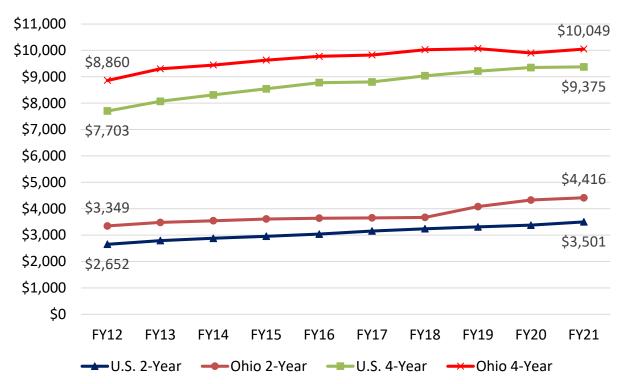
Ohio's average public higher education tuition remains above national average

In-State Public Higher Education Tuition and Fees for Ohio and U.S.



Source: National Center for Education Statistics

- Ohio's average public higher education tuition and fees for four-year and two-year institutions remained above the nation's averages in FY 2021:
 - \$674 (7.2%) higher for four-year institutions
 - \$915 (26.1%) higher for two-year institutions
- The gap for four-year institutions has narrowed since FY 2012, when it was \$1,157 (15.0%).
- The gap for two-year institutions has widened since FY 2012, when it was \$697 (26.3%).
- The General Assembly has imposed caps or freezes on annual increases in tuition and general fees every year in the past decade. These restrictions do not apply to institutions participating in the Undergraduate Tuition Guarantee, which guarantees a cohort of students a fixed rate for tuition and general fees for four years.

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