## **Undergraduate Ancillary Fee Changes & Schedule for 2024-25**

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## **General Notes:**

- All Fee increases for the total amounts of the Waterloo Undergraduate Student Association and its subsidiary Student Societies and groups have been approved in accordance with the Bylaws, Policies, and Procedures of WUSA and those of the respective Student Society or group.
- Other Ancillary Fee increases included have received approval and support from WUSA's Board of Directors
- The CPI value used for adjustments for inflation was 3.9%. WUSA's fee policy chooses the calendar stated inflation from the 2023 calendar year. It is available at the Statistics Canada Annual report here: <a href="https://www150.statcan.gc.ca/n1/daily-quotidien/240116/dq240116b-eng.htm?indid=9305-1&indgeo=0">https://www150.statcan.gc.ca/n1/daily-quotidien/240116/dq240116b-eng.htm?indid=9305-1&indgeo=0</a>
- WUSA Board approved all changes on April 24, 2024.

## **Executive Summary of Scheduled Changes**

- Fee Changes for the WUSA Membership Base Fees:
  - WUSA Operations Fee Increase to \$42.19 (effective Fall 2024).
    - Increased by CPI rate and other increases approved by Board
    - PT Students pay 30%: \$12.66
  - WUSA Student Life Fee Increase to \$44.86 (effective Fall 2024).
    - Increased by CPI, other increases approved by Board & additional \$1.67 passed
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    - PT Students pay 30%: \$13.46
  - WUSA Academic Support and Advocacy Fee Increase to \$20.69 (effective Fall 2024).
    - Increased by CPI and other increases approved by Board
    - PT Students pay 30%: \$6.21
  - WUSA-UG Student Capital Program Increase to \$17.33 (effective Fall 2024).
    - Increased by CPI
    - PT Students pay 30%: \$5.20.
- Administered Fees: (effective Fall 2024)
  - WUSA-Student Assistance Program Unchanged
  - Legal Service <u>Unchanged</u>
  - Health Plan Fee
    - Reg Fall: <u>Increase to \$68.59</u>
    - Reg Winter: <u>Increase to \$137.18</u>
    - Co-op: <u>Increase to \$128.61</u>

- Dental Plan Fee
  - Reg Fall: <u>Increase to \$66.74</u>
  - Reg Winter: <u>Increase to \$133.48</u>
  - Co-op: <u>Increase to \$125.14</u>
- WUSA U-Pass Fee <u>Increase to \$124.92</u> assessed per term for all students, inclusive of contractually agreed upon increases with Grand River Transit (GRT) and administrative overhead.
- Student Refugee Program (SRP) <u>Unchanged</u>
- **UW Student Publications** <u>Decrease to \$5.40 and made Compulsory.</u>
  - Approved at March 2024 WUSA General Meeting
  - PT Students pay 30%: \$1.62
- **Orientation Fee –** <u>Increase to \$134.44</u>
  - Increased by CPI rate

## Fee Changes to WUSA Subsidiaries and Student Groups/Societies (only noted if changes occurring):

- Engineering Society Increase to \$20.46 (effective Fall 2024)
  - Approved by EngSoc Membership
- Math Society Increase to \$19.46 (effective Fall 2024)
  - Approved by MathSoc Membership