

COLGATE OFFICE OF OFF-CAMPUS STUDY

ESTIMATE OF STUDENT EXPENSES

*SPRING 2024 WASHINGTON STUDY GROUP: January 20 - May 11, 2024*

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What follows is an *estimate* of study group costs and expenses. Actual figures will vary depending upon student spending habits, discretionary travel, and other individual considerations. It is the student's responsibility to understand costs and develop a budget. Financial aid will be based upon the total estimated cost of the study group. Questions about individual aid should be directed to the Office of Financial Aid at [finaid@colgate.edu](mailto:finaid@colgate.edu).

COST BREAKDOWN		
Costs billed by Colgate to student account:		\$39,822
TUITION & FEES: Colgate spring 2024 tuition (\$33,311); Student Activity Fee (\$201) <sup>1</sup>	\$33,512	
HOUSING & FOOD: Room at study group location (\$5,895) + room (\$100) & meals on excursions (\$315)	\$6,505	
Expenses paid directly by student:		\$6,600
FOOD: Food and meals at study group site <sup>2</sup>	\$3,200	
TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip airfare JFK – Reagan National Airport <sup>3</sup>	\$500	
TRANSPORTATION: Round trip airport transport or other transportation to study group site (\$100) + local transportation in D.C. (\$600)	\$700	
PERSONAL EXPENSES: Estimated expenses including toiletries, professional attire, personal travel & other incidental <sup>4</sup>	\$2,000	
BOOKS & SUPPLIES: books, maps, & stationery	\$200	

<b>Total estimated cost of the S24 Washington Study Group:</b>		<b>\$46,422</b>
Total estimated cost of a spring 2024 semester on Colgate campus: <sup>5</sup>		\$43,849*
The S24 Washington Study Group is <b>estimated to cost \$2,573 more</b> than a fall 2023 semester on campus:		<b>\$2,573</b>

\*On-campus semester costs vary by individual, range: \$43,510 - \$44,549

<sup>1</sup>Half of the Student Activity Fee will be put toward a student-directed activity in Washington, D.C..

<sup>2</sup>Students will prepare their own meals or eat out.

<sup>3</sup>Students may choose to pay for airfare by using their credit card or billing their student account. Itinerary and travel options will be reviewed during required pre-departure meetings. Some students may elect to drive to Washington, D.C.

<sup>4</sup>Includes necessary and personal expenses; varies among individuals based on needs and interests.

<sup>5</sup>Estimated cost of an on-campus semester based on housing figures for upperclassmen; semester costs vary by individual, range: \$43,510 - \$44,549.