

COST ESTIMATE FOR THE MASSAGE THERAPY PROGRAM

The following list should be considered an estimate **ONLY**. Circumstances and vendors beyond the control of this program set these prices in most cases. Be sure to do the research to get your final prices and make your own decisions about where to purchase.

Tuition: This program is 15 credit hours per semester. This **does not** include the Pre-Requisite (2 classes =7 credits) courses. Following is the published schedule for tuition set by the college and you can determine this cost through the choices you make for classes.

2011-2012 TUITION SCHEDULE FOR ARIZONA WESTERN COLLEGE

ARIZONA RESIDENTS

Credit Hours	Age 59 & Under	Age 60 & Over	Age 17 & Under
1	\$70	\$61	\$55
2	\$140	\$122	\$110
3	\$210	\$183	\$165
4	\$280	\$244	\$220
5	\$350	\$305	\$275
6	\$420	\$366	\$330
7	\$490	\$427	\$385
8	\$560	\$488	\$440
9	\$630	\$549	\$495
10	\$700	\$610	\$550
11	\$770	\$671	\$605
12	\$840	\$732	\$660
13	\$910	\$793	\$715
14	\$980	\$854	\$770
15	\$1050	\$915	\$825

Non-Arizona Residents

Credit Hours	Age 59 & Under	Age 60 & Over	Age 17 & Under
1	\$80	\$71	\$65
2	\$160	\$142	\$130
3	\$240	\$213	\$195
4	\$320	\$284	\$260
5	\$400	\$355	\$325
6	\$480	\$426	\$390
7	\$1995	\$1932	\$1890
8	\$2280	\$2208	\$2160
9	\$2565	\$2484	\$2430
10	\$2850	\$2760	\$2700
11	\$3135	\$3036	\$2970
12	\$3420	\$3312	\$3240
13	\$3490	\$3373	\$3295
14	\$3560	\$3434	\$3350
15	\$3630	\$3495	\$3405

Class Fees: There is a \$940 class fee for LMT 114. This is your first semester core class and the fee covers the cost of your equipment package that includes, at least:

- Professional massage table with carrying case and face rest
- Professional massage chair with carrying case
- Bolster and face rest cushion
- One set of sheets
- Two face rest covers
- Two towels
- Oil or lotion samples
- One apron or oil holster
- One canvas tote bag

Other courses you may choose to register for may have fees attached; see the class schedule to make this determination.

Books for this program are purchased for the first course, LMT 114, and are used for all courses.

LMT 114: \$280 (2011-2012)

Author	Title	Publisher	Edition	ISBN
Biel	Trial Guide Pack: Textbook/Workbook Combo & DVD	Books of Discovery	4 th	978-0-76-376593-4
Fritz	Fundamentals of Therapeutic Massage 4e with Mosby's Essential Sciences for Therapeutic Massage 3e	Elsevier	4 th & 3 rd	978-0-32-305660-1
Sohnen-Moe	Business Mastery	Sohnen-Moe Assoc.	4 th	978-0-96-212657-4
Benjamin	Ethics of Touch: The Hands-on Practitioners Guide to Creating a Professional, Safe and Enduring Practice	Baker & Tay	1 st	1-882908-40-6

LMT 106: One book, \$109 (2011-2012)

BIO 160: Two books (text and lab guide), \$153 & \$116 (2011-2012)

You can go to the campus book store and they can give you the correct titles and editions of these books if you want to see if you can get them online or through some other used book outlet. Some textbooks may be available for rental through the campus bookstore.

Uniforms and Professional Appearance Code

A professional image must be presented at all times. Students are responsible for adhering to this requirement. The following regulations apply whenever a student is in uniform:

The approved massage therapy student uniform includes:

- a. Black dress pants (no denim allowed). Pants must be long enough to cover the ankle but not touch on the floor.
- b. Black shorts or skirts may be worn. Shorts or skirt must be no more than 2 inches above the top of the knee cap.
- c. Scrub top provided with equipment package (student is responsible for purchasing the required left sleeve patch)
- d. Appropriate underwear of discreet color (not seen through or outside of the uniform)
- e. Shoes with closed toes (clogs with heel straps are allowed). Socks must be black.

Patches and uniforms: Patches are available in the campus bookstore for \$7.50. One scrub top is provided in the equipment kit, individual may wish to purchase additional uniforms. Additional scrub tops can also be purchased for \$19.98 (SM – XL, additional sizes may cost more)

Field Trips and off-campus activities:

There is the opportunity for off-campus activities and events, as well as field trips. Many of these events are sponsored by the club and require little or no cost to the student (with the exception of meal expenses). The events that require additional costs to the student are not required activities.