



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Dr. Charles W. Lindsay
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Dear Students and Parents:

This is the time of year when colleges announce tuition and fees for the coming academic year to assist with financial planning. I am pleased that Elmira College remains one of the country's more affordable private colleges. Tuition and fees represent about half of the total cost of the Elmira College experience, and many students pay far less due to our generous scholarship aid program.

We understand that during these unprecedented times, many students and their families are experiencing personal and financial challenges. With that in mind, Elmira College's tuition and fees **will not be increased for 2021-2022**. While the cost of an EC education remains competitive with other small, private colleges in our region, students will continue to receive an exceptional academic and co-curricular experience on our beautifully maintained campus.

Tuition and Fees for the 2021-22 Academic Year:

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| Tuition | \$34,578 |
| Room | 7,025 |
| Board | 6,100 |
| Comprehensive Fee | 1,650 |

Along with keeping tuition and fees the same for 2021-2022, we are introducing a payment plan option, which will allow students to spread payments over a 12-month period. While we will continue to offer 9- and 10-month payment plans, the 12-month option will help you keep monthly payments manageable. More information about the 12-month payment plan option will be available when fall bills are distributed.

In addition, beginning this fall, we are pleased to offer students the option to purchase tuition insurance through Liberty Mutual. If a student needs to withdraw or take a leave of absence due to physical illness/injury or mental health illness, 100% of tuition, fees, and room & board charges will be reimbursed by Liberty Mutual. This insurance, which will be available for less than \$200 per term for Fall and Winter, protects a student's investment in their education. Please watch for more information soon.

Holding tuition and fees constant and offering the financial opportunities described above are just some of the ways that we support each student's individual success. I look forward to welcoming everyone back to campus this fall.

Sincerely,

cc: Members of the Class of 2021 (information only)