

Tuition and Fee Schedule

**CERTIFICATE IN COURT REPORTING
DAY SCHOOL**

The Court Reporting Program is a skill-based program, and **the number of months it takes to complete varies. Students pay for only the length of time they attend. Therefore, completing the program in less than the expected completion time decreases the tuition.** At whatever time period the student completes the program, the total estimated charges for that period of attendance are stated in Column 9. Tuition is charged per quarter, and the total academic year cost of tuition, books, and fees is stated in Column 9.

South Coast College has found that the most important factors relating to a timely or earlier program completion relate to all of the following:

- A student’s strict adherence to the College’s curriculum;
- A consistent, daily, and time-intensive out-of-class practice regimen that follows the College’s skill-development philosophy; and
- Excellent class attendance for all classes.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Days)	Length of one Academic Year (Days)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Days)
1	3	9 months	\$ 1,333.33	\$ 4,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 740	\$ 145	\$ 12,885
2	3	9 months	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 4,200	\$ 12,600	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,345
3	3	9 months	\$ 1,470.00	\$ 4,410	\$ 13,230	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,975
4	3	9 months	\$ 1,543.67	\$ 4,631	\$ 13,893	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 14,638
5	3	7 months	\$ 1,620.67	\$ 4,862	\$ 11,345	\$ 500	\$ 145	\$ 11,990
Subtotal								\$ 66,833.00
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99.00
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 167.50
TOTAL								\$ 67,099.50

NOTES:
 1. At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
 2. Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year.
 3. Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.

The program has been approved as a 3-year, 7-month program (43 months). Tuition for the program is \$67,099.50. If you complete the program before the 43 months, South Coast College does not charge you the entire \$67,099.50; rather, it charges you up to the date that you formally withdraw. If you exceed the maximum time frame allowed for the program (65 months), you would be considered an Extended Enrollment student and cannot be counted in our statistics as a graduate. You would be considered a completer.

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**CERTIFICATE IN COURT REPORTING
NIGHT SCHOOL**

The Court Reporting Program is a skill-based program, and **the number of months it takes to complete varies. Students pay for only the length of time they attend. Therefore, completing the program in less than the expected completion time decreases the tuition.** At whatever time period the student completes the program, the total estimated charges for that period of attendance are stated in Column 9. Tuition is charged per quarter, and the total academic year cost of tuition, books, and fees is stated in Column 9.

South Coast College has found that the most important factors relating to a timely or earlier program completion relate to all of the following:

- A student’s strict adherence to the College’s curriculum;
- A consistent, daily, and time-intensive out-of-class practice regimen that follows the College’s skill-development philosophy; and
- Excellent class attendance for all classes.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Nights)	Length of one Academic Year (Nights)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Nights)
1	4	12 months	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 3,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 740	\$ 145	\$ 12,885
2	4	12 months	\$ 1,050.00	\$ 3,150	\$ 12,600	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,345
3	4	12 months	\$ 1,102.50	\$ 3,308	\$ 13,230	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,975
4	4	12 months	\$ 1,157.75	\$ 3,473	\$ 13,893	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 14,638
5	3	8 months	\$ 1,418.13	\$ 3,647	\$ 11,345	\$ 500	\$ 145	\$ 11,990
Subtotal								\$ 66,833.00
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99.00
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 167.50
TOTAL								\$ 67,099.50

NOTES:
 1. At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
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The program has been approved as a 4-year, 8-month program (56 months). Tuition for the program is \$67,099.50. If you complete the program before the 56 months, South Coast College does not charge you the entire \$67,099.50; rather, it charges you up to the date that you formally withdraw. If you exceed the maximum time frame allowed for the program (84 months), you would be considered an Extended Enrollment student and cannot be counted in our statistics as a graduate. You would be considered a completer.

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Writer

To enroll in the court reporting program, a ProCAT Blaze student writer (steno machine) and Windows 10 or Windows 11 laptop are required. Should you opt to utilize a different writer from what is recommended, you are responsible for acquiring your own technical support. South Coast College does not have an all-inclusive support staff for the training and technical support of the various writers.

There are two options for purchasing the ProCAT Blaze student writer:

1. Finance the writer through your financial aid package. Doing so will include a \$200 down payment and a \$100 charge each month. If you wish, these fees may be covered by your financial aid. There will also be a soft credit check conducted by ProCAT before processing your order.
2. Purchase your Blaze writer directly through ProCAT.

The ProCAT Blaze student writer has a two-year warranty that includes steno writer insurance coverage and technical support. In two years, your Blaze writer will be paid off and you will own it. Once you are ready to purchase a professional writer, you can exchange your Blaze writer for credit applied toward your professional writer.

Software

When you take your computer-related courses in your second year of the program, you will be given instructions on how to order student translation software from StenoCAT. All the apprenticeship assignments require the use of StenoCAT translation software.

