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With the cost of everything else going up, trustees at The Evergreen State College have decided it is time something went down. That something was the cost of a student's first quarter tuition and fees to the state's newest four-year college.

As Admissions Director Ken Mayer explains it, "you used to have to pay a \$50 deposit fee before you enrolled in your first quarter at Evergreen. That \$50 was held by the college until you graduated or left campus. Only then was it returned.

"Now, you still pay an advance \$50 fee, but, effective this Fall, that \$50 will be subtracted from your first quarter tuition and fees bill." For example, he says, a Washington resident enrolling full-time for his or her first quarter this Fall will pay \$50 now and only \$119 this Fall --- instead of the \$169 it used to cost.

Mayer says Evergreen's trustees have also reduced student costs in another area. Effective Fall Quarter 1977, new Evergreen students will not have to pay a \$15 application fee. The fee has been eliminated effective September 1, 1977.

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