



Dental Assisting Spring 2026 Estimated Student Expense

First Trimester Estimated Expense

Tuition, Technology Access Fee, & Student Activity Fee		\$1,487.00
Liability Fee - paid once per enrollment (not covered by TN Promise or Reconnect)		\$20.00
Books/Subscriptions/Supplies	ISBN#	Estimated Cost
Dental Assisting: A Comprehensive Approach Textbook 6ed	9780357456521	\$246.00
Dental Assisting: A Comprehensive Approach Workbook 6ed	9780357456651	\$102.00
Dental Radiography: Principles & Techniques 6ed	9780323695503	\$99.00
MyClinicalExchange 12 Month Subscription		\$39.50
First Day Student Kit Dickson Cost \$503 + tax		\$552.04
Typodont Model - Item# 95SDP-200-GSF-MF Dickson Cost \$200 + tax		\$219.50
Dental Scrub Set Includes: (3) pants, (3) shirts, & (1) lab coat (Financial aid funds can be used to cover these items if aid is available. The scrubs will be handled by our uniform vendor) Please note: All maternity items are an additional cost per item to any package price and will be paid directly to the uniform vendor Dickson Cost \$230 + tax		\$252.43
Total Estimated First Trimester Cost		\$3,017.47

Second Trimester Estimated Expense

Tuition, Technology Access Fee, and Student Activity Fee	\$1,487.00
Total Estimated Second Trimester Cost	\$1,487.00

Dental Assistant Diploma Total Estimated Program Cost \$4,504.47

Additional Costs* (Cannot be charged to Financial Aid)	Estimated Cost
TB Skin Test/Immunization - completed by the start of the program	Varies
BLS (CPR) Certification - completed by the start of the program	\$65.00
Tennessee Board of Dentistry - completed by the end of the 2nd trimester	\$32.50
Fingerprinting (Identgo) - completed by the end of the 2nd trimester	\$37.50

*These expenses are not included in the total estimated cost of the program but are the responsibility of the student