



PSI's 2002 survey of what it costs to raise a child in the Cincinnati area estimates that it will cost **\$259,818** from birth to 18 years of age, including college tuition. That averages out to \$11,808.90 per year. This does not include money to be spent on items for yourself, rent, car, etc.

ITEM	AMOUNT
Delivery of the baby (amount may vary depending on pain reliever medicine)	5,000.00
Disposable diapers (birth to 3 years old, Kroger & Thriftway grocery stores)	1,890.00
Infant food (Kroger & Thriftway grocery stores)	1,800.00
Infant furniture (Wal-Mart)	2,500.00
Toys (birth to 18 years old)	5,400.00
Bottles, bibs, etc.	1,000.00
Childcare (birth to 5 years, KinderCare Learning Center)	60,000.00
After school care (age 5 to 13 years old, Cincinnati Recreation Commission)	13,440.00
Birthday parties (birth to 18 years old)	1,800.00
Summer camp (age 5 to 12 years old), YMCA summer camp (includes field trips)	3,500.00
School tuition* (grade K-8, St. Boniface Catholic School)	14,400.00
School tuition* (grade 9-12, Purcell Marion High School)	23,200.00
Piano lessons (age 5-18 years old, Buddy Rogers)	9,048.00
Basketball league (age 5-18 years old)	1,300.00
College applications, visits, dating & travel	2,500.00
College tuition (4 years), University of Cincinnati (includes meals & room)	53,808.00
Auto insurance (age 16-22 years old), Nationwide Auto Insurance	
Liability	3,300.00
Full Coverage	4,800-12,000
Medical insurance (birth to 18 years old), Choice Care Humana (5 visits/year @ \$10.00 co-pay/visit)	900.00
Without insurance coverage (birth to 18 years old), Mt. Healthy Family Practice (5 visits/year @ \$25.00/visit)**	2,250.00

* if you don't want your child to attend public schools

**costs may vary if lab work is needed

