

## Employee Tuition Assistance Program FAQ

- *Will I have a tuition bill to pay?*

Yes, all employee participants will pay \$50 per credit hour for undergrad students or \$100 per credit hour for graduate students PLUS program fees, any differential tuition rates, and required insurance for certain programs. These rates are for up to six hours each semester. Any additional hours over six will be billed at the current rate. Current rates are listed under Tuition & Fees on the Bursar's website.

For dependents in the program, there is no limit on the hours that a student can take with the same rates above. Dependent children can continue in the program until age 26 only.

- *Can a spouse that is also a TWU employee use the dependent benefit?*

No, an employee that qualifies must use the employee tuition assistance benefit.

- *I have a child in high school that is attending TWU in a dual credit program. Can this program work in conjunction with the high school?*

No, this program does not apply for dual credit high school students.

- *Can someone give me the cost for a degree?*

No, there is no established fixed cost for any degree. Semester costs are based on the actual courses selected which can vary from semester to semester. Total hours for a degree vary also.

- *If I decide to drop a course or withdraw from all courses, will I still have to pay?*

Yes, unless a student withdraws prior to the start of the semester. Participants in the Tuition Assistance Program will follow the same published dates for drops, withdrawals, and refunds, if applicable.

- *Do I need to pay my bill as soon as I'm approved for the Tuition Assistance Program?*

It depends on when you are approved. All participants will follow the same published payment deadlines and can set up the semester installment plan if needed.

- *Can participants receive financial aid for this program?*

Students will need to complete the FASFA application and consult with the Financial Aid Office for eligibility.