

## Comparing Cost to Departments of **Federal Workstudy (FWS)** And **Non Workstudy** Student Employees

	Student Employee with no FWS award	Student Employee with \$1500 FWS award
Student wage per hour	\$7.25	\$7.25
# hours worked	20	20
Weekly cost of student employee	\$145.00	\$145.00
% typically paid from FWS	NA	\$108.75
Weekly cost to department	\$145.00	\$36.25
# of weeks until FWS award of \$1500 is exhausted	NA	10 weeks
Wages paid entirely by dept after FWS award exhausted	NA	5 weeks x \$145 = \$725.00
<b>COST TO DEPARTMENT FOR A SEMESTER</b>	<b>\$2175</b> (\$145 weekly salary x 15 weeks)	<b>\$1087.50</b> (10 weeks using FWS -\$145 x 25% = \$362.50 PLUS 5 weeks of dept only pay of \$725)