Carl Albert State College
Physical Therapists Assistant Program
Financial Fact Sheet
2026

The data applies to students experiencing the program between Jan. 1, 2026 – Dec. 31, 2026.
Length of Program which includes all student instruction/interaction (including classroom, laboratory, exams, and clinical education).
Include the total number of weeks where either full or partial attendance is required.
Length of Program in Weeks excluding breaks: _____68_____
Length of Program in Weeks including breaks: _____80_____

Clinical Education

Does this program have a requirement for all students to complete at least one clinical education experience for which the students would be required to seek alternative housing or travel accommodations to attend ____**Yes** __**X**__**No**
Note: Indicate additional costs for which students are responsible during clinical education.

A total of 15 weeks of full time (5 days/week, 8 hours/day) clinical experience is required to graduate from the program. The amount of money required to travel depends upon the distance of the students' place of residence to their clinical experience. In the event that a student requests or is assigned a clinical experience beyond commuting distance, the student is responsible for any costs incurred for room and board they may require at a given affiliation. The average distance to a clinical facility from CASC is approximately 10 miles.

Student Costs

Note: Year 1 are costs experienced by students who enrolled in the program for the first time between Jan. 1, 2026 – Dec. 31, 2026. Annual costs for subsequent years are estimates based on the program's historical annual percentage increase of **[0%]**. Students should contact the program for further information related to costs**.**

	Year 1	Year 2	Total
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-district or In-state student:	**3,700.00**	**2,800.00**	**6,500.00**
Annual Tuition Public Institution, Out-of-district or Out-of-state student:	**3,700.00**	**2,800.00**	**6,500.00**
Annual Tuition Private Institution student:	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**
Annual institutional fees for a full-time student in the technical phase of the program[Includes general institutional fees, e.g., health insurance, recreation, etc.]	**2,649.00**	**3,302.00**	**5,951.00**
Total expected cost of other program- related expenses [Includes: required texts, laboratory fees, and other program costs for the entire technical program.]	**1,304.50**	**1,304.50**	**2,609.00**
Total Cost of the Program [Includes: tuition, fees, other program costs for the entire technical program. This includes all credits required to earn the PTA degree.			**$15,060.00**

Note: Students are encouraged to explore the cost of living for areas where they may choose to live. One possible website: https://livingwage.mit.edu/

Does the institution offer financial assistance specific to PTA students? _____Yes ___X__ No
Does the program/institution offer scholarships specific to PTA students? __X___Yes _____ No
Does the program offer federal work-study positions specific to PTA students? _____Yes ___X__ No
Note: Other opportunities may exist at the institution for FINANCIAL SUPPOR. Please contact the program for further information.
APTA student members are encouraged to visit the APTA Financial Solutions Center at https://www.apta.org/your-career/financial-solutions-center.

Student Debt Summary

(Programs with less than 10 graduates from Jan. 1-Dec.31, 2026 are not required to complete this section.)
(Include subsidized and unsubsidized loans for total dept to reflect the NSLDS total debt.)

Average student debt from the PTA Program technical phase for students graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2026.
8,925.00_____
Average student debt after completing the PTA program for students who graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2026. Include all student loan debt. __6,298.00_____

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