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Tuition and fees are established by the Board of Trustees of Colorado School of Mines following the annual budget process and action by the Colorado General Assembly and Governor.

Tuition

The official tuition and approved charges for the academic year will be available prior to the start of the academic year and can be found online on the Bursar's website.

Fees

The official fees, approved charges, and fee descriptions for the academic year will be available prior to the start of the academic year and can be found online on the Bursar's website.

Housing & Dining Rates

Room and board charges are established by the Board of Trustees and are subject to change. Payment of room and board charges falls under the same guidelines as payment of tuition and fees. For more information, go to Resident Life's website or Mines Dining.

Payments and Refunds

Financial Responsibility

It is the student's responsibility to abide by Mines payment and refund policies when registering for classes.

- Full payment of tuition and fees are due by 4 p.m. MST on the first business day following Census Day for each term. Please see the Bursar's website for specific semester information.
- Students are responsible for viewing their account balance online through Trailhead. Mines generates electronic invoices only, no paper invoices will be mailed.
- Students are responsible for dropping their courses by the published drop deadline if they don't plan to attend. Failure to do so will result in charges incurred on the student account.

If you don't fulfill your financial obligations:

- Any unpaid balance at 4 p.m. MST on the due date will be assessed a 1.5% late fee.
- An additional 1.5% late fee will be assessed to any unpaid balance each month thereafter.
- Accounts not paid in full by the last day to drop classes are considered past due. Holds will be placed on past due accounts preventing registration, transcripts, diplomas, and access to other student records.
- Accounts not paid in full at the end of each semester are considered delinquent. Delinquent accounts will be turned over to a collections agency in accordance with Colorado law and all collection fees and costs will be added to the account balance.

The collection agency may report delinquent accounts to the national credit bureau.

- Students whose accounts have been sent to a collection agency must pay their balance in full and prepay for any subsequent semester before registration will be allowed.
- Any students whose debt to Mines was written off due to a bankruptcy discharge will be required to prepay for future semesters before registration will be allowed.

Refunds

The amount of tuition and fee assessments is based primarily on each student's enrolled courses. In the event a student withdraws from a course or courses, assessments will be adjusted as follows:

- If withdrawal from a course or courses is made prior to the end of the add/drop period for the term of enrollment, as determined by the Registrar, tuition and fees will be adjusted to the new course level without penalty.
- If withdrawal from a course or courses is made after the add/drop period, regardless of whether or not the student officially withdraws from Mines, no adjustments in charges will be made.

Please note: students receiving federal financial aid under the Title IV programs may have a different refund as required by federal law or regulations.

Room and board refunds are pro-rated to the date of checkout from the Residence Hall. Arrangements must be made with the Housing Office.

Student health insurance charges are not refundable. The insurance remains in effect for the entire semester.