

## Table 3: Student Living Allowances

### Moderate Standard of Living (MSOL) Costs

The following costs are provided by the Government of Canada to provinces and territories for use in reflecting a student's **Moderate Standard of Living (MSOL)** if attending a post-secondary institution located in B.C. or other provinces in Canada. These maximum costs are used by StudentAid BC to assess need. Totals may not equal the sum of each column due to rounding.

### Monthly Standard of Living Allowances for British Columbia

#### Single student away from home

Shelter	\$ 871
Food	\$279
Miscellaneous	\$342
Local transportation	\$108
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,600</b>

#### Single student living at home

Shelter	\$ 0
Food	\$263
Miscellaneous	\$288
Local public transportation	\$123
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$674</b>

#### Single-parent student (excluding costs of child)

Shelter	\$1,250
Food	\$257
Miscellaneous	\$358
Local public transportation	\$99
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,964</b>

#### Married student and spouse (excluding costs for child)

Shelter	\$1,763
Food	\$516
Miscellaneous	\$527
Local public transportation	\$198
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,004</b>

#### Cost for each child (wholly dependent relative)

Shelter	\$260
Food	\$213
Miscellaneous	\$125
Local transportation	\$99
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$697</b>