

Additional Course Related Costs

There may be additional expenses associated with your course, which are not included within the tuition fee that you pay.

The table below provides an indication of additional course specific related costs, please note that actual costs can vary depending on the choices you make during your course.

This information is for applicants starting your course in 2025/26. For students starting in later years this can be used as an illustrative cost and updated information will be provided directly to students once available.

Accommodation and living costs are not included in the fees. Further information on accommodation can be found on our website: www.shu.ac.uk/accommodation

The University provides a range of work experience opportunities for students. Any work experience that you undertake as part of your course could incur travel costs, these would be dependent on the location of your work experience placement.

If your course is not listed below, there are no additional course specific costs. There will be some general costs that could relate to all courses which are listed separately.

Subject	Course Name	Estimated minimum cost (£)	Estimated maximum cost (£)	Detail of cost	Optional or Mandatory?	Additional notes
Acting, Film and TV	BA Hon Acting and Performance (Including with Foundation Year)	£50	£150	Rehearsal clothing	Mandatory	Students to come to practical sessions wearing appropriate rehearsal clothing (Loose-fitting trousers, T-shirt, sweat-shirt & indoor trainers, pumps or dance shoes). Ideally these will all be black, with no logos.
	BA Hon Musical Theatre	£80	£120	Theatre Trips	Optional	Any compulsory theatre trips are covered by the course, but you are also encouraged to see other theatre and performance in Sheffield and beyond.
Acting, Film and TV	BA Hon Film and TV Production (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£350	Field trips UK/overseas	Optional	All necessary equipment/ software is provided but students may choose to purchase their own. Students may choose to work with actors that request payment for expenses but this is at a students' discretion and not mandatory for completion of the course.
		£0	£500	Project costs	Optional	
Acting, Film and TV	BA Hon Film Studies (Including with Foundation Year)	£80	£120	Cinema Trips	Optional	Any compulsory cinema trips are covered by the course, but you are also encouraged to see other films in Sheffield and beyond.
Acting, Film and TV	MA Filmmaking	£0	£600	Field trips UK/overseas	Optional	Market awareness is a key part of the course. The recommended festivals cover UK, European and Global territories.
		£0	£300	Project Costs		All necessary equipment/ software is provided but students may choose to purchase their own. Students may choose to work with actors that request payment for expenses, but this is at a students' discretion and not mandatory for completion of the course.
Acting, Film and TV	PhD Stage and Screen	£0	£0	N/A	N/A	There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.
Architecture	BArch Hon Architecture	£170	£285	Specialist printing & materials	Mandatory	Specialist printing £170, Materials £115
		£110	£330	European field trip	Optional	European Field Trip (There are also mandatory field trips but these are free)
Architecture	MArch Architecture	£170	£285	Specialist printing & materials	Mandatory	Specialist printing £170, Materials £115
		£115	£230	UK field trip	Mandatory	
		£340	£570	European field trip	Mandatory	
Art and Design	BA Hon Animation (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£240	Art materials/ equipment	Optional	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials.
		£385	£520	Overseas field trips	Optional	International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
Art and Design	BA Hon Fashion Design (Including with Foundation Year)	£1,030	£1,750	Materials including project costs	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks.
		£0	£1,050	Project additional costs	Optional	Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials.
		£385	£520	Overseas field trips	Optional	International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
Art and Design	BA Hon Fashion Management and Communication (Including with Foundation Year)	£155	£470	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks.
		£155	£720	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£115	£620	Project costs	Optional	Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials.
		£910	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
Art and Design	BA Hon Fine Art (Including with Foundation Year)	£365	£1,360	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks.
		£115	£680	Exhibition costs	Optional	Project materials/exhibition costs depend on students' choice of project, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials.
		£170	£910	Overseas field trips	Optional	International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.

