

Middle Georgia State University
Physical Therapist Assistant Program
Financial Fact Sheet
2026

The data applies to students experiencing the program in academic year 2026-2027.

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: 74

Length of Program in Weeks including breaks: 82

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 **X** **Yes** **No**

Note: Students are responsible for costs associated with housing, travel and food during clinical education. Programs should add any additional comments about clinical education here.

Student Costs

Note: These are costs experienced by students enrolled in the program in the 2026-2027 academic year. **Annual costs are estimates and may be subject to increases. Students should contact the program for further information related to costs.**

	Year 1 23 credit hours	Year 2 18 credit hours	Total 41 credit hours
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-district or In-state Student:	\$4,002	\$3,132	\$7,134
Annual Tuition Public Institution, Out-of-district or Out-of-state student:	\$11,960	\$9,360	\$21,320
Annual Tuition Private Institution Student:			
Annual institutional fees for a full-time student in the technical phase of the program (Includes general institutional fees, i.e., health insurance, recreation, etc.)	\$1,038	\$692	\$1,730
Total expected cost of other program- related expenses; includes: required texts, lab fees, immunizations, liability insurance, background check, uniforms, health physical, drug screen, TB test, CPR certification, possible fieldtrip or clinical travel, professional memberships, and other fees such as graduation)	\$2,521	\$1,271	\$3,792
Total Cost of the Program ([Includes: tuition, fees, other program costs for the entire technical program.)	\$7,561 Total Estimated Year 1 In State Cost	\$5,095 Total Estimated Year 2 In State Cost	\$12,656 Total Estimated In State Cost

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? Yes **X** 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 SUPPORT. Please contact the program for further information.

We encourage APTA student members 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 in academic year 2024-2025 are not required by CAPTE to complete this section)

Average student debt from the PTA Program technical phase for students graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2025.

Average student debt after completing the PTA program for students graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2025. Include all student loan debt.