

2025-26 BLA INFORMATION

BLA TUITION and FEES per quarter | Autumn 2025, Winter 2026, Spring 2026

For more details related to tuition and fees (Resident and Non-resident; per credit and part time; and other variations) and other variations, please see [UW OPB Quarterly Tuition and Fees](#)

Tuition category: Undergraduate

Full-time Tuition (10-18 credits/quarter)

	Quarterly Tuition	Annual Tuition
Resident (WA State)	\$4,469	\$14,880
Non-resident (non-WA State / International)	\$14,880	\$44,640

ESTIMATED FEES + OTHER COSTS FOR AN ACADEMIC YEAR (9 months Oct-June)

Autumn Quarter 2024 – Spring 2025 / 9 months

	Local student (living with relatives)	Traditional student (living on/off campus)	Student with dependents (living on/off campus)
Personal expenses	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
Books	\$900	\$900	\$900
Transportation (U-pass included in tuition)	\$800	\$500	\$1,600
Rent, utilities + food	\$6,000	\$18,400	\$22,700
Health insurance**	varies	varies	varies
Total estimated living expenses	\$10,200	\$22,300	\$27,700
Resident tuition (In-state)	\$14,880	\$14,880	\$14,880
Total estimated costs – Resident*	\$25,080	\$37,180	\$42,580
Non-resident tuition (Out-of-state/International)	\$44,640	\$44,640	\$44,640
Total estimated costs – Non-resident*	\$54,840	\$66,940	\$72,340
Computer and software (first year investment)	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000
Equipment + Supplies (first year investment)	\$500	\$500	\$500
Design Prep Week	\$150	\$150	\$150

* Does not include health insurance.

**[Required ISHIP Health Insurance](#) rates for International students can be found here: [International Student Health Insurance Plan \(ISHIP\) Insurance Rates](#)

Estimated costs are based on [Student Financial Aid - Student Budgets](#).

Other resources: [UW Student Financial Aid](#)
[UW Housing and Food Services - Housing and Dining Rates](#)

Health Insurance

Some [on-campus health services](#) are available for students.

U.S. Citizens: UW does not offer nor require health insurance for domestic students. Domestic students can seek coverage through [Washington Health Plan Finder](#). Learn more: <https://wellbeing.uw.edu/medical/insurance-cost/>

International Students: International students at UW are required by Federal and State laws to maintain health insurance, while studying in the United States. UW's International students are automatically enrolled for student-only coverage each quarter they register for classes. Learn more: [UW International Student Health Insurance Plan \(ISHIP\)](#) and [International Student Services - Health Insurance Requirement for International Students](#).

LENGTH OF PROGRAM

The standard timeline for BLA students is 9 quarters (or three years). However, students who enter the program with mostly completed general education requirements and significant progress towards BLA degree requirements may pursue an accelerated 7-quarter (two years plus one summer/autumn term) course sequence. When you enter the program, the Undergraduate Program Adviser will assess which sequence makes the most sense for you. You need to remain in sequence, as all landscape architecture and several directed elective courses are offered only once each academic year. Learn more: [UW//LA BLA Curriculum Guide](#)

BLA STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Total students: 39 students (Autumn 2025)

72% female, 20% male, 8% nonbinary/trans

95% domestic

86% WA resident + 14% non-WA resident

51% non-white (self-identified)

5% international

DOUBLE MAJOR + MINOR STUDENTS

BLA + Other major: 8% – Biology, Real Estate, Food Systems

BLA + Minor: 13% – Environmental Science Resource Management, Architecture, Scandinavian Area Studies, Global Health

ADMISSION RATES

Autumn 2025	16
Autumn 2024	15
Autumn 2023	20
Autumn 2022	15
Autumn 2021	16

GRADUATION RATES

Spring 2025	14
Spring 2024	8
Spring 2023	19
Spring 2022	11
Spring 2021	18

ALUMNI JOB PLACEMENT* as of June 2025

Class of 2024

56% Private Practice

11% Advanced Study

33% Unknown

Class of 2023

53% Private Practice

5% Government Practice

11% Landscape Horticulture/Design Build

5% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture

26% Unknown

Class of 2022

8% Graduate Education

33% Private Practice

8% Government Practice

17% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture

33% Unknown

Class of 2021

17% Advanced Study + Research

11% Private Practice

5% Government Practice

22% Landscape Horticulture/Design Build

22% Not Employed in Landscape Architecture

22% Unknown