

Student Costs

VIEW YOUR STUDENT ACCOUNT

To view charges and other transactions to your student account:

1. Go to the MDCC web-site by using the following URL - www.msdelta.edu
2. Click on "My Access".
3. Log on to "My Access".
4. Click the My Account link.

Any questions concerning fee payments or fee charges should be directed to the Student Accounts Manager in the Business Office

MEAL TICKETS

For those students who plan to live in the dorm at MDCC, you must have a valid Mississippi Delta Community College ID card. Please remember that your ID card will be used as your meal ticket. Check the MDCC web-site for additional information.

PELL GRANT REFUNDS

Pell grant refunds will be mailed out after **60%** of school has been completed. Pell grants will not appear on your account until this time has been reached. You may then view your student account online to check for refund amounts. Actual dates of refund mail outs will be posted at a later date.

STUDENT FEES

Mississippi Delta Community College is a public tax-supported institution. The fees and costs in all departments of the college are set on a semester basis. Statements showing unpaid balances on student accounts are mailed to the student at least twice a semester. It shall be the responsibility of the student to see that all bills are paid promptly. Each dormitory student must purchase a meal ticket. The student's id will be activated for the cafeteria upon payment of board. Students not holding an activated id card for meals for the current boarding period will be required to pay the cafeteria cash for their meals until the id is activated. So far as possible, the living expenses will not exceed the amounts listed below; however, MDCC reserves the right to make fee increases in the event it becomes necessary.

Students Costs:

Tuition fee, per semester.....	\$960.00
Housing Fees (Room & Board) per semester.....	\$1,235.00
Out-of-State fee per semester.....	\$804.00

Law Enforcement Tuition & Fees:
 Ten-Week Basic Course.....\$2,700.00
 Three-Week Basic Refresher Course.....\$675.00

Commuting Student --- in-state:
 Total cost per semester.....\$960.00
 Total cost per year.....\$1,920.00

Dorm Student, parent in-state resident:
 Total cost per semester.....\$2,195.00
 Total cost per year.....\$4,390.00

Commuting Student --- out-of-state resident:
 Total cost per semester.....\$1,764.00
 Total cost per year.....\$3,528.00

Dorm Student, parent out-of-state resident:
 Total cost per semester.....\$2,999.00
 Total cost per year.....\$5,998.00

Other Costs:
 Off Campus Fee per credit hour.....\$15.00
 VCC Fee per class.....\$15.00
 Room Reservation Fee.....\$50.00
 Part-time tuition fee.....\$83.00

For holders of MDCC identification card:
 Breakfast and evening per meal.....\$4.75
 Lunch and evening meal per meal.....\$5.25

Non Resident Fee – For students whose parents or guardians are not legal residents of the State of Mississippi, there is a nonresident tuition fee of \$804 per semester. This fee is included in the above fees above.

House Bill No. 524 which became effective July 1, 2005 provides the following:
 The residence of a person less than twenty-one years of age is that of the father, the mother or a general guardian duly appointed by a proper court in Mississippi. If a court has granted custody of the minor to one (1) parent, the residence of the minor is that of the parent who was granted custody by the court. A student who has been a secondary school student in Mississippi for not less than the final four (4) years of secondary school attendance shall not be required to pay out-of-state tuition.

Part-Time Tuition – A tuition charge of \$83 per semester hour will be made for all students enrolled for less than twelve semester hours. Part-time students are entitled to course privileges only.

Graduation Fee – A fee of \$50 is paid by all who graduate. This fee includes the cost of diploma and rental of cap and gown.

Room Reservations – Requests for dormitory room reservations should be made to the Vice President of Business Services. The reservation fee is \$50. Remittance should be made by check or money order, payable to Mississippi Delta Community College. This fee may be refunded if a request is submitted on or before August 1. Upon withdrawal from college, the room deposit, less any amount assessed for damage, will be mailed to the student's home address. A student who leaves the dormitory without checking out with the Head Resident forfeits his/her room deposit.

Other Fees:

Class Withdrawal/Schedule Change.....	\$5.00
Return Check Fee.....	\$15.00
Transcript.....	\$5.00
Duplicate Student Activity Card (ID).....	\$25.00
Vehicle Registration.....	\$10.00

To view the current fee payment schedule, go to the MDCC website and click on Business Office.

INSTITUTIONAL REFUND POLICY

Refund of Fees:

Refunds are based on total charges and not on the amount paid by the student. A student who officially withdraws from the college, may obtain a refund of college fees as follows:

1. Matriculation Fee:
 - 75% if withdrawal is made within the first week
 - 50% if withdrawal is made within the second week
 - 25% if withdrawal is made within the third week
 - No refund if enrollment extends three weeks beyond the opening date
2. Club dues are non-refundable
3. Board: No deduction made for an absence of less than one week
4. Dorm room rent is non-refundable
5. A student in receipt of educational assistance from the Veterans Administration in a non-accredited course is refunded on a prorated basis for charges for tuition and fees, in the event the student withdraws or is discontinued.

Students on financial aid will not receive refunds until funds representing awards have been applied back to the respective accounts. All refunds will be returned to programs on the prorated basis and according to the components of the financial aid package. All refunds will be made in the following priority order:

1. Federal Sources (FSE06, Pell, Work-study)

2. State Sources (LEAP, MTAG, MESH, Help, Critical needs, William Winter)
3. Other Sources of Aid
4. To the student withdrawing

Financial aid is considered to be used first for direct educational costs – tuition, fees, room, and board, if in the MDCC dorm. During the first 60% of the semester, a student earns Title IV funds in direct proportion to the length of time he or she remained enrolled. That is the percentage of time during the semester that the student remained enrolled is the percentage of disburseable aid for that semester that the student earned. A student who remains enrolled beyond the 60% point of the semester earns all aid for that semester. Therefore, the student is eligible for a refund, if the award is in excess of the charges.

PRO RATA REFUND PROCEDURE

The institutional refund policy does not apply to first time Title IV recipients at MDCC. The Pro Rata Refund Formula will be used in place of the institutional refund policy.

Institutional Charges:

1. Tuition
2. Books
3. Dorm
4. Out-Of-State Fee

Non-Institutional Charges:

1. Supplies
2. Club fees
3. Other fees

All institutional charges may be covered by financial aid, if student is eligible. However, supplies and other non-institutional fees are the responsibility of the student. Upon withdrawal, the student's account will be adjusted and he/she will be billed for any unpaid charges.