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Computing	All courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	£0	£550	Books for own annotation. Stationery, photocopying and printing.	Optional Optional	Per Year	Resources are provided by SHU library services (in print and electronically). Students may purchase their own copies if they wish but this is not mandatory. Students may print off their resources as they wish. However, assessments are typically submitted online. PCs are available for use within the University, however new students are encouraged to have ownership of or guaranteed daily access to a PC of their own.
Computing	Some courses		dependent on location	dependent on location	UK Government Turing Scheme	Optional		Some courses within the University may offer the opportunity to study or work abroad as part of the new UK Government Turing Scheme. If you undertake an international study exchange or work placement, you may be eligible to apply for financial support from the Turing Scheme. The Turing Scheme grant contributes towards the extra costs arising from studying or working abroad and is paid in addition to the standard grants or loans to which students are entitled.
Computing	All courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	dependent on country travelling from	dependent on country travelling from	Health-related costs for International Students (including non-resident EU students) Visa to study in the UK for International Students Other visas (where required)	Mandatory	Prior to studying	Students travelling to the UK for study of six months or less must purchase travel insurance prior to travelling to the UK. This is to cover costs for any medical treatment whilst in the UK. Students applying for visas for longer than six months will be asked to pay an Immigration Health Surcharge to cover costs for any medical treatment during their time in the UK as part of the visa application process. If you are coming to the UK as a full-time higher education student and you have a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) which has been issued in an EU country after 1 January 2021, you may be able to apply for a refund of your Immigration Health Surcharge fee. Applicants from some countries are required to have a tuberculosis (TB) test if they are coming to the UK for more than six months. See the government website for a list of countries this applies to: www.gov.uk/tb-test-visa. Students will be required to pay their visa costs and meet any financial conditions. See the government website for the latest costs and conditions: www.gov.uk/browse/visas-immigration/student-visas. This includes direct and indirect costs associated with applications for third-country visas should a visa be required in order to participate in international learning experiences embedded within a course (for example, an international field trip).
Computing	All courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	£39	£160 + photography costs	Graduation costs	Optional	Final Year	Students attending a graduation ceremony at SHU will be required to pay for gown hire and photography (optional) through an external provider and tickets for any guests attending the ceremony. There is no charge for the student's own ticket. Prices for 2024/5 are to be confirmed but in 2022 gowns were £39-£59 depending on level of award, photography costs will be dependent on the student's chosen package and tickets for guests to attend the ceremony were £10 per guest.
Computing	All courses with a placement	Placement	dependent on location	dependent on location	Placement costs (travel and/or accomodation)	Mandatory	Placement Year	Students choose their own placement therefore travel and accommodation expenses will depend on their choice of location. In most cases students should be able to manage on the money that they receive if they budget accordingly, though this can depend on local factors such as pay rates for placements and local costs of living and accommodation.
Computing	All Distance Learning Courses	Distance Learning	£22 per month	£45 per month	Broadband Access	Mandatory	Per Year	You will need broadband access with a reliable connection, guidance on the latest version of relevant software will be provided by your course leader.
Computing	All postgraduate courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	£170	£170	CNNP Exam	Optional	Per Year	There is an opportunity for students to take CNNP exam. Dept of Computing will pay for the first attempt at this exam.
Computing	MSC ADVANCED COMPUTER NETWORKS (WORK EXPERIENCE)	FULL TIME PLACEMENT	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
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Computing	MSC ADVANCED COMPUTER NETWORKS	PART TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC BIG DATA ANALYTICS	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC BIG DATA ANALYTICS (WORK EXPERIENCE)	FULL TIME PLACEMENT	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC COMPUTING	FULL TIME	£200	£200		Optional		Microsoft Azure Certification Exams
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Computing	MSC DATA ANALYTICS WITH BANKING AND FINANCE	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC DATA ANALYTICS WITH BANKING AND FINANCE (WORK EXPERIENCE)	FULL TIME inc placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT (WORK EXPERIENCE)	FULL TIME PLACEMENT	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC HEALTHCARE ANALYTICS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC HEALTHCARE ANALYTICS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	PART TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MPHIL COMPUTING AND INFORMATICS	FULL TIME	£0	£2,185	Bench fee for exceptional project costs	Mandatory	Per year	Please be aware that additional project costs may be applied over and above the tuition fee. If this is the case, this will be discussed at the admissions stage of the PhD/MPhil application and agreed within the offer letter.
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Computing	MSC CYBER SECURITY	PART TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	MSC CYBER SECURITY	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).

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Computing	BENG HON SOFTWARE ENGINEERING	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).

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Computing	BENG HON SOFTWARE ENGINEERING WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ROBOTICS WITH FOUNDATION YR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON CYBER SECURITY	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON CYBER SECURITY WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER SCIENCE	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
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Computing	BSC HON CYBER SECURITY WITH FORENSICS	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON CYBER SECURITY WITH FORENSICS WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER SCIENCE FOR GAMES	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER SCIENCE FOR GAMES WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITH BUSINESS STUDIES	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£1,300	Certification exam	Optional		This is to support our annual accreditation exams process for ITIL and PRINCE2 certifications.
Computing	BSC HON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITH BUSINESS STUDIES WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£1,300	Certification exam	Optional		This is to support our annual accreditation exams process for ITIL and PRINCE2 certifications.
Computing	FOUNDATION YEAR IN COMPUTING	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER GAMES TECHNOLOGIES	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON COMPUTER GAMES TECHNOLOGIES WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
Computing	BSC HON SMART COMPUTING	FULL TIME and including Placement	£0 £0 £0	£100 £400 £200	Project costs (e.g. software/ travel expenses) Field Trips Certification exams	Mandatory Optional Optional	Per Year	The estimated maximum cost of £100 is an average figure. The actual maximum cost is dependent on how the student decides to execute their Final Year Project. Field trips typically costs between £20 and £400. There may be an opportunity for students to take certification exams possibly at a discounted rate: £100-£200.

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