



# Student Levy Guide Winter 2020-2021

Fees	What is the purpose of this fee?	Who administers this fee?	Can I opt-out of this fee?	Is there a subsidy for this fee?	Who do I contact if I have questions about this fee?
AMS Financial Assistance Fund (\$12.00)	The AMS Financial Assistance Fund Fee allows the university to provide non-repayable awards to students on the basis of financial need. Click <a href="#">here</a> for more information.	Administered by UBC Awards and Development	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	Enrolment Services Advisors Find your advisor's contact information on the <a href="#">Student Service Centre (SSC)</a> under Personal Info > UBC Contacts
AMS Membership Fee (\$43.15)	The AMS Membership fee is charged for AMS membership, which supports the administration of the Student Government, AMS Services, Financial Aid, Programs and Publications, and other additional services that support the academic, personal, and social lives of students at UBC.	Administered by AMS Council	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca
AMS Athletics & Intramural Fee (\$0.00)	Intramural and recreational programming.	Administered by the AMS	No	No	vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca
Athletics & Rec Fee (\$230.82) *Charge in Term 2	The Athletics and Recreation fee is authorized by the Board of Governors and is used to support athletic and recreation programs and facilities.	UBC Athletics & Recreation	No	No	info.recreation@ubc.ca
Bike Kitchen Fee (\$1.12)	The Bike Kitchen Fee supports the UBC Bike Kitchen, a non-profit community bike shop that offers repair services, used bikes and parts for purchase, as well as programs.	Administered by the Bike Kitchen	Yes, to opt out contact <a href="mailto:programs@bikecoop.ca">programs@bikecoop.ca</a>	No	<a href="mailto:programs@bikecoop.ca">programs@bikecoop.ca</a>

Campus Culture & Performance Fee (\$2.50)	The UBC Campus Culture and Performance Fee (CCP) provides funding for UBC clubs that encourage collaboration, learning and innovation both within and beyond the UBC community. CCP clubs seek to promote various performance-based activities on campus that include but aren't limited to: dance, music, theater, spoken word, film and other performance arts. CCP funding is used towards funding events and acquiring new equipment or resources to make these activities more accessible to all UBC students.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to opt out	No	fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca
Capital Projects Fund (\$8.36)	The Capital Projects Fund Fee funds long-term projects that enhance campus infrastructure. For example, money from this fund was used to finance the SASC office expansion.	Administered by AMS Council	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca
Childcare Bursary Fee (\$1.17)	The Childcare Bursary Fee funds bursaries assisting with child care costs for families in need.	Administered by AMS Council	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca
CiTR Fee (\$5.86)	The CiTR Fee supports CiTR, a broadcasting platform offering broadcast training, access to and creation of alternative and locally-based radio programs, as well as the Discorder Magazine.	Administered by CiTR	Yes, to opt out contact volunteer@ citr.ca	No	volunteer@citr.ca
Clubs Benefit Fee (\$1.77)	The Clubs Benefit Fee serves to assist clubs in completing special projects, purchasing furnishings and equipment, and to fund initiatives that assist or benefit clubs as approved by the Finance Committee.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca
Graduating Class Fee (\$3.00)	The Graduating Class Fee, for those in their final year, funds the graduating class gift.	Administered by the AMS	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca

