

LOCAL AREA FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

2021 – 2022

NAME OF INSTITUTION	LOCATION(S)	PUBLIC/	TUITION ¹	ROOM/BOARD ²	WEB ADDRESS
		PRIVATE	(Annual)		
Aurora University *	Aurora, Woodstock	Private	26,400	10,000	www.aurora.edu
Benedictine University *	Lisle	Private	34,290	7661	www.ben.edu
Chicago State University *	Chicago	Public	9,360	6,400	www.csu.edu
Columbia College Chicago *	Chicago	Private	26,610	9617	www.colum.edu
Columbia College (Missouri)	Crystal Lake, Gurnee, Elgin	Private	13,248	No housing	www.ccis.edu
Concordia University *	River Forest	Private	33,934	10,762	www.cuchicago.edu
DePaul University *	Chicago, O'Hare, Naperville, Oak Forest	Private	41,361	11,392	www.depaul.edu
DeVry University *	Chicago, Gurnee, plus several IL locations	Private	15,420	See housing	www.devry.edu
Dominican University *	River Forest, Chicago, Grayslake	Private	34,950	10,549	www.dom.edu
Elmhurst University *	Elmhurst	Private	39,100	10,972	www.elmhurst.edu
Governors State University *	University Park, Chicago	Public	9,390	7569	www.govst.edu
Illinois Inst. of Technology *	Chicago	Private	48,670	13,582	www.iit.edu
Judson University *	Elgin	Private	28,840	10,510	www.judsonu.edu
Lake Forest College *	Lake Forest	Private	50,100	11,498	www.lakeforest.edu
Lewis University *	Chicago, Oakbrook, plus several IL locations	Private	35,262	8774	www.lewisu.edu
Loyola University *	Chicago, Lake Shore	Private	46,410	13,700	www.luc.edu
National-Louis University *	Skokie, Wheeling, Elgin, Chicago, Lisle	Private	18,000	15,400	www.nl.edu
North Central College *	Naperville	Private	42,026	11,878	www.noctrl.edu
Northeastern Illinois Univ. *	Chicago	Public	12,366	8,760	www.neiu.edu
Northern Illinois University *	DeKalb, Hoffman Estates	Public	9,606	11,024	www.niu.edu
North Park College *	Chicago	Private	32,380	10,130	www.northpark.edu
Northwestern University	Evanston, Chicago, Loop Location	Private	60,276	18,264	www.northwestern.edu
Roosevelt University *	Chicago, Schaumburg	Private	31,493	12,000	www.roosevelt.edu
St. Xavier University *	Chicago, Tinley Park	Private	33,960	10,760	www.sxu.edu
School of the Art Institute	Chicago	Private	52,200	12,500	www.saic.edu
Trinity International University *	Deerfield, Dolton (South Chicago)	Private	32,398	10,920	www.tiu.edu
Univ. of Illinois-Chicago *	Chicago	Public	10,776	13,531	www.uic.edu

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¹Tuition for a **full-time** student (without additional fees added).

²Room and Board column gives lowest cost option; residence hall/meal plan choice cost vary.

NOTE: All schools have additional fees (i.e. activity, health, insurance, facility, technology, books etc.). Check individual school websites, fees vary.

TIP: The tuition listed for both public and private colleges are before financial aid packages and scholarships are factored in, leading many applicants to believe that private schools are not affordable. However, many private colleges offer more financial aid packages, often of a higher value, than public universities. Once you factor in these aid packages, the cost of tuition can many times be equal to or less than that of public schools.

OUT OF AREA FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

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Augustana College	Rock Island	Private	46,039	11,496	www.augustana.edu
Bradley University *	Peoria	Private	35,940	11,628	www.bradley.edu
Eastern Illinois University *	Charleston (online options)	Public	9,661	10,342	www.eiu.edu
Illinois State University *	Normal	Public	11,522	6,704	www.illinoisstate.edu
Illinois Wesleyan University	Bloomington	Private	52,308	12,112	www.iwu.edu
Lakeview College of Nursing *	Danville	Private	15,908	See EIU	www.lakeviewcol.edu
Lincoln College *	Lincoln	Private	18,700	8,400	www.lincolncollege.edu
McKendree University *	Lebanon	Private	31,700	10,970	www.mckendree.edu
Millikin University *	Decatur	Private	38,800	12,690	www.millikin.edu
Monmouth College	Monmouth	Private	41,240	9,908	www.monm.edu
Olivet-Nazarene University *	Bourbonnais	Private	36,450	9,490	www.olivet.edu
Rockford University *	Rockford	Private	33,750	9,820	www.rockford.edu
Saint Anthony College of Nursing	Rockford	Private	24,720	No housing	www.sacn.edu
Southern Illinois University *	Carbondale, Grayslake	Public	9,638	10,622	www.siu.edu
University of Illinois-Springfield *	Springfield	Public	9,502	9,760	www.uis.edu
University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign *	Urbana	Public	16-21,960	12,494	www.uiuc.edu
University of St. Francis *	Joliet	Private	35,000	5,310	www.stfrancis.edu
Western Illinois University *	Macomb (online options)	Public	9,238	10,193	www.wiu.edu

POPULAR OUT OF STATE UNIVERSITIES (Tuition is based on out of state, or “non-residents” tuition rates)

Arizona State University	Tempe (AZ)	Public	10,710	14,398	www.asu.edu
Beloit College	Beloit, Wisconsin	Private	54,184	10,028	www.beloit.edu
Carthage College	Wisconsin	Private	33,000	12,400	www.carthage.edu
Marquette University	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	Private	44,970	13,656	www.marquette.edu
Michigan State University	East Lansing	Public	40,726	10,676	www.msu.edu
Purdue University	West Lafayette (Indiana)	Public	28,794	10,030	www.purdue.edu
Iowa State University	Ames, Iowa	Public	25,446	9,088	www.iastate.edu
Indiana State University	Terre Haute, Indiana	Public	12,114	11,182	www.indstate.edu
Indiana Wesleyan University,	Marion, Indiana	Private	26,630	8,480	www.indwes.edu
University of Iowa	Iowa City, Iowa	Public	31,905	11,780	www.uiowa.edu
Ripon College	Ripon, Wisconsin	Private	47,800	9,900	www.ripon.edu
University of Michigan	Ann Arbor, Dearborn, Flint	Public	53,232	12,592	www.umich.edu
University of Wisconsin Milwaukee	Wisconsin	Public	13,655	7,534	www.uwm.edu
University of Wisconsin Parkside	Wisconsin	Public	15,712	7,534	www.uwp.edu
University of Wisconsin Whitewater	Wisconsin	Public	16,602	7,200	www.uww.edu

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