

2020-2021 Program Costs

WESTERN DAKOTA TECH	SEMESTERS	CREDIT HOURS	TOTAL PER CREDIT FEES	ONLINE*	RESOURCE FEE	ONE-TIME FEES	PROGRAM SPECIFIC FEES	LAPTOP ESTIMATE	SOFTWARE ESTIMATE	BOOKS ESTIMATE	TOOLS ESTIMATE	UNIFORMS ESTIMATE	CAREER FEES ESTIMATE	BACKGROUND FEES ESTIMATE	ESTIMATED TOTAL
ACCOUNTING	4	72	\$20,376	*	\$600	\$170		\$1,200		\$2,344					\$24,690
ALLIED HEALTH	4	62	\$17,546		\$700	\$170		\$1,200		\$3,132					\$22,748
AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY**	4	70	\$19,810		\$700	\$170	\$320	\$1,200		\$1,949	\$6,923	\$440			\$31,512
BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY	4	63	\$17,829	*	\$600	\$170		\$1,200	\$320	\$1,460					\$21,579
COMPUTER-AIDED DESIGN	4	71	\$20,093		\$700	\$170		\$1,800		\$3,427	\$200				\$26,390
COMPUTER SCIENCE - Information Technology Specialist	5	69	\$19,527		\$875	\$170	\$640	\$1,800		\$1,383	\$422				\$24,817
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	4	64	\$18,112		\$700	\$170		\$1,200		\$3,203		\$45			\$23,430
CRIMINAL JUSTICE - Law Enforcement Emphasis	4	63	\$17,829		\$700	\$170		\$1,200		\$2,452		\$270		\$50	\$22,671
DIESEL TECHNOLOGY**	4	69	\$19,527		\$700	\$170	\$20	\$1,200		\$1,489	\$9,700	\$240			\$33,046
DIESEL TECHNOLOGY** - Industrial Maintenance	4	68	\$19,244		\$700	\$170	\$20	\$1,200		\$1,875	\$9,700	\$240			\$33,149
DRAFTING & MACHINING TECHNOLOGY	4	68	\$19,244		\$700	\$170		\$1,200	\$150	\$2,215	\$2,520				\$26,199
ELECTRICAL TRADES	5	77	\$21,791		\$875	\$170		\$1,200		\$2,708	\$1,100	\$200	\$130		\$28,174
ELECTRICAL TRADES - Mechanician	2	30	\$8,490	*	\$350	\$170	\$431	\$1,200		\$1,490	\$3,000				\$15,131
ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN	5	70	\$19,810		\$875	\$170	\$50	\$1,200		\$2,430	\$800		\$300		\$25,635
ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN - Aquaponics	4	70	\$19,810		\$700	\$170	\$50	\$1,200		\$3,298	\$600		\$300		\$26,128
FARM & RANCH MANAGEMENT	4	63	\$17,829		\$700	\$170	\$550	\$1,200		\$2,479			\$700		\$23,628
HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT - Coding Specialty	4	60	\$16,980		\$600	\$170		\$1,200	\$198	\$2,681			\$425		\$22,254
HVAC/REFRIGERATION TECHNOLOGY	4	64	\$18,112		\$700	\$170	\$30	\$1,200		\$1,444	\$3,223	\$180			\$25,059
LIBRARY TECHNICIAN (Online Only)*	4	60	\$16,980	*	\$600	\$170		\$1,200	\$160	\$1,725					\$20,835
MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIAN****	4	69	\$19,527		\$700	\$170		\$1,200		\$2,486		\$120	\$930	\$60	\$25,193
PARAMEDIC	5	63	\$17,829		\$875	\$170	\$877	\$1,200	\$135	\$1,834	\$100	\$200	\$850	\$60	\$24,130
REGISTERED NURSE	2	40	\$11,320		\$350	\$240		\$1,200	\$700	\$2,456	\$180	\$300	\$500	\$90	\$17,336
SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY	4	60	\$16,980		\$700	\$240	\$252	\$1,200	\$75	\$2,345		\$100	\$665	\$60	\$22,617
TECHNICAL STUDIES	4	60	\$16,980		\$700	\$170		\$1,200		\$1,690					\$20,740
WELDING & FABRICATION***	4	66	\$18,678		\$700	\$170	\$360	\$1,200		\$1,023	\$1,017		\$325		\$23,473
<b>DIPLOMA</b>															
BOOKKEEPING	2	36	\$10,188	*	\$300	\$170		\$1,200		\$1,194					\$13,052
BUSINESS - Office Professional	2	30	\$8,490	*	\$300	\$170		\$1,200		\$882					\$11,042
BUSINESS - Hospitality	3	39	\$11,037	*	\$450	\$170		\$1,200		\$882					\$13,739
COMPUTER SCIENCE (Information Technology Specialist)	2	36	\$10,188		\$350	\$170		\$1,800		\$954	\$422				\$13,884
CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY	3	36	\$10,188		\$525	\$170		\$1,200	\$75	\$1,304	\$589	\$130			\$14,181
DENTAL ASSISTING	3	45	\$12,735		\$525	\$170		\$1,200	\$54	\$1,476	\$21	\$160	\$780	\$60	\$17,181
HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT	2	33	\$9,339		\$300	\$170		\$1,200	\$130	\$1,859					\$12,998
LIBRARY TECHNICIAN (Online Only)*	2	30	\$8,490	*	\$300	\$170		\$1,200	\$160	\$1,005					\$11,325
MEDICAL ASSISTING	3	39	\$11,037		\$525	\$170	\$110	\$1,200		\$1,632	\$50	\$300	\$120		\$15,144
PHARMACY TECH	3	44	\$12,452		\$525	\$170		\$1,200	\$50	\$1,133		\$50	\$244	\$60	\$15,884
PHLEBOTOMY/LABORATORY ASSISTANT****	2	31	\$8,773		\$350	\$170		\$1,200		\$1,130		\$50	\$800		\$12,473
PLUMBING TECHNOLOGY	3	36	\$10,188		\$525	\$170		\$1,200		\$1,539	\$1,233				\$14,855
PRACTICAL NURSING (Three Semesters)	3	45	\$12,735		\$525	\$240		\$1,200	\$700	\$1,962	\$180	\$300	\$500	\$90	\$18,432
PRECISION MACHINING TECHNOLOGY	2	36	\$10,188		\$350	\$170		\$1,200	\$150	\$979	\$2,320				\$15,357
WELDING AND FABRICATION ***	2	36	\$10,188		\$350	\$170	\$180	\$1,200		\$1,007	\$1,017		\$325		\$14,437
<b>CERTIFICATE</b>															
BUSINESS - Entrepreneurship	2	18	\$5,094	*	\$300	\$170		\$1,200		\$367					\$7,131
BUSINESS - Social Media Marketing	2	18	\$5,094	*	\$300	\$170		\$1,200	\$320	\$377					\$7,461
COMPUTER-AIDED DESIGN - ARCHITECTURAL	4	19	\$5,377		\$700	\$170		\$1,800		\$589	\$200				\$8,836
COMPUTER-AIDED DESIGN - Mechanical	2	20	\$5,660		\$350	\$170		\$1,800		\$923	\$200				\$9,103
CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY	2	30	\$8,490		\$350	\$170		\$1,200	\$75	\$1,014	\$589	\$130			\$12,018
EMT (this program is not eligible for Title IV Financial Aid)	1	6	\$1,698		\$175	\$170	\$430	\$1,200	\$35	\$152	\$100	\$50	\$215		\$4,225
MEDICAL ASSISTING	2	30	\$8,490		\$350	\$170	\$110	\$1,200		\$1,077	\$50	\$300	\$120		\$11,867
PARAMEDIC	3	42	\$11,886		\$525	\$170	\$430	\$1,200	\$100	\$837	\$100	\$200	\$850	\$60	\$16,358
PHLEBOTOMY****	1	18	\$5,094		\$175	\$170		\$1,200		\$688		\$50	\$800		\$8,177
PLUMBING TECHNOLOGY	2	30	\$8,490		\$350	\$170		\$1,200		\$1,249	\$1,233				\$12,692