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Art and Design	BA Hon Graphic Design (Including with Foundation Year)	£170	£220	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£115	£165	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£25	£75	Portfolio	Mandatory	
		£115	£420	Project costs	Optional	
		£910	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
		£55	£90	Course text books	Mandatory	
Art and Design	BA Hon Illustration (Including with Foundation Year)	£170	£220	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£170	£230	Art materials/ equipment/ books	Mandatory	
		£25	£75	Portfolio	Mandatory	
		£115	£420	Project costs	Optional	
		£910	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	BA Hon Interior Architecture and Design (Including with Foundation Year)	£170	£220	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£170	£230	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£0	£340	Project costs	Optional	
		£400	£450	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	BA Hon Photography (Including with Foundation Year)	£310	£930	Photography consumables	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost. Students may choose to purchase a camera, but this is not mandatory as equipment is available to use at the university.
		£0	£210	Project costs	Optional	
		£310	£515	Overseas field trips	Optional	
		Varies	Varies	Camera	Optional	
Art and Design	BA Hon Product Design (Including with Foundation Year)	£375	£570	Art materials/ equipment/ print consumables	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£115	£570	Project costs	Optional	
		£310	£515	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Animation	£0	£155	Art materials/ equipment	Optional	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£385	£520	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Design (Fashion)	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£60	£90	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£0	£1,360	Project costs	Optional	
		£910	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Design (Graphics) MA Design (Illustration) MA Design (Interior) MA Design (Packaging) MA Design (Product)	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£60	£200	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£115	£200	Project costs	Mandatory	
		£910	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Design (Interaction)	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£200	£200	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£285	£1,115	Project costs	Mandatory	
		£400	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	

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Art and Design	MA Design (Design for Health)	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£90	£200	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£115	£200	Project costs	Mandatory	
		£400	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Design (Performance Sports)	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£60	£90	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£0	£1,360	Project costs	Optional	
		£400	£1,360	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Jewellery and Metalwork	£90	£150	Specialist printing	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£60	£200	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	
		£115	£200	Project costs	Mandatory	
		£0	£570	Precious metals	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Photography	£210	£520	Photography consumables	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials costs depend on students' choice of project/design output, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost. Students may choose to purchase a camera, but this is not mandatory as equipment is available to use at the university.
		£50	£210	Project costs	Optional	
		£385	£520	Overseas field trip	Optional	
		Varies	Varies	Camera	Optional	
Art and Design	MA Fine Art	£85	£115	Art materials/ equipment	Mandatory	You will need to supply your own consumable materials during the course such as drawing materials and sketchbooks. Project materials/exhibition costs depend on students' choice of project, in particular the scale of making, its complexity, and the choice of materials. International trips are optional and if wish to participate you will be expected cover the full cost.
		£285	£1,020	Project costs	Mandatory	
		£0	£570	Exhibition costs	Optional	
		£385	£520	Overseas field trips	Optional	
Art and Design	MPhil/PHD Fine Art and Design	£0	£0	N/A	N/A	There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.
Digital Media	BA Hon Game Art (Including with Foundation Year)	£15	£20	Art materials	Mandatory	All necessary equipment/software is provided on campus but students may choose to purchase their own to complete project work off campus. This is not mandatory.
Digital Media	BA Hon Game Design and Development (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£0	Equipment/software	Optional	All necessary equipment/software is provided on campus but students may choose to purchase their own to complete project work off campus. This is not mandatory.
Digital Media	MA Digital Media Management (Including Work Experience Route)	£0	£600	Field trips UK/overseas	Optional	
Digital Media	MA Games	£0	£150	Miscellaneous items such as a storage drive	Optional	Depending on student choice of project, there may be additional costs.
English	BA Hon Creative Writing (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£520	Books	Optional	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books. This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation.
	BA Hon English (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£30	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Mix of Mandatory and Optional	Module excursions. Students may wish to purchase breakfast, lunch and snacks (although students are encouraged to pack their lunch).
English	MA Creative Writing	£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	Attendance at London Book Fair. If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch).
English	PHD English	£0	£0	N/A	N/A	There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.
History	PHD History	£0	£0	N/A	N/A	There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.
Media, PR and Journalism	BA Hon Sports Journalism (Including with Foundation Year)	£0	£150	Certification exams	Optional	There is an opportunity for students to take certification exams (NCTJ - National Council for the Training of Journalists)

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Media, PR and Journalism	MA Global Communication and Media	£0	£100	Project costs	Optional	Depending on the particular requirements of the given student's individual project.
		£0	£300	Overseas field trip	Optional	
Media, PR and Journalism	MA Sports Journalism	£0	£100	Certification exams	Optional	There is an opportunity for students to take certification exams (NCTJ - National Council for the Training of Journalists)
		£0	£30	Project costs	Optional	Depending on student choice of project, there may be additional costs (most likely travel expenses).
Media, PR and Journalism	MPhil Media Arts MPhil/PhD Media and Communications	£0	£0	N/A	N/A	There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.