

The Cost of Project Antioch

2023-2024



Everything in life costs money. We have worked to make this program very affordable, but there are real costs associated with it. The Southwest Church of Christ, individual donors, and partnering churches have made a major financial investment in this program because they believe it will have a powerful impact on your life and help strengthen the body of Christ. Below is a breakdown of the expenses you will have if you decide to join this exciting and life-changing program.

Basic Program Fee

\$5000

This amount includes the basic program expenses, including room and board, tuition, the Cascade Trek, the Puget Sound and Oregon Coast experiences, and other planned group excursions. Also included in this amount is the domestic or international mission/service experience.

Extra Expenses

\$400-1500

There are extra expenses based on your own individual circumstances. Plan for things like...

- Textbooks for classes (around \$150 total)
- Gas & spending money (\$200-300)
- Travel to Tigard, Oregon (\$0-1000)
- Passport, medical insurance, etc (\$0-500)

How do I pay for all this?

Personal Investment. As Proverbs 4:7 says, "The beginning of wisdom is this: Get wisdom. Though it cost all you have, get understanding." (NIV). Your spiritual life and growth is worth your investment. We recommend that you contribute at least 10-20% of the total expenses from your own *personal* pocket (around \$450-1000). If you are not willing to pay for at least some of the expenses for this experience, you will probably not invest enough of your heart and soul and mind into the program. It is good to learn now, at this critical time of life the importance of investing financially in your spiritual growth and development as a Christian.

Fundraising. Project Antioch is an intense discipleship training program that culminates in a mission/service experience. You should feel good about seeking financial support from friends, relatives, and churches to help you participate in this program and develop yourself for kingdom service. It is a humbling and awesome experience to have people who care about you invest in your personal & spiritual growth. For specific questions about fundraising contact Darren Williamson at darren.williamson@swest.org.

Payment Schedule

August 1	Deposit	\$250
Sept 1	Term 1 – Program Fee	\$2000
January 7	Term 2 – Program Fee	<u>\$2750</u>
	Total	\$5000