

## Tuition Payment Estimator

### Professional Communication - MA

May 2026 - Online

This Tuition Estimator is provided to students to use as an informational budgeting tool; it is not an invoice. Tuition estimates are for the entire program.

Rates on this schedule are rounded for display purposes; a student's actual invoice will contain unrounded rate calculations.

All tuition and fees are invoiced based on individual student enrolments; any changes to enrolments, credit load, electives, or program duration may result in additional or increased fee rates.

Approved tuition and ancillary fee rates for the current year are published on the University website:

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

**\*Tuition and fees are reviewed annually and subject to annual increase estimated as 2% for domestic students and 5% for international students.**

All tuition and ancillary fees subject to change without notice. RRU reserves the right to correct any errors or omissions on this form.

The University is not bound by any estimated program tuition provided. In the case of discrepancy between an estimate and an invoice; the invoice will prevail.

**The schedule below is a sample of estimated course costs and ancillary fee invoices for the current academic year; this schedule is not an invoice.**

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

Option 1: Full Payment	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.	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 21/26	Estimated Full Year 1 Tuition and Ancillary Fees - <b>after deposit applied</b>	May 2026 to Apr 2027	\$16,907	\$19,034
Year 2 - estimated due Apr 21/27	Estimated Full year 2 Tuition and Ancillary Fees	May 2027 to Apr 2028	\$12,493	\$17,521
<b>Estimated Total Program Tuition and Ancillary Fees (full payment option)</b>			<b>\$29,949</b>	<b>\$41,555</b>

\*\*Annual Installment Fee Waived for Full Year Payments

<b>Option 2: Installments (course by course)</b>	Invoices will be issued on the 1st of the month prior to each course start date and due on the 21st of the month prior to each course start date. An annual installment fee applies for students choosing the course by course payment option.
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Program Schedule [Master of Arts in Professional Communication](#)

To calculate estimated monthly invoices - refer to the program schedule to determine course start dates, course credit values, and elective options.

		Domestic	International	
Tuition Deposit	Tuition Deposit Due with Acceptance into the Program and will be credited towards the 1st invoice.	\$550	\$5,000	
Course	Description	Academic Year	Domestic	International
LSFG	<a href="#">Student Services Fee</a>	2025-2026	\$314	\$314
INSFE	<a href="#">Installment Fee Y1</a>	2025-2026	\$279	\$279
RRUSA	<a href="#">Royal Roads Student Association Fee</a>	2025-2026	\$100	\$100
LEARNFE	<a href="#">Learning Support Services Fee (pro-rated based on months of study)</a>	2025-2026	\$294	\$294
ITAI	Introduction to Academic Integrity	2025-2026	\$0	\$0
PCOM510	Introduction to Communication Theory	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM515	Research Process and Methods in Communication	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM550	Communication and Culture in Organizations	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM540	Communication, Culture, Media and Technology	2025-2026	\$2,372	\$3,262
PCOM640	Communication Policy, Politics and Law	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
PCOM630	Applied Communications Research and Research Proposal	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
PCOM650 RESEARCH	Special Topics in Communication	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
INSFE	<a href="#">Installment Fee Y2</a>	2026-2027	\$284	\$284
RRUSA	<a href="#">Royal Roads Student Association Fee</a>	2026-2027	\$100	\$100
LEARNFE	<a href="#">Learning Support Services Fee (pro-rated based on months of study)</a>	2026-2027	\$293	\$293
PCOM633	Strategic Communication	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
PCOM530 ELECTIVE	Strategic Digital Communication	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
PCOM632 ELECTIVE	Conflict Analysis and Management	2026-2027	\$2,420	\$3,426
PCOM661 THESIS	Thesis	2026-2027	\$9,679	\$13,702
PCOM660 RESEARCH	Research Paper	2026-2027	\$4,840	\$6,851
		<b>Program Amount</b>	<b>\$30,513</b>	<b>\$42,118</b>

<b>Additional Ancillary fees may apply</b>	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.
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\*ancillary fees are rounded and annual increase has been estimated

\*\* rates are estimated and rounded based on projected annual increase

#### Helpful Links

Tuition Deposit Refund Policy  
Tuition and Fees Refund Policy

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International Payment Methods

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