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**CERTIFICATE IN COURT REPORTING PRODUCTION SPECIALIST PROGRAM
DAY SCHOOL**

Tuition is charged per quarter, and the total academic year cost of tuition, books, and fees is stated in Column 9.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Days)	Length of one Academic Year (Days)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Days)
1	3	9 months	\$ 1,333.33	\$ 4,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 740	\$ 145	\$ 12,885
2	3	9 months	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 4,200	\$ 12,600	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,345
Subtotal								\$ 26,230
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 65
TOTAL								\$ 26,394

NOTES:
 4. At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
 5. Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year.
 6. Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.

**CERTIFICATE IN COURT REPORTING PRODUCTION SPECIALIST PROGRAM
NIGHT SCHOOL**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Nights)	Length of one Academic Year (Nights)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Nights)
1	4	12 months	\$ 1,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 740	\$ 145	\$ 12,885
2	4	12 months	\$ 1,050	\$ 3,150	\$ 12,600	\$ 600	\$ 145	\$ 13,345
Subtotal								\$ 26,230
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 65
TOTAL								\$ 26,394

NOTES:
 1. At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
 2. Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year.
 3. Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.

Tuition and Fee Schedule

**PARALEGAL AA DEGREE PROGRAM
DAY SCHOOL**

Tuition is charged per quarter, and the total academic year cost of tuition, books, and fees is stated in Column 9.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Days)	Length of one Academic Year (Days)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Days)
1	3	9 months	\$ 1,333.33	\$ 4,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 1,701	\$ 145	\$ 13,846
2	3	9 months	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 4,200	\$ 12,600	\$ 1,701	\$ 145	\$ 14,446
Subtotal								\$ 28,292
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 70
TOTAL								\$ 28,461

NOTES:

- At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
- Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year.
- Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.

**PARALEGAL AA DEGREE PROGRAM
NIGHT SCHOOL**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Nights)	Length of one Academic Year (Nights)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Nights)
1	4	12 months	\$ 1,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 1,701	\$ 145	\$ 13,846
2	4	12 months	\$ 1,050	\$ 3,150	\$ 12,600	\$ 1,701	\$ 145	\$ 14,446
Subtotal								\$ 28,292
One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee								\$ 99
One-time STRF Fee								\$ 70
TOTAL								\$ 28,461

NOTES:

- At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog.
- Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year.
- Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.

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**MEDICAL ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE PROGRAM COSTS
DAY SCHOOL**

Tuition is charged per quarter, and the total academic year cost of tuition, books, and fees is stated in Column 9.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Academic Year	Quarters per Academic Year (Nights)	Length of one Academic Year (Nights)	Monthly Tuition Rate	Quarterly Tuition Rate	Tuition for One Academic Year	Estimated Books	Lab Fee	Estimated Program Cost (Nights)
1	3	9 months	\$ 1,333.33	\$ 4,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 545	\$ 145	\$ 12,690.00
NOTES: 1. The Medical Assistant program length is 9 months for the Day program. A Night program is not currently offered. 2. At the time of this publication, the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee is being charged. An explanation of the STRF Fee is on the last page of Addendum A of the Catalog. 3. Tuition increases 5 percent for each additional academic year. 4. Please refer to program requirements for specific equipment requirements, such as a Windows desktop or laptop (no Chromebooks), ProCAT writer, StenoCAT software, and so on.							Subtotal	\$ 12,690.00
							One-time nonrefundable Registration Fee	\$ 74.00
							One-time refundable Insurance Fee	\$ 35.00
							One-time STRF Fee	\$ 32.50
							TOTAL	\$ 12,831.50

*Tuition and Fee Schedule***Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Explanation**

The State of California created the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) to relieve or mitigate economic losses suffered by students who are California residents in educational programs or are enrolled in a residency program, attending certain schools regulated by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education.

You may be eligible for STRF if you are a California resident or are enrolled in a residency program, prepaid tuition, paid STRF assessment, and suffered an economic loss as a result of any of the following:

1. The school closed before the course of instruction was completed.
2. The school's failure to pay refunds or charges on behalf of a student to a third party for license fees or any other purpose or to provide equipment or materials for which a charge was collected within 180 days before the closure of the school.
3. The school's failure to pay or reimburse loan proceeds under a federally guaranteed student loan program as required by law or to pay or reimburse proceeds received by the school prior to closure in excess of tuition and other costs.
4. There was a material failure to comply with the Act or the Division within 30 days before the school closed or, if the material failure began earlier than 30 days prior to closure, the period determined by the Bureau.
5. An inability after diligent efforts to prosecute, prove, and collect on a judgment against the institution for a violation of the Act.

You must pay the State-imposed assessment for the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) Fee if all of the following applies to you:

1. You are a student who is a California resident in an educational program or are enrolled in a residency program and prepay all or part of your tuition either by cash, guaranteed student loans, or personal loans, and
2. Your total charges are not paid by any third-party payer such as an employer, government program, or other payer unless you have a separate agreement to repay the third party.

You are not eligible for protection from the STRF, and you are not required to pay the STRF assessment if either of the following applies:

1. You are not a California resident or are not enrolled in a residency program, or
2. Your total charges are paid by a third party, such as an employer, government program, or other payer, and you have no separate agreement to repay the third party.