

April 14, 2021

To students in the classes of 2022, 2023, and 2024,

I'm writing to inform you of Williams' comprehensive fee for the next academic year, 2021-22. Next year's fee, which includes tuition, room and board and student fees, will be \$74,660. This is the same amount Williams had originally announced for the 2020-21 year, before we introduced a further 15% reduction for pandemic conditions. If you're a financial aid recipient, your award will be adjusted in accordance with the new amount.

We're very grateful for your commitment and try to do our part by limiting annual increases and providing an education of lifelong value, well beyond the sticker price. Williams' small classes and tutorials, advanced research opportunities and rich array of student activities—from athletics to arts and sustainability to spiritual pursuits—have established the college as a national model for great liberal arts learning. That commitment also extends to the Class of '68 Career Exploration Center, which is there to help you imagine how your academic interests could form the basis of a rewarding career and future life.

The total cost of such an education is high, but we're committed to providing financial aid for those requiring support. We never want cost to prevent students from attending. We especially want to emphasize that point to families experiencing stresses during the pandemic. If circumstances in your home have changed recently, please contact our financial aid office right away at [finaid@williams.edu](mailto:finaid@williams.edu) or (413) 597-4181 so that we can try to help.

Thank you for your commitment to your learning and to Williams. We'll seek to honor your investment by providing a superb education—preparing you in every way we can to be effective and successful in your future.

Sincerely,



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