



TCAT Dickson Cost Sheet
 Summer 2026
Machine Tool Technology

Please visit our website at <https://tcatdickson.edu/programs> for a comprehensive overview of each program

All book and supply costs are estimates and subject to change without notice.

First Trimester **432 Hours**

Tuition	\$1,404.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$73.00	Due at Registration
Books		
Precision Machining Technology TB 3ed ISBN# 9781337795302	\$164.00	Approximate
Precision Machining Technology WB 3ed ISBN# 9781337795319	\$37.00	Approximate
Mathematics for Machine Technology 8ed ISBN# 9781337798310	\$221.00	Approximate
Print Reading for Machinists 6ed ISBN# 9781285419619	\$156.00	Approximate
*Supplies - Safety Glasses, Scientific Calculator	\$24.15	Approximate
*Tools - 12" Plastic Tool Box, 3/8" Tool Bits HS - qty 4, Center Drill - qty 2, Round Edge Finders, 6" Scale English, Flat Center Gauge, Center Punch, Scribe, Dial Caliper, 0-1 Micrometer	\$278.77	Approximate
Total Estimated First Trimester Cost	\$2,367.92	

Second Trimester **432 Hours**

Tuition	\$1,404.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$73.00	Due at Registration
Total Estimated Second Trimester Cost	\$1,487.00	

Third Trimester **432 Hours**

Tuition	\$1,404.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$73.00	Due at Registration
Subscription - Haas & Fanuc Virtual CNC Training bundle	\$189.00	Approximate
*Tools - Helmet, Shade 10 Filter Lens, Clear Lens (2), Welding Goggles Shade 5 Lens 2x4 1/4, Leather Gloves, Chipping Hammer, Wire Brush	\$88.90	Approximate
Total Estimated Third Trimester Cost	\$1,764.90	

Fourth Trimester **216 Hours**

Tuition	\$1,404.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$73.00	Due at Registration
Optional Books - (Cannot be charged to Financial Aid)		
Machinery's Handbook 32ed ISBN# 9780831137328	\$145.00	Approximate
Trigonometry Tables	\$3.00	Approximate
Total Estimated Fourth Trimester Cost	\$1,635.00	

Total Estimated Program Cost for Production Machine Tender Certificate - 432 Hours	\$2,367.92
Total Estimated Program Cost for Machine Set-Up Operator Certificate - 864 Hours	\$3,854.92
Total Estimated Program Cost for General Machinist Diploma - 1296 Hours	\$5,619.82
Total Estimated Program Cost for Machnist I Diploma - 1728 Hours	\$7,254.82

*Please note, these tools/supplies on the cost sheet are not available for purchase through TCAT Dickson