

College Costs

Tuition*

Tuition for classes at Central Texas College locations outside Texas varies with the government contract, agreement, or memorandum of understanding through which the institution operates. Therefore, both tuition and fees may be adjusted, based on government contracts and local conditions, during the period this Catalog is in effect. Costs of classes to students will vary with the level of support being provided by the sponsoring agency at each campus or site.

Obtain information about current tuition, fees and costs of classes from the Education Officer, Navy College Officer, or the Central Texas College representative.

Other Fees *

In addition to tuition, the following fees are required or applicable. Normally, fees are nonrefundable. However, a refund for overpayment of transcript/record fees will be made upon written request from the student.

Return Check Fee.....	\$25
Graduation and Diploma replacement	\$25
Transcript and Records by mail (per copy).....	\$3
Transcript and Records, walk-in less than 24 hours service (per copy)	\$5
Course Challenge	\$50
Instructional Materials (as required by contract, per credit hour)(non-refundable)	\$30-\$40

Tuition and Fees - Noncredit Courses

Tuition and fees for Continental and International locations are determined by contracts and agreements.

* All tuition and fees are subject to change as approved by the Board of Trustees.

Refunds

No tuition refunds will be made except in the case of cancellation or official withdrawal from Central Texas College or from a course. For students receiving military tuition assistance, the effective date of withdrawal is the date the Application for Withdrawal/Refund is signed by the designated Education Center or Navy College office representative. The instructor must sign the withdrawal form before or after the effective withdrawal date.

For self-pay students refunds are computed from the date the Application for Withdrawal or Refund is filed with the designated CTC Student Services Office or CTC Records Office.

Special conditions apply to students who receive federal, state, and/or institutional financial aid or VA benefits. The refund is generally calculated based upon the student's last date of attendance.

Although the following refund schedule is provided, actual refunds for tuition and fees are based upon the contract, agreement, or memorandum of understanding at the location for which the College operates. Students enrolled in distance learning courses delivered from the Central Campus in Killeen, Texas, should refer to the Texas Campuses Catalog.

- 100% Withdrawal before the first class day.
- 75% Withdrawal if not more than 1/8 of the total class meetings have elapsed.
- 50% Withdrawal if not more than 1/4 of the total class meetings have elapsed.
- 0% Withdrawal if more than 1/4 of the total class meetings have elapsed.

- Class day count begins with the first day of instruction (the first calendar day of the term) and includes all weekdays, Monday through Friday, which are not designated official Central Texas College holidays.

- Prior to the census date, Central Texas College will allow hours to be dropped and re-added without penalty to the student if the exchange is an equal one and the exchange occurs simultaneously as a single transaction. When the charges for dropped hours are greater than for the hours added, the refund policy outlined above is to be applied to the net charges being dropped. If the charges for hours being added exceed the charges for hours being dropped, the student must pay the net additional charges.

Charges of hours that are dropped without concurrently added hours will be refunded in accordance with the refund policy above. Charges for hours added at a later time will be applied based on the current approved tuition and fee schedule and will not offset the charges for prior drops.

- Tuition and fees paid directly to the Institution by the Veterans Administration, Title IV (Financial Aid Programs), a sponsor, donor, or scholarship shall be refunded to the source rather than directly to the student.
- Emergency withdrawal will be considered to be filed as of the date of the emergency. Students must submit written proof of emergency such as military emergency leave orders or medical certification of family emergency. Refunds under emergency conditions will follow the tuition refund schedule listed above.

Withdrawals, Student Responsibilities

It is the student's responsibility to officially withdraw from a course. The instructor cannot initiate a withdrawal based upon a student's request. Rather, students must initiate the withdrawal with the designated Education Center or Navy College Office representative, or through the CTC Records or campus Student Services Office.

Students who do not officially withdraw and cease to attend or participate in the class may be administratively withdrawn from the course by the instructor. In such cases, the instructor may assign the student a grade of "W" or "F" for non-attendance.

Textbooks

Prices are based on the publisher's price and may vary from term to term. Prices are available from the Central Texas College Bookstore website at www.ctcbookstore.com.

- Textbook costs are nonrefundable unless the class is cancelled by CTC. For cancelled classes, the book must be returned (unused, unmarked, and if shrink-wrapped, unopened) to the Central Texas College Bookstore.
- Please visit our website for complete information regarding returns and exchanges.

NOTE Students are responsible for any additional amounts owed to CTC resulting from post-enrollment audits and corrections, including all fees and waivers; e.g., registered assessing errors, dropping or adding classes, invalid employment, or third-party waivers. CTC will accept tuition assistance/sponsor agreements in lieu of payments at the time of registration, but students will be responsible for all amounts owed if the sponsoring agency does not remit payment in full.

Determining Residence Status

Students enrolled in courses at CTC locations outside Texas pay the tuition and fee rates based upon the applicable military contract or memorandum of understanding. Bona fide Texas residents enrolled in distance learning courses through the Central Campus in Killeen may be eligible for in-state tuition rates. Certain conditions apply, and substantiating documents to affirm residence are required. Refer to the Texas Campuses catalog, which is available online at the CTC website www.ctcd.edu.

Military Personnel

Nonresident active duty military attending CTC outside Texas and who plan to retire or separate from the U.S. military and move to Texas are encouraged to review the residency information in the Texas Campuses catalog. State of Texas rules and regulations on changing your permanent residence to Texas are provided. Although state requirements for establishing residency are complex and prospective students should refer to their particular circumstance, most action to change your permanent residence to Texas must be done at least 12 months prior to moving to Texas.