

**Mercer University**

Macon, GA

**Tuition and Expenses**

Cost of Attendance	\$53,394
Tuition and Fees	\$36,894
Room and Board	\$12,522
Books and Supplies	\$1,200
Other Expenses	\$2,778
Payment Plans	

**Applying for Financial Aid****Financial Aid Office**

Email	<a href="mailto:mason_td@mercer.edu">mason_td@mercer.edu</a>
Web Site	<a href="https://financialaid.mercer.edu/">https://financialaid.mercer.edu/</a>
Net Price Calculator URL	Not reported

**Application Process**

Application Deadline	Priority deadline February 1
Award Notification	On a rolling basis beginning February 1
Methodology for Awarding Institutional Aid	Federal and Institutional Methodologies
Forms Required	Cost to File
FAFSA Code is 001580	Free

**Profile of 2019 - 20 Financial Aid**
**Freshman**

Financial Aid Applicants	<b>832 (92.4%) of freshmen</b>
Found to Have Financial Need	<b>641 (77.0%) of applicants</b>
Received Financial Aid	<b>641 (100.0%) of applicants with financial need</b>
Need Fully Met	<b>275 (42.9%) of aid recipients</b>
Average Percent of Need Met	<b>89%</b>
Average Award	<b>\$38,824</b>
Need-Based Gift	<b>Received by 641 (100.0%) of aid recipients, average amount \$29,043</b>
Need-Based Self-Help	<b>Received by 386 (60.2%) of aid recipients, average amount \$9,778</b>
Merit-Based Gift	<b>Received by 174 (27.1%) of aid recipients</b>
Merit-Based Gift	<b>248 (27.6%) of freshmen had no financial need and received merit aid, average amount \$20,303</b>

**All Undergraduates**

Financial Aid Applicants	<b>2,783 (83.6%) of undergraduates</b>
Found to Have Financial Need	<b>2,247 (80.7%) of applicants</b>
Received Financial Aid	<b>2,247 (100.0%) of applicants with financial need</b>
Need Fully Met	<b>924 (41.1%) of aid recipients</b>
Average Percent of Need Met	<b>85%</b>
Average Award	<b>\$37,583</b>
Need-Based Gift	<b>Received by 2,241 (99.7%) of aid recipients, average amount \$26,745</b>
Need-Based Self-Help	<b>Received by 1,408 (62.7%) of aid recipients, average amount \$10,983</b>
Merit-Based Gift	<b>Received by 586 (26.1%) of aid recipients</b>
Merit-Based Gift	<b>1,029 (30.9%) of undergraduates had no financial need and received merit aid, average amount \$20,027</b>

**Borrowing**

2019 Graduates Who Took Out Loans	<b>59%</b>
Average Indebtedness of 2019 Graduates	<b>\$27,949</b>
Parents of Students Receiving Aid	<b>14.0%</b>
Parents of Students Not Receiving Aid	<b>4.0%</b>

**Financial Aid Programs**
**Loans**

Federal Loans	Direct subsidized Stafford loans, direct unsubsidized Stafford loans, direct PLUS loans, Federal Perkins loans, Federal Nursing loans
State Loans	Available
Other Loans	College/university loans

**Scholarships and Grants**

Need-Based Available	Federal Pell grants, SEOG, State scholarships, Institutional scholarships, Private scholarships
Non-Need-Based Available	None

**Non-Need Awards**

Academic Interest/Achievement Award Areas	Biological Sciences, Business, Education, English, Home Economics, Military Science
Number of Awards	Not reported
Top Areas (By Money Awarded)	
Creative Arts/Performance Award Areas	Applied Art and Design, Debating, Journalism/Publications, Music, Theater/Drama
Number of Awards	Not reported
Top Areas (By Money Awarded)	
Special Achievements/Activities Award Areas	Cheerleading/Drum Major, Community Service, Leadership, Religious Involvement
Number of Awards	Not reported
Top Areas (By Money Awarded)	
Special Characteristics Award Areas	Adult Students, Children of Faculty/Staff, International Students, Religious Affiliation, Veterans, Veterans' Children
Number of Awards	Not reported
Top Areas (By Money Awarded)	

**Employment**

Work-Study Programs	Federal work study available
Average Earnings from On-Campus Employment	Not reported