

Tuition Payment Estimator

Professional Communication - MA

May 2025 - Online

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[Tuition & fees | Royal Roads University](#)

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Payment Options: Full Year/Program or Monthly	Option 1: Full Year Option	An estimated full year amount will be calculated for each program; students choosing to pay each year in full will have the annual installment fee waived. Programs with a duration of 12 months or less will calculate a full program amount.
	Option 2: Monthly Option	Invoices will be issued monthly on the 1st of the month prior to each course start date and due on the 21st of the month of each course start date. An annual installment fee applies for students choosing the monthly payment option.

Option 1: Full Payment	Estimated Full Year Tuition and Ancillary Fees	Months of study included in full year calculations	Domestic	International
Tuition Deposit (Mandatory)	**Tuition Deposit paid with acceptance into the program and applied to the first invoice.		\$550	\$5,000
Year 1 - estimated due Apr 21, 2025	Estimated Full Year 1 Tuition and Ancillary Fees - after deposit applied	May 2025 to Apr 2026	\$16,568	\$17,915
Year 2 - estimated due Apr 21, 2026	Estimated Full year 2 Tuition and Ancillary Fees	May 2026 to Apr 2027	\$12,392	\$16,842
Estimated Total Program Tuition and Ancillary Fees (full payment option)			\$29,510	\$39,757

**Annual Installment Fee Waived for Full Year Payments - see Ancillary Fee Rate Table Pg 2 for full list of fees

Option 2: Monthly Payment	*Students choosing the monthly invoicing option should refer to their program schedule to determine course start dates, course credit values, and elective options. Tuition and fees can then be calculated using the information below: cost per credit multiplied by course credit value = tuition for that course.			
Program Schedule	Master of Arts in Professional Communication Royal Roads University	To calculate your estimated monthly invoice - refer to the program schedule to determine course start dates, course credit values, and elective options.		
Tuition Invoicing Schedule	Invoices will be emailed on the 1st of the month prior to each course start date			
	Invoices are due on the 21st of the month prior to each course start date			
		Domestic	International	
Tuition Deposit	Tuition Deposit Due with Acceptance into the Program and will be credited towards the 1st invoice.		\$550	\$5,000
Tuition Cost per Credit	2024-2025 Cost per credit *Approved Applied to courses starting between Sept 1, 2024 and Aug 31, 2025		\$775.31	\$1,035.69
	2025-2026 Cost per credit *Estimated Applied to courses starting between Sept 1, 2025 and Aug 31, 2026		\$791	\$1,087
Ancillary Fees (full program)	Refer to Ancillary Fee Table on page 2 Ancillary fees Royal Roads University		\$1,780	\$1,780
Total Estimated Program Cost - Pay by Course Option for full credit load			\$30,063	\$40,309

*Annual Installment Fee invoiced for monthly payment option - see Ancillary Fee Rate Table for list of fees


Helpful Links

Tuition Deposit Refund Policy
Tuition and Fees Refund Policy

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The schedule below is a sample of estimated course costs and ancillary fee invoices for the 2024-2025 year; this schedule is not an invoice.

Students should refer to their individual enrolments and emailed invoice to determine exact tuition and fees due.

Program Schedule	Master of Arts in Professional Communication Royal Roads University	To calculate your estimated monthly invoice - refer to the program schedule to determine course start dates, course credit values, and elective options. A sample of course costs and ancillary fees are listed on page 2.
Tuition Invoicing Schedule	Invoices will be emailed on the 1st of the month prior to each course start date	
	Invoices are due on the 21st of the month prior to each course start date	

Tuition Rate Table		Domestic	International
Professional Communication - MA	2024-2025 Cost per credit		
	Applied to courses starting between Sept 1, 2024 and Aug 31, 2025	\$775.31	\$1,035.69
	2025-2026 Cost per credit *Estimated annual increase		
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<i>*2025-2026 rates estimated and rounded based on projected annual increase</i>			

Course	Description	Academic Year	Domestic	International
ITAI	Introduction to Academic Integrity	2024-2025	\$0	\$0
PCOM510	Introduction to Communication Theory	2024-2025	\$2,326	\$3,107
PCOM515	Research Process and Methods in Communication	2024-2025	\$2,326	\$3,107
PCOM550	Communication and Culture in Organizations	2024-2025	\$2,326	\$3,107
PCOM540	Communication, Culture, Media and Technology	2024-2025	\$2,326	\$3,107
PCOM640	Communication Policy, Politics and Law	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM630	Applied Communications Research and Research Propo	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM650 Research	Special Topics in Communication	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM633	Strategic Communication	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM530 Elective	Strategic Digital Communication	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM632 Elective	Conflict Analysis and Management	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM661 Thesis	Thesis	2025-2026	\$9,490	\$13,050
PCOM660 Research	Research Paper	2025-2026	\$4,745	\$6,525
<i>*2024-2025 rates are estimated and rounded based on projected annual increase</i>				

Ancillary Fee Rate Table	Ancillary fees Royal Roads University (see website for current rates)		*Year 1	*Year 2	*Total Fees - Full Program
Invoiced once per program	LSFG	Student Services Fee	\$308		\$1,780
Annual rate (prorated by month)	LEARNFE	Learning Support Services Fee	\$290	\$292	
Invoiced per on-campus residency	SPEFU	Special Function Fee	\$0	\$138	
Invoiced annually	RRUSA	Student Association Membership Fee	\$100	\$100	
Invoiced annually	INSFE	Installment Fee	\$273	\$279	
Additional Ancillary fees may apply	Different completion options/electives may have additional fees not outlined on this form; additional fees may apply based on chosen completion option. Additional ancillary fees may also apply for program completion plans that extend past normal completion time. All fees are estimates; view website link above for current ancillary fee rates.				