

The Cost of Surfing

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Surfing is a great sport to participate in. If you think about it, it is fun and you are getting tons of exercise. One question many people would like to know is how much \$\$\$ does surfing cost? The answer definitely varies, but I will give you a general idea of how much cash you are going to need.

Surfboard: \$300-600

Depending on the quality, technology and brand of surfboard you buy expect to pay over \$400 for a quality board. This is the biggest investment you will make out of all of your surfing gear.



Wetsuit: \$200-300

If the water is cold, you will need to buy a wetsuit. Wetsuits come in handy when the weather turns bad and the water is cold. A good rule of thumb is to buy the best wetsuit you can afford.

Accessories: \$100-200

Accessories you may need include: Wax, Leash, Fins, Stomp Pad, Bathing Suit, and Surf Racks etc.

Transportation: ???

This cost varies depending on how often you surf and how far you have to commute from.

Total Cost (Approx): \$800 – Please notice that this is the price of gear for at least 3 years if you take care of your equipment. That comes out to about \$23 a month. Most surfboards will last for 3-5 years if you get a good board.

