

Postgraduate Research 1st year (i.e. PhD)

Maximum Cost of Living Expenses 2023/2024

Costs	Weekly £	No. of Weeks	Total Academic Year
Rent / Housing	140	52	£7,280
Utilities	45	52	£2,340
Food	70	52	£3,640
Travel Expenses	20	52	£1,040
Personal	80	52	£4,160
Books / Computer Equipment / Printing	-	-	£860
Flights home (2 per year)	-	-	£2,500
Loan origination fees	Unsub	Grad Plus	Approximate Total
1 st year (Private) *	n/a	n/a	n/a
1 st year (Federal) **	£161	£1,562	£1,723
Visa	-	-	£363
Healthcare Surcharge (4 - year degree)	-	-	£2,115
Conversion Rate		1.35 ***	
Maximum Living Expenses – 1 st year (Private)	£24,298		\$32,802 USD
Maximum Living Expenses – 1 st year (Federal)	£26,021		\$35,128 USD

- This is an example. You will be emailed with a financial aid package that is specific to your situation.
- Visa and Healthcare Surcharge fees and included for 1st year students only for the duration of their degree.
- * Private Loans are not eligible for Origination fees to be included within the Cost of Attendance calculation.
- ** This is an approximate value. Actual origination fees will vary with type and value of loan. Origination fees for 2023/2024 will be available on the following link once determined by the US Department of Education. <https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/loans/interest-rates#fees>
- ***Please see Exchange rate for information <https://www.abdn.ac.uk/students/finance/us-federal-direct-loans.php#panel2228>