***College Budget Pre- vs. Post-Research Expenses Worksheet***

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| Expenses Per Semester | Pre-Research Total for Category | Post-Research Total for Category |
| Tuition: Calculate for 12–15 credit hours based on your college of choice |  |  |
| Fees   * Lab Fees * Electronic Fees (Internet, Digital Coursework fees) |  |  |
| Room (on campus)   * Cost of renting room * Cost of furnishing room   + Bedding   + Fridge   + Microwave   + Various décor, storage options   + Hygiene essentials (will vary depending on a community bath, suite, private.) |  |  |
| Rent (off campus)   * Rent * Water Bill * Gas (if applicable) * Electricity |  |  |
| Food |  |  |
| Cell Phone   * Phone plan plus data plan |  |  |
| Books (Notice differences in pricing for new and used books.) |  |  |
| Supplies   * Backpack * Notebooks, paper, etc. * Writing utensils * Course-specific supplies (graphing calculator, graph paper) * Electronics- laptop computer, iPad, iPod, etc. |  |  |
| Other |  |  |
| Totals | $ | $ |