



Fixed Wing Flight Cost Estimates for 2021-2022

The Flight Center recently completed a review of the pilot ratings required to qualify for graduation. The expected cost in today's dollars to qualify for graduation is approximately \$68,474. Students and their families should allocate a minimum of \$17,119/year for flight training on a four-year flying program.

**The Certified Flight Instructor rating is not required to qualify for graduation but it is highly encouraged.*

Note: The required hours of flight and ground instruction for each flight course, along with the course cost based on those hours, is indicated below. Based on historical data, some students require more than the required hours of training to be proficient and able to pass their FAA check ride for a particular course.

Private Pilot (FLI 131)

Expected Cost \$ 14,965

Includes

62 Dual C172	\$13,082
7.5 Solo C172	\$1,223
2.5 AATD	\$250
10 Ground Instruction	\$410

Instrument Rating (FLI 231)

Expected Cost \$ 8,962

Includes

32 Dual C172	\$6,752
18 AATD	\$1,800
10 Ground Instruction	\$410

Commercial Pilot (FLI 132, 232, 334)

Expected Cost \$ 26,633

Includes

62 Dual C172	\$13,082
67 Solo Aircraft	\$10,921
14 AATD	\$1,400
30 Ground Instruction	\$1,230

Multi-Engine Rating (FLI 435)

Expected Cost \$ 9,580

Includes

25 Dual PA44	\$9,375
5 Ground Instruction	\$205

* Certified Flight Instructor (FLI 431)

Expected Cost \$ 8,334

Includes

33 Dual C172	\$6,963
1 AATD	\$100
31 Ground Instruction	\$1,271