

STARK STATE COLLEGE
PROJECTED COST OF THE DENTAL ASSISTING PROGRAM
24-25 SCHOOL YEAR – updated August 2024
Degree Type (AAS, AS, CERT, CEC)

COST ITEM		AMOUNT
Tuition - \$199.60 per credit hour		61 total credit hours = \$12,175.60 62 total credit hours = \$12,375.20
Web Cam		\$35.00
Processing Fee – charged at the time of admission to the College		\$95.00
Security and Maintenance Fee – charged each semester, if taking 4 credit hours or more	\$35.00/semester	\$175.00/5 semesters
Uniforms (scrubs, shoes, stethoscope) - estimated amount, purchased for 1st semester of program		\$150.00-179.00
ID badges – purchased upon admission to the program		\$10.00/1 badge \$20.00/2 badges
Textbooks/course access – estimated total amount		\$708.50 (Used—DA) \$911.85 (New—DA) \$3,846.50 (Nontechnical)
Lab supplies/course materials – estimated total amount		\$700.00 for the first semester only
Health Requirements (physical, immunizations, drug screen, BLS Certification) will vary based on student immunization status and health insurance coverage		\$571.00
BLS CPR Certification		\$100.00
Liability Insurance – charged per academic year	\$15.00/year (August-August)	\$30.00
ADAA Association Membership		\$45.00-\$55.00
Ohio State Dental Board Radiographer’s Certificate		\$32.00
Commission on Ohio Certification Exam		\$65.00
AMT-Registered Dental Assistant Exam (Optional Certification)		\$150.00
BCI/FBI fingerprinting – must be updated yearly	\$70.00/year	\$140.00
Make-up Clinical Fees – charged only if a make-up day is necessary. Charged per clinical make up day		*not included in total* NA
Graduation Expenses		\$0
Distance Learning fee W3 and W4 \$10.00 per credit hour W2 \$5.00 per credit hour	This amount was not calculated into the total as the student may have the choice for web-based options for non-technical courses. W3-DAS125= 3 credits W3-DAS128= 2 credits	Dental Web 3 courses totals: \$30.00 \$20.00
Estimated Total		\$18,928.60-\$19,465.55

This is an estimate of program costs and is subject to change.