

Cal Northern School of Law Cost of Attendance 2026-2027

Estimated Budget for 1st Year Student/12 months (23 units)

	Without Parent	With Parent
Tuition and fees (\$847/per unit) 1	\$ 19,876.00	\$ 19,876.00
Books and Supplies 2	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Food 3	\$ 10,512.00	\$ 16,716.00
Housing 4	\$ 22,236.00	\$ 1,200.00
Transportation 5	\$ 2,208.00	\$ 1,608.00
Personal/Misc. 6	\$ 7,608.00	\$ 6,084.00
Child/Dependent Care	Reasonable expenses with adequate documentation provided by the student, depending upon age and number of children	
Loan Fees	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$ 64,940.00	\$ 47,984.00

Estimated Budget for 2nd Year Student/12 months (22 units)

	Without Parent	With Parent
Tuition and fees (\$847/per unit) 1	\$ 19,029.00	\$ 19,029.00
Books and Supplies 2	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Food 3	\$ 10,512.00	\$ 16,716.00
Housing 4	\$ 22,236.00	\$ 1,200.00
Transportation 5	\$ 2,208.00	\$ 1,608.00
Personal/Misc. 6	\$ 7,608.00	\$ 6,084.00
Child/Dependent Care	Reasonable expenses with adequate documentation provided by the student, depending upon age and number of children	
Loan Fees	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$ 64,093.00	\$ 47,137.00

Estimated Budget for 3rd Year Student/12 months (22 units)

	Without Parent	With Parent
Tuition and fees (\$847/ per unit) 1	\$ 19,029.00	\$ 19,029.00
Books and Supplies 2	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Food 3	\$ 10,512.00	\$ 16,716.00
Housing 4	\$ 22,236.00	\$ 1,200.00
Transportation 5	\$ 2,208.00	\$ 1,608.00
Personal/Misc. 6	\$ 7,608.00	\$ 6,084.00
Child/Dependent Care	Reasonable expenses with adequate documentation provided by the student, depending upon age and number of children	
Loan Fees	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$ 64,093.00	\$ 47,137.00

Estimated Budget for 4th Year Student/9 months (17 units)

	Without Parent	With Parent
Tuition and fees (\$770/per unit) 1	\$ 13,585.00	\$ 13,585.00
Books and Supplies 2	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Food 3	\$ 7,884.00	\$ 12,537.00
Housing 4	\$ 16,677.00	\$ 1,200.00
Transportation 5	\$ 1,656.00	\$ 1,206.00
Personal/Misc. 6	\$ 5,706.00	\$ 4,563.00
Child/Dependent Care	Reasonable expenses with adequate documentation provided by the student, depending upon age and number of children	
Loan Fees	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$ 48,008.00	\$ 35,591.00

1. Includes all mandatory fees.
2. The breakdown for this category is: Books (\$1,500), educational supplies (\$100) and computer related expenses (\$400).
3. Includes food, snacks and meals.
4. Includes rent and utilities.
5. Includes travel to and from parent's or student's residence and transportation costs to and from classes and work (e.g., bus fare, gasoline, tolls, parking).
6. Includes clothing, laundry and dry-cleaning, personal care, gifts, recreation, medical, etc.

NOTE: The expense budgets shown on this table are based on average expenses reported by students at the University of California, California State University, California independent institutions, and California Community Colleges in the 2024-2025 Student Expenses and Resources Survey (SEARS), with the exception of the book allowance. An average of actual book costs were used.