



Dental Assisting Spring 2026 Cost Sheet

<u>Total Tuition Cost</u> \$3,281	<u>Books & Supply Estimate</u> \$1,724
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Spring 2026 (February 2026 – April 2026)

Tuition and Fees	
Tuition *	\$777.00
Technology Access Fee *	\$73.00
Student Activity Fee *	\$10.00
Liability Insurance	\$15.00
OSHA Fee	\$59.00
TOTAL	\$934.00

Below are the estimated book, uniform, tool, and supply costs for the Dental Assisting program.

All costs aside from tuition and fees are estimated and are subject to change. Books can be purchased using financial aid through our in-house bookstore.

Visit the Bookstore page on our website for more information about acquiring textbooks.

* This denotes costs that can be covered by TN Promise and TN Reconnect.

Uniforms	
Cherokee Scrub Pants (3 Pairs); Caribbean Blue Color	\$84.50
Cherokee Scrub Tops with TCATK Logo (3 Tops); Caribbean Blue Color	\$81.00
Cherokee Warm-up with TCATK Logo (1 Jacket); Caribbean Blue Color; Snap Front	\$69.50
Personal Safety Glasses with Side Shields	\$25.00
Solid White or Black Shoes (no canvas, no mesh, closed heel, closed toe)	\$65.00
TOTAL: \$325.00	

Books, Supplies, and Additional Costs		
Dental Typodont Model: Kilgore Int. Model D95SDP-200-GSF-MF		212.38
Dental Typodont - Tennessee Sales Tax		19.62
Modern Dental Assisting	9780323824408	\$166.00
Modern Dental Assisting Workbook with Flashcards	9780443120312	\$70.00
Dental Instruments: A Pocket Guide, 8th Edition	9780323873901	\$70.00
From Policy to Practice: OSAP's Guide to the CDC Guidelines (2025)	9780975251959	\$99.00
Criminal Background Check (completed by True Screen)		\$25.00
1st and 2nd Hepatitis B Vaccine Series		\$120.00
Basic Life Support CPR with an AED Certification (Cognitive & Skills)		\$85.00
Earbuds (or Headphones)		\$10.00
Pack of Color Pencils (8-count)		\$5.00
		TOTAL: \$882.00

Summer 2026 (May 2026 – August 2026)

Tuition and Fees			
Tuition *	\$1,404.00	Student Activity Fee *	\$10.00
Technology Access Fee *	\$73.00		
			TOTAL: \$1,487.00

* This denotes costs that can be covered by TN Promise and TN Reconnect.

Books, Supplies, and Additional Costs		
Dental Radiography	9780323695503	\$140.00
3rd Hepatitis B Vaccine		\$60.00
		TOTAL: \$200.00

Fall 2026 (September 2026 – December 2026)

Tuition and Fees			
Tuition *	\$777.00	Student Activity Fee *	\$10.00
Technology Access Fee *	\$73.00		

TOTAL: \$860.00

* This denotes costs that can be covered by TN Promise and TN Reconnect.

Books & Supply Costs

TN Board of Dentistry Initial RDA License Application		\$40.00
TN Board of Dentistry Expanded Functions Certifications (2) for RDA License Application (Nitrous Oxide Monitoring, Dental Radiology)		\$30.00
Criminal Background Check for RDA License Application (Identigo Fingerprinting)		\$40.00
Mosby's Dental Assisting Exam Review (<i>optional</i>)	9780323812344	\$207.00
		TOTAL: \$317.00

TOTAL PROGRAM ESTIMATE

Tuition Total	\$3,281.00
Book/Supply Cost Estimate	\$1,724.00
TOTAL PROGRAM ESTIMATE	\$5,005.00

Have questions about financial aid and how much assistance you are expected to receive?

- Visit www.studentaid.gov to complete the FAFSA.
- Contact finaid@tcatknoxville.edu to speak to a financial aid counselor.