



TCAT Upper Cumberland Cost Sheet 2026-2027 Automotive

The mission of the Automotive Technology program is to prepare students for entry-level employment as automotive technicians. Training includes classroom instruction and hands-on experience diagnosing and repairing "live" vehicles. Upon completion of an instructional area, students will be able to perform procedures expected of an automotive technician employed in the Automotive Field. Once an instructional area is mastered, students advance to the next area until all areas are complete. SPECIAL NOTICE: Based on industry requirements, students should hold a valid driver's license and maintain a good driving record.

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

First Term		432 Hours
Tuition	\$1,446.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$85.00	Due at Registration
Cengage Unlimited 1 Yr. Access 9780357700044	\$300.00	Approximate
Electude Voucher 18 month 9798998932366	\$225.00	Approximate
Tool Kit	\$2,100.00	Approximate
5 Navy T Shirts (Must Be Navy Blue)	\$100.00	Approximate
Total Tuition and Fees	\$4,266.00	
Second Term		864 Hours
Tuition	\$1,446.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$85.00	Due at Registration
Total	\$1,541.00	
Third Term		1296 Hours
Tuition	\$1,446.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$85.00	Due at Registration
Total	\$1,541.00	
Fourth Term		1728 Hours
Tuition	\$1,446.00	Due at Registration
Student Activity Fee	\$10.00	Due at Registration
Technology Fee	\$85.00	Due at Registration
Cengage Unlimited 4 month Access 9780357700037	\$250.00	Approximate
Total	\$1,791.00	
Total program cost	\$9,139.00	
Total Estimated Program Cost for (Brakes and Chassis Technician) Certificate 432 Hours	\$4,266.00	
Total Estimated Program Cost for (Automotive Technician Apprentice) Certificate 864 Hours	\$5,807.00	
Total Estimated Program Cost for Automotive Service Technician 1512 Hours	\$6,308.00	
Total Estimated Program Cost for Automotive & Hybrid/Electric Vehicle Tech 1728 Hours	\$9,139.00	

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