\* Online fees may apply

\*\* Automotive & Diesel Technology - Uniform rentals are calculated at \$110/semester, Career costs are calculated at \$30/semester

\*\*\* Welding and Fabrication offers certification options which include a \$275 fee, this is not required

\*\*\*\* Medical Lab Tech and Phlebotomy offer a certification option which includes a \$135 fee, this is not required

**2020-2021  
Program Costs**

PER-CREDIT FEES			
Tuition	\$121	per credit	Instruction and support required to teach courses
Institutional Fee	\$120	per credit	Costs of facilities, equipment, and educational technology
Facility Fee	\$36	per credit	Costs associated with bonds issued for building construction
State M&R Fee	\$6	per credit	Costs for maintenance and repair of facilities (State Technology Fee combined with M&R FY2021)
Online Fee*	\$50	per credit	Costs required to teach online courses
Hybrid Fee*	\$50	per credit	Costs required to teach hybrid courses

PER-SEMESTER FEES			
Resource Fee Tier I	\$150	per semester	Student-utilized program supplies and instructional materials
Resource Fee Tier II	\$175	per semester	Student-utilized program supplies and instructional materials

ONE-TIME FEES			
Matriculation Fee	\$100	one time	Costs for services to matriculate a student to campus and for graduation ceremonies
Confirmation Fee	\$55	one time	Costs of Admissions process
Testing Fees	\$15	one time per test	On Campus - Accuplacer test required for all students
Testing Fees	\$70	one time per test	TEAS test required for Practical Nursing & Surgical Technology Students
Testing Fees	\$60	One time	HESI Entrance Exam - Registered Nursing Students

VARIABLE FEES			
Program Specific			Some programs require additional fees
Laptop & Software			Laptop required for students in all programs, specific requirements vary by program
Tools			Some programs require specific tool purchases
Uniforms			Some programs require specific uniform purchases or rentals
Books			Book costs vary by program
Career			Some careers require additional certifications, immunizations, insurance, and /or licensing
Background			Some careers require a background check, drug screening

PER-CREDIT FEES CHART					
Credits	Tuition	Institutional Fee	Facility Fee	M&R Fee	Total
1	121	120	36	6	283
2	242	240	72	12	566
3	363	360	108	18	849
4	484	480	144	24	1132
5	605	600	180	30	1415
6	726	720	216	36	1698
7	847	840	252	42	1981
8	968	960	288	48	2264
9	1089	1080	324	54	2547
10	1210	1200	360	60	2830
11	1331	1320	396	66	3113
12	1452	1440	432	72	3396
13	1573	1560	468	78	3679
14	1694	1680	504	84	3962
15	1815	1800	540	90	4245
16	1936	1920	576	96	4528
17	2057	2040	612	102	4811
18	2178	2160	648	108	5094

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1-5 credits	Less than half-time
6-8 credits	Half-time
9-11 credits	Three-quarter time
12 or more credits	Full-time

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**Note: this page reflects 2020-2021 program costs.**