Additional Course Related Costs

There may be additional expenses associated with your course, which are not included within the tuition fee that you pay.

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The University is committed to improving the employability offer to students on all Undergraduate courses. Any work experience that you undertake as part of your course could incur travel costs, these would be dependent on the location of your work experience placement.

Subject	Course Name	Mode of Attendance	Estimated minimum cost (£)	Estimated maximum cost (£)	Detail of cost	Optional or Mandatory?	Year of study	Additional notes
English	All courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	£0	£550	Books for own annotation.	Optional		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.
					Stationery, photocopying and printing.	Optional		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.
English	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		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
					Other visas (where required)			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).
English	All courses in this subject area	All modes of attendance	£39	£160 + photography costs	Graduation costs	Optional		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.
English	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.
English	All courses in this subject area	All modes of study	dependent on location	dependent on location	Work placements	Optional		All students take a second year module (Ideas into Action) that involves working with external clients. Students have a choice as to which project or placement to take. Some of these options will involve some travel to the host organisation.
English	All courses in this subject area	FULL TIME	£0	£30	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	3	Module excursion all English (bar BA (Hons) Language). Students may wish to purchase breakfast, lunch and snacks (although students are encouraged to pack their lunch).
English	Some courses	FULL TIME	£0	£15	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Core		Module excursion all English (bar BA (Hons) Language). Students may wish to purchase breakfast, lunch and snacks (although students are encouraged to pack their lunch).
English	BA HON CREATIVE WRITING	FULL TIME	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books.	Optional	2,3	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)

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English	BA HON CREATIVE WRITING	SANDWICH	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books. Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	2,3	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20		Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)
English	BA HON ENGLISH	FULL TIME	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books.	Optional	2,3	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)
English	BA HON ENGLISH	SANDWICH	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books.	Optional	2,3	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)
English	BA HON ENGLISH WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	FULL TIME	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books.	Optional	3, 4	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)
English	BA HON ENGLISH WITH FOUNDATION YEAR	SANDWICH	£0	£520	Most materials are provided electronically beforehand. Books can usually be borrowed from the library but there will be a need to purchase some key text books.	Optional	3, 4	This may be in addition to the books which you purchase for your own annotation which is referred to above
			£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	All	If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)

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					Stationery, photocopying and printing.	Optional		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.
English	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).
English	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.
English	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.
English	MA CREATIVE WRITING	FULL TIME	£0	£20	Food for day trips/enrichment activities	Optional	ALL	Attendance at London Book Fair. If students wish to purchase lunch then this is reflected in the costings (though students are encouraged to pack their lunch)
English	MA CREATIVE WRITING	PART TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
English	MASTER OF ENGLISH BY RESEARCH	FULL TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
English	MASTER OF ENGLISH BY RESEARCH	PART TIME	£0	£0				No additional course costs identified (other than any standard course costs detailed above for all courses within this subject area).
English	MPHIL ENGLISH	FULL TIME	£0	£0				There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students.
								As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.

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English	PHD ENGLISH	FULL TIME	£0	£0				There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.
English	PHD ENGLISH	PART TIME	£0	£0				There are not expected to be any mandatory additional costs for postgraduate research students. As part of the admissions process, the University will establish that there are sufficient and available resources to support students in undertaking their research. The University will provide access to a desk, computer, printer, photocopying, telephone and technical resources such as laboratories, workshops, consumables or specialist equipment as agreed necessary for the project.