Health and Dental Fee (\$264.63)	The Health and Dental Fee funds a comprehensive plan that covers prescription drugs, dental care, psychological visits, travel health coverage, vision care, and much more. Essentially, this plan covers health care expenses that are not covered by other, more basic health care plans such as the BC medical Services Plan (MSP).	Administered by the AMS/GSS Health and Dental Committee	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to opt out	Yes	Click <a href="#">here</a> to contact studentcare for any questions about the plan and/or how to opt-out.  Contact <a href="mailto:health@gss.ubc.ca">health@gss.ubc.ca</a> if you have any questions about the subsidy.
Indigenous Student Fund Fee (\$0.97)	Money raised through this fee will be deposited in the Indigenous Student Fund, and may be used only for Indigenous student support and initiatives.	Administered by the AMS Indigenous Committee	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	<a href="mailto:indigenouscommittee@ams.ubc.ca">indigenouscommittee@ams.ubc.ca</a>
International Projects Fee (\$0.29)	The International Projects Fee funds AMS projects with an international focus. The Fee also contributes to the Global Lounge Fund in conjunction with UBC. Click <a href="#">here</a> for more information.	Administered by the UBC Global Lounge	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	<a href="mailto:global.fund@ubc.ca">global.fund@ubc.ca</a>
Lighter Footprint Fee (\$2.64)	The Lighter Footprint Fee funds the Sustainability Projects Fund, which provides funding for sustainable projects contributing to an environmentally conscious culture through student-led projects.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	<a href="mailto:fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca">fundsandgrants@ams.ubc.ca</a>
Ombudsperson Fee (\$1.13)	The Ombudsperson Fee goes towards funding the UBC Ombuds Office. The Office of the Ombudsperson for students works with UBC community members to ensure students are treated fairly and can learn, work and live in a fair, equitable and respectful environment.	Administered by AMS Council	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	<a href="mailto:vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca">vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca</a>
Permanent Thrift Shop on Campus Fee (\$0.97)	The Permanent Thrift Shop on Campus fee funds the establishment and maintenance of a permanent thrift shop on campus. The Thrift Shop is currently located in the basement of the Life Building.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to opt out	No	<a href="mailto:vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca">vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca</a>
Resource Group Fee (\$1.77)	The Resource Groups fee funds Pride, the Women's Centre, the Social Justice Centre, the Student Environment Centre and Colour Connected. These groups are student-run, grassroots groups that work on and inform students about important social issues. They also provide safe spaces for marginalized groups on campus.	Administered by the AMS Resources Groups Committee	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to opt out	No	<a href="mailto:vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca">vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca</a>

Sexual Assault Support Service Fee (\$9.50)	The Sexual Assault Support Service Fee supports the AMS Sexual Assault Support Centre (SASC), which offers resources such as crisis- and short-term emotional support, advocacy, education and outreach, and sexual assault support services.	Administered by AMS Council	No	No	sasc@ams.ubc.ca
Student Legal Fund Fee (\$1.00)	The Student Legal Fund Fee funds the Student Legal Fund Society, which supports litigation, advocacy, lobbying for improved education and access to education at UBC, and other matters of law that are of concern to UBC students.	Administered by the Student Legal Fund Society	No	No	support@studentlegal.org
Student Refugee Fund (\$5.73)	World University Service of Canada (WUSC) currently facilitates the arrival of eight refugee students to UBC each year. The AMS Student Refugee Fund fee aids in covering the students' tuition, book fees and partial housing and living expenses.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	No	No	wusc_srp@ams.ubc.ca
Sub Renewal Building Fee (\$100.00)	The Sub Renewal Building Fee was created and passed by AMS members during the March 2008 referendum for the purpose of constructing a new Student Union Building.	Administered by the AMS Finance Committee	No	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	vpfinance@ams.ubc.ca
Sustainable Food Access Fund Fee (\$0.39)	The Sustainable Food Access Fund serves the purpose of increasing the affordability of four sustainable campus food outlets- UBC Sprouts, Agora Cafe, Roots on the Roof, and UBC Farm. The fund helps provide UBC students with access to sustainable food options.	Administered by the AMS	No	No	avpfinance@ams.ubc.ca
Ubyyssey Publishing Fee (\$7.04)	The Ubyyssey fee supports UBC's official, independent, student-run newspaper.	Administered by the Ubyyssey	Yes	No	business@ubyssey.ca
U-Pass Fee (\$170.00/Term)	The U-Pass fee is used to purchase a discounted, monthly, public transportation pass for students.	Administered jointly by the AMS and UBC	Yes, if you meet the exemption criteria for the U-Pass, you can apply for an opt-out through the SSC. More information <a href="#">here</a> .	Yes, click <a href="#">here</a> to apply	vpexternal@ams.ubc.ca
			If you live outside the Lower Mainland and are eligible for the U-Pass for Term 1 Winter, you can be exempted. Click <a href="#">here</a> for more information.		