

George Mason University
Spring 2021 Graduate Programs Tuition Rates
Schar School of Policy and Government

Mandatory Student Fee: This is a mandatory fee based on credit enrollment. The Mandatory Student Fee supports the maintenance of facilities and buildings, auxiliary services, intercollegiate athletics, campus shuttle, academic services, student activities, and health services. Students are charged \$146 per credit. For more information, please refer to [Mandatory Student Fees](#) on the Student Accounts Office website, Tuition & Fees.

Graduate New Student Fee: This is a mandatory, non-refundable, one-time fee. The fee is charged to the account of every newly admitted, degree-seeking student at the time of registration, regardless of orientation attendance or enrollment status. The new student fee is \$60.00.

Please Note: In addition to the tuition and fees described below, various course and lab fees may be assessed depending on the course(s) in which the student is enrolled. Additional information is available on the Student Accounts Office web site.

Schar School of Policy and Government Tuition Rates			
Program	Charge	In State Tuition	Out of State Tuition
Masters and PhD in Political Science	Tuition	\$524.75 per credit	\$1,412.75 per credit
	Mandatory Student Fee	\$146 per credit	\$146 per credit
	Total Tuition and Fees	\$670.75 per credit	\$1,558.75 per credit

Program	Charge	In State Tuition	Out of State Tuition
Masters in Public Administration and MPA Certificates	Tuition	\$724.75 per credit	\$1,512.75 per credit
	Mandatory Student Fee	\$146 per credit	\$146 per credit
	Total Tuition and Fees	\$870.75 per credit	\$1,658.75 per credit

Program	Charge	In State Tuition	Out of State Tuition
Masters in Biodefense and Certificates	Tuition	\$724.75 per credit	\$1,512.75 per credit
	Mandatory Student Fee	\$146 per credit	\$146 per credit
	Total Tuition and Fees	\$870.75 per credit	\$1,658.75 per credit

Program	Charge	In State Tuition	Out of State Tuition
All Other Graduate Programs	Tuition	\$724.75 per credit	\$1,512.75 per credit
	Mandatory Student Fee	\$146 per credit	\$146 per credit
	Total Tuition and Fees	\$870.75 per credit	\$1,658.75 per credit