



School of Nursing

2025-2026 Traditional BSN Resident Cost Estimates

This estimate is based on full-time, fall enrollment.

This document provides the estimated costs and expenses for the length of the program for a student enrolled in the four-semester BSN option (major). Tuition and University fees are those you can expect to see on your semester bill. Nursing fees are those costs you can expect to incur as a result of being enrolled in the Nursing major and are considered out-of-pocket expenses. Together, these expenses create an overall cost of attendance for the BSN program.

	5th Semester	6th Semester	7th Semester	8th Semester	Total
University Expenses					
Tuition	\$ 4,340.50	\$ 4,340.50	\$ 4,340.50	\$ 4,340.50	\$ 17,362.00
Room & Board	\$ 4,914.00	\$ 4,914.00	\$ 4,914.00	\$ 4,914.00	\$ 19,656.00
Technology Fee	\$ 156.00	\$ 156.00	\$ 156.00	\$ 156.00	\$ 624.00
Safety & Security	\$ 52.00	\$ 52.00	\$ 52.00	\$ 52.00	\$ 208.00
Homecoming Fee (Fall Only)	\$ 60.00	n/a	\$ 60.00	n/a	\$ 120.00
Course Materials Fee	\$ 195.00	\$ 195.00	\$ 195.00	\$ 195.00	\$ 780.00
Orientation Fee	\$ 250.00	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$ 250.00
Nursing Course Fee	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,200.00
Nursing Achievement Exams	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 1,400.00
Nursing Student Liability Insurance	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 100.00
Student Nursing Drug Screening	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 200.00
Graduation Fee	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
School of Nursing Expenses					
Clinical Transportation Costs (traditional transport)*	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,200.00
Uniforms (per complete uniform)*	\$ 300.00				\$ 300.00
Uniform Shoes*	\$ 100.00		\$ 100.00		\$ 200.00
Practicum Equipment*	\$ 300.00				\$ 300.00
BSN Nursing Pin				\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Gradation Regalia (Jostens)				\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 600.00
Total Costs *					\$ 44,950.00

Note: These fees are estimates based on the 2021-2022 fee schedule, and may vary depending on credit load and courses taken. Kentucky State University and the School of Nursing reserve the right to make revisions in curriculum and requirements of all programs. Tuition and fees are subject to change according to the Kentucky Legislature, KSU Board of Regents, the University, and/or Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education. **ALL FEES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.**

* Costs may vary depending on quantity, size, model, brand, material, distance to clinical site, etc. So that students can make an informed decision regarding expenses, costs are estimated based on the best practice averages.

† Costs do not include discretionary participation fees such as parking decals, reinstatement fees, etc.