

# LAKE AREA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

## Energy Operations

Estimated Costs for 2025-2026

	First Year			Second Year	
	Fall	Spring	Summer	Fall	Spring
Credits	18	16.5	5	17	17
Tuition	\$2,340	\$2,145	\$650	\$2,210	\$2,210
State Fees	810	743	225	612	765
#Departmental Fee	753	753	185	753	753
Campus Support Fee	558	512	155	527	527
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,461</b>	<b>\$4,153</b>	<b>\$1,215</b>	<b>\$4,255</b>	<b>\$4,255</b>
Books	\$ 500			\$ 400	
^Laptop	1,515				
Tools	1,525				
<b>Annual Cost</b>			<b>\$13,369</b>		<b>\$8,757</b>
<b>Program Cost</b>					<b>\$22,126</b>

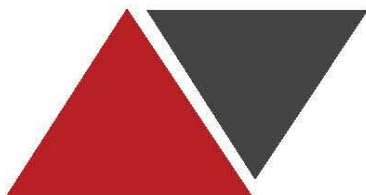
These costs are estimates. Changes in the number of credits carried will affect these figures. These figures do not include rent, food, and related living expenses.

#OSHA Certification fee is included in Departmental Fee.

^Students are required to purchase a laptop through the LATC STAX Bookstore.

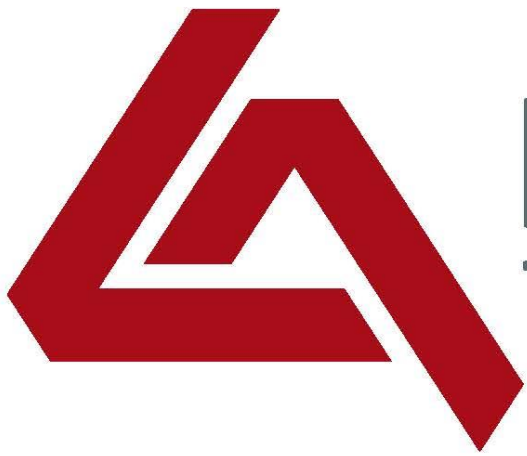
Software use and IT support is included for laptops purchased through the Bookstore.

Before purchasing software for laptops, it is recommended to contact the Bookstore for free or student discounted software.



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Estimated Indirect Costs 2025-2026  
11 months

	Housing & Food	Personal / Miscellaneous	Transportation	Total
Dependent Student living off campus	\$11,000	\$1,820	\$2,750	\$15,570
Dependent Student living with parent	\$6,600	\$1,820	\$2,750	\$11,170
Independent Student living off campus	\$16,280	\$3,400	\$2,970	\$22,650
Independent Student living with parent	\$6,600	\$1,820	\$2,750	\$11,170

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**Personal/Miscellaneous** -estimate for items such as entertainment, clothing, personal care items, etc.

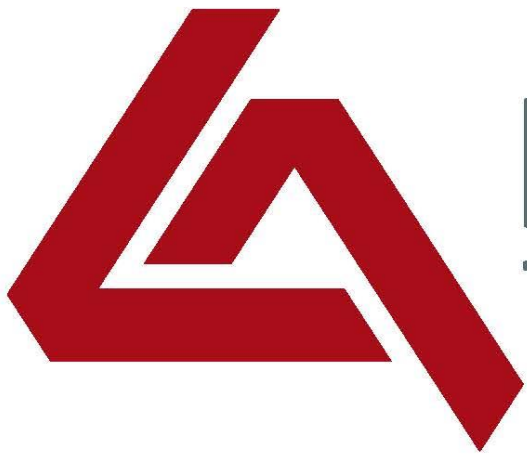
**Transportation** – estimate for expenses to travel to and from campus, a part-time job and occasional trips home.

Please reach out to the Financial Aid Office if you have questions about the costs to attend Lake Area Tech at [financialaid@lakeareatech.edu](mailto:financialaid@lakeareatech.edu) or the phone numbers below.



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9 months

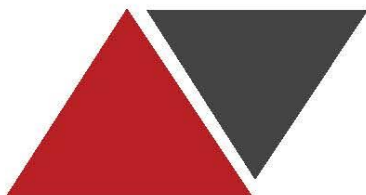
	Housing & Food	Personal / Miscellaneous	Transportation	Total
Dependent Student living off campus	\$9,000	\$1,500	\$2,250	\$12,750
Dependent Student living with parent	\$5,400	\$1,500	\$2,250	\$9,150
Independent Student living off campus	\$13,320	\$2,800	\$2,430	\$18,550
Independent Student living with parent	\$5,400	\$1,500	\$2,250	\$9,150

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