The tuition and fees rates are available on the Student Business Services (http://www.sbs.txstate.edu/) website.

The University reserves the right to change fees in keeping with the acts of the Texas Legislature and the Board of Regents of the Texas State University System.

## Tuition

## **Doctoral Excess Hours (99-hour Rule)**

In accordance with Texas Education Code §54.012 (http:// www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/Docs/ED/htm/ED.54.htm#54012), the university will incur a penalty once a doctoral student accumulates 100 or more doctoral semester credit hours. In response, the Texas State University System has a tuition structure (excessive hours fee) in which a doctoral student will be charged tuition at a rate equivalent to nonresident tuition for all doctoral semester credit hours exceeding 99. Courses taken by a doctoral student at the master's or undergraduate level will not count towards the 99 hours. If the student is admitted to a doctoral program from the bachelor's degree, the count begins after 30 hours of graduate coursework. This tuition structure applies to Texas residents as well as out-of-state residents and international students who were eligible to be charged tuition at the resident rate as a result of scholarship and fellowship awards or employment as Graduate Assistants. Students should contact the Ph.D. Program Director regarding this appeal process.

## **Special Fees and Charges**

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Admission Application Fee (mandatory & non-refundable)	\$75.00
Admissions Application & Evaluation Fee for International Applicants (mandatory & non- refundable)	\$90.00
Athletic Training Fee (to sophomores who have earned competitive admission to the undergraduate athletic training education program)	\$100.00
Auditing Fee	same as if course were taken for credit
Certificate Fee (payable when applying for teacher certification)	
Texas Standard Certificate	\$77.00
Deficiency Plan Fees (for students seeking teacher certification)	
First Plan	\$75.00
Additional Plans (each)	\$25.00
Late Payment Fee	\$65.00
Electronic Course Fee	\$50.00/semester credit hour
Evaluation of Foreign Credentials (for domestic applicants)	\$15.00
Payment Plan Enrollment Fee (for handling & other processing)	\$30.00
Late Registration Fee	
Prior to initial payment deadline	\$25.00
1st 7 class days - fall/spring	\$100.00

1st 2 class days - summer	\$25.00
8th-12th class day - fall/spring	\$200.00
3rd-4th class days - summer	\$25.00
Off-Campus Course Fee	\$30.00/semester credit hour
Transfer, International, and Other Types Orientation Fee	\$60.00
Physical Therapy Application Fee	\$50.00
Post-Baccalaureate Teaching Intern Application Fee	\$500.00
Returned Item Fee (for handling and other processing)	\$30.00
Transcript Fee (official copy)	\$5.00