

Date: June 22, 2026

To: Presidents/Chancellors of ACCJC Member Institutions

Cc: Accreditation Liaison Officers

From: Mac Powell, President *MP*

Subject: ACCJC Board Votes to Maintain 2027–2028 Membership Dues at 2026–2027 Level

At its meeting held June 3, 2026, the ACCJC Board of Directors took unanimous action to maintain Annual Membership Dues for 2027–2028 at the 2026–2027 level. This decision marks the eighth consecutive year in which ACCJC has not increased dues.

This action reflects the strong financial health of the organization and the Commission's continued commitment to careful stewardship of member resources. Through prudent budgeting, responsible management of reserves, and strategic planning, ACCJC has maintained stable operations while continuing to invest in initiatives that support institutional quality and student success.

The 2027–2028 Annual Membership Dues Schedule is attached for your reference and budget planning.

If you have any questions regarding the dues schedule or billing, please contact Jared Spring, Technology and Operations Director, at jspring@accjc.org.

On behalf of the ACCJC Commissioners and staff, thank you for your continued commitment to academic quality and student success in higher education. I look forward to our continued partnership in the year ahead.



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ACCREDITING COMMISSION FOR
COMMUNITY AND JUNIOR COLLEGES

2027 – 2028 MEMBERSHIP ANNUAL DUES SCHEDULE

(With No Dues Increase from 2026-2027)

(All Accredited and Candidate Institutions)

Enrollment	Dues	Enrollment	Dues
1 – 499	\$ 9,031	15,000 – 19,999	\$ 34,622
500 – 999	\$ 12,041	20,000 – 24,999	\$ 37,633
1,000 – 2,499	\$ 15,053	25,000 – 29,999	\$ 40,643
2,500 – 4,999	\$ 18,065	30,000 – 39,999	\$ 45,157
5,000 – 9,999	\$ 25,593	40,000 and Over	\$ 56,020
10,000 – 14,999	\$ 30,105		

Enrollment Based on Fall 2026 Total Unduplicated Headcount

Fees Schedule
Effective July 1, 2019

<u>Category</u>	<u>Fee/Deposit</u>
Comprehensive Evaluation for Reaffirmation	
Team site visit expenses plus 15% tracking/processing fee	TBD
Special and Follow-up Visits	
Team site visit expenses plus 15% tracking /processing fee	TBD
Eligibility Applications	
Public institutions	\$2,500
Private institutions	\$5,500
Corporately owned or publicly traded institutions	\$10,500
Multi-Campus institutions (Consultation with staff required)	TBD
Candidacy and/or Initial Accreditation	
Application	\$5,500
Reapplication following denial within two years	\$1,650
Reapplication following denial after two years	\$2,750
Team site visit expenses plus 15% tracking /processing fee	TBD
Substantive Change¹	
Request for standard Substantive Change Review (due with submission)	\$1,500
Change of Ownership and/or Control (Staff consultation required)	
Standard	\$5,000
Complex (e.g., multiple ownership levels, etc.)	\$10,000
Highly Complex (e.g., multiple ownership levels, change of control, change of tax status, etc.)	\$15,000
Team site visit expenses plus 15% tracking /processing fee	TBD
Appeal of Adverse Action²	
Filing of the Appeal	\$5,000
Deposit against Expenses	\$7,500

¹ A substantive change request may include a single program, new location, or other change. A certificate and degree within the same program may be submitted as a single change. A change related to Implementation of Distance Education can include multiple programs within a single request.

² Federal Definition of Adverse Action (Criterion 602.3): "Adverse action means the denial, withdrawal, suspension, revocation, or termination of accreditation or preaccreditation, or any comparable accrediting action an agency may take against an institution or program."