

## Additional Study Costs and Charges for Undergraduate Courses

### Additional Course Costs

There are additional costs associated with all studies, which require consideration, when planning and budgeting for expenditure. The costs shown are for the **total length of the course** shown unless otherwise stated.

#### **Books and other Texts:**

Students may be required to purchase texts and journals to support their study programme. The minimum, average cost of books for students studying on a degree course is assumed as **£100 per year (optional)**

#### **Printing:**

We recommend a minimum budget of **£50 per year** for printing costs including dissertation printing and binding. This relates to the printing of written documents through the photocopiers. Where relevant, the printing of artworks (draft and finished) will incur additional costs listed below.

#### **In year or end of year exhibitions, projects and performances:**

Where a course contains exhibitions, major projects or performances additional costs will be incurred. These costs can be discussed in detail with your course teams and some will be linked to a professional skills element of the course where organised fundraising for such activities may be included.

#### **Graduation:**

Graduation costs per student are estimated at £100 - £200 total. This is an optional cost for all students as attending graduation is not a requirement in order to have a degree conferred.

Any additional costs over and above those listed above can be found listed below:

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	Additional printing costs for reports, brochures, posters and portfolios between £50 - £250 dependent on individual project content.
BA (Hons) Product Design	Equipment/Material costs for 3 years of study is estimated between £600 and £800. An additional £500 to £1500 is estimated for further optional costs. Extra costs are dependent on the student's choice of purchases in terms of: materials, stationery, supplies and other equipment including software, consumables, tools, and a computer/laptop/tablet.

The cost of optional books/magazines is estimated at £100. We regularly update our selection of product design and other related books in the University library, therefore purchasing extra books/magazines is optional.

Compulsory study tours and trips will be up to £100 - £200 with optional overseas study trips in years one and two estimated up to £1000.

In year and end of year exhibition costs will be up to £200 - £300. Optional extra costs of £200 to £400. Fundraising organised by the year group can contribute to cover some or all of these costs.