There are several fees that associated with participation in the 2013 DOC First-Year Trips program. However, the Trips program is committed to making this experience as accessible & affordable for any incoming student who would like to participate. We have generous financial assistance available to any student who is receiving financial aid from the College. Please indicate on your registration form if you would like to be considered for financial assistance. Eligibility for DOC Trips financial assistance is determined by the College’s financial aid office. Please feel free to contact us by phone or email if you have any questions or concerns – we’re here to help!

- **Program Fee ($215)** – This charge covers all food, transportation during the trip, housing, and equipment for your DOC Trip. A t-shirt and water bottle are also included. The program fee is the same for every trip type and section.

- **Bus Fee (varies)** – For students assigned to a trip on sections A-D, you will have the option to reserve a seat on one of our chartered busses to various locations in the Northeast; the ticket cost varies by city. You may choose a one-way or a round-trip ticket. Please refer to the registration instructions (available online) for more information.

- **OPTIONAL: Dartmouth Outing Club Student Career Membership ($50)** – The DOC is one of Dartmouth’s largest student organizations – and the home of First-Year Trips – and offers many opportunities to get outside and enjoy the beautiful areas surrounding campus. Student members are eligible for membership & positions in the various clubs (e.g. Cabin & Trail, Mountaineering Club, Ski Patrol, etc.), qualify for reduced prices for season passes & cabin rentals, and receive a copy of the “Dartmouth Outing Guide” book. For more details, visit the DOC membership website.

- **OPTIONAL: Green Fund Donation** – As the largest outdoors orientation program in the country, DOC Trips is committed to being a responsible steward of both natural resources and the environment. Your donation to the Green Fund will go directly toward sustainability initiatives within the program such as locally-sourced food, providing organic cotton t-shirts to all participants, using bio-diesel fuel for Trips transportation, and serving an entirely vegetarian/organic menu during the program.

Before completing your online registration, please review ALL directions and information online. On your online registration form, you will have the option to select a bus ticket, if needed (only for those students who live in the Northeast on sections A-D), let us know if you would like a DOC Student Career Membership, and make an optional donation to the Green Fund.

All of these costs, in addition to the program fee ($215), will be billed to your College account. These charges will appear on your tuition statement, which will be issued in late September.

**If the cost of Trips might prevent you from participating, please contact us!** We want to ensure that any student can go on a DOC Trip, regardless of the cost, so we are happy to help in any way possible.