

ESTIMATED* Cost sheet for Surgical Technology Program
Based on Alabama resident tuition rate effective summer 2026

DEGREE PROGRAM

Prerequisites (*Costs do not include remedial coursework or co-requisite for online courses, if required.)		
<i>Prerequisite costs are for classes that must be taken prior to admission to Surgical Technology Program</i>		
Tuition – Prerequisite Academic courses required for degree (23 credit hrs x \$182/hr.)	\$4,186.00	PSY 200 (3) or PSY 210 (3), BIO 103 (4), BIO 201 (4), MTH 100 (3) or MTH 110 (3) OR HIGHER), ENG 101 (3), HPS 105 (3), & SPH 106 or SPH 107 (3)
Books – academics	\$1300.00	Cost for new textbooks
Total estimated cost of prerequisites	\$5,486.00	Includes completing SUR 108 prior to admission to program as recommended
Courses recommended but not required prior to beginning program	See 1st, 2nd and 3rd semesters for estimated costs	BIO 220 (4), SUR 108 or HPS 114 (2), and a Humanities or Fine Arts Elective (4)
Semester 1 (after admission to program)		
NOTE: Health requirements, CPR, etc., due after admission to program but before registering for SUR 100 & 109		
CPR Certification	\$60.00	Cost if taken at SUSCC
Criminal background check and drug screening	\$69.50	Required after acceptance but before registration for surgical technology courses. Required through <u>Advantage Students</u> regardless of previous criminal background checks performed.
ACEMAPP annual fee	\$50.00	Required after acceptance but before registration for surgical technology courses.
Malpractice insurance & random drug screening	\$20.00	Required. Due at time of registration every semester.
Scrub clothing, lab coat	\$125.00	Costs will vary
Health insurance (if not insured)	\$524.00	Annual cost. Personal health insurance accepted. Must provide proof of current insurance.
Health Requirements: (not given at SU) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Physical and immunizations ▪ Immunizations: Tetanus, MMR X2, varicella, flu ▪ PPD skin test- required annually while in program ▪ Hepatitis Injections (series of 3) ▪ Annual Physical Exam 	Varies (approximately \$500)	Required <u>after</u> acceptance but before registration for SUR 101 & 102 courses. Immunizations and physical exam not available at SUSCC. Must be obtained from physician's office or healthcare clinic. Costs will vary depending upon health insurance coverage.
Tuition – Surgical Tech courses (7 credit hrs x \$182/hr.)	\$1,274.00	SUR 100 & 109 required
Tuition – SUR 108 or HPS 114 (2 credit hrs x \$182/hr.)	\$364.00	HPS 114 or SUR 108 unless previously completed
Books – Surgical Tech (SUR 100 & 109)	\$560.00	Cost of new books
Books – (HPS 114 or SUR 108)	\$105.00	Cost of new books
Total estimated cost 1nd semester	\$3, 651.50	Does not include cost of travel to school or clinical
Semester 2		
Tuition – Surgical Tech courses (10 credit hrs x \$192/hr.)	\$1,920.00	SUR 101,102, &107 required

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Tuition- Academics (4 credit hours x \$192/hr.)	\$768.00	BIO 220 <i>unless previously completed</i>
Books – Academics (BIO 220)	\$125.00	<i>Cost for new books</i>
Trajecsys	\$50.00	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
HESI Assessment Test fee	\$70.00	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
Practice Exam fee	\$40.00	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
Dosimeter fee	\$50.00	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
Board Vitals Certification Prep Subscription fee	\$100	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
Malpractice Insurance & random drug screening	\$20.00	<i>Due at course registration every semester.</i>
Total estimated cost 2nd semester	\$3,143.00	<i>Does not include cost of health requirement or travel</i>
Semester 3		
Tuition – Surgical Tech courses (11 credit hrs x \$192/hr.)	\$2,112.00	<i>SUR 111, 105 & 106 required</i>
Tuition- Academics (3 credit hours x \$192/hr.)	\$576.00	<i>Humanities or Fine Arts Elective unless previously completed.</i>
Books – Academics	\$100.00	<i>Cost for new book- Humanities or Fine Arts Elective</i>
Malpractice Insurance and random drug screening	\$20.00	<i>Due at course registration every semester.</i>
SUR Certification Assessment fee	\$257.00	<i>Required. Due at time of registration.</i>
Total estimated cost 2nd semester	\$3,065.00	<i>Does not include cost of health requirement or travel</i>
TOTAL OF ABOVE	\$9,859.50	<i>Not including cost of travel to clinical sites</i>
The following fees are optional near the end of the final semester.		
Diploma Fee	\$25.00	<i>Required only if a diploma is ordered</i>
Cap and Gown Fee	\$65.00	<i>Required only if participating in graduation ceremony</i>
GRAND TOTAL	\$9,949.50	<i>*Does not include cost for travel costs to school or clinical</i>
Grand Total including academics required for AAS	\$15, 435.50	

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