment is not awarded to MAC students because of the program’s intensity.

TEACH GRANT

TEACH Grant is a federal program for some MAC students who plan to teach in a high-need field in a low-income school. The TEACH Grant has specific service requirements; if students do not complete them, their grant converts to a loan. More information: finaid.umich.edu/about-grants/teach-grant-program.

HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

All students applying for aid must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), found online at fafsa.gov. You will receive an email from the Office of Financial Aid when your award is available to view on Wolverine Access.

- Students applying for Summer 2020 aid must complete the 2019–2020 FAFSA by June 30, 2020 to be eligible for Summer aid.
- Students applying for Fall/Winter 2020–2021 aid must complete the 2020–2021 FAFSA. The priority application deadline is March 31, 2020.
- To apply for Spring 2021, complete the 2021 Request for Financial Aid application for aid form, available on the forms page of our website (finaid.umich.edu/forms) on Feb. 1, 2021. You may complete an electronic or paper version of this form. To be eligible for Spring Term aid, you must register for classes according to your academic program requirements and be enrolled at least half-time.

LOAN FORGIVENESS

The U.S. Department of Education has general loan forgiveness programs as well as those specifically for teaching programs. Visit https://studentaid.ed.gov/repay-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/charts/teacher to find out more.