

BSc Sustainable Product Design Additional Course Costs

There are costs associated with all studies, additional to the tuition fee, which require consideration, when planning and budgeting for expenditure. Costs are indicative and for the total length of the course shown unless otherwise stated and will increase with inflation; depending on the programme they may include equipment, printing, project materials, study trips, placement activities, DBS and/or other security checks.

Additional course costs for BSc Sustainable Product Design are outlined below:

Books and other Texts

Students will be required to purchase texts and journals to support their study programme. The minimum, average cost of books for students studying on a degree course is estimated at £100 per year.

Printing

We recommend a minimum budget of £50 per year for basic printing/photocopying. Additionally, there may be additional costs associated with photographic or portfolio printing which can range from £50 -80 per year. Costs are estimated and are entirely dependent on individual choice of presentation, paper stock, size etc.

Equipment/Materials

BNU will provide the tools, materials, consumables for all demonstrations and students' orientation in relation to products. Any materials required beyond the demo stage (e.g. for coursework or projects) will need to be covered by the student; these costs can vary depending on what materials are required. Students will have the option to acquire tools recommended by the course, including hand tools, drawing equipment and modelling tools, prices vary between makes and models but an estimate for a good tool set is approximately £500 - these will last several years if not decades and be used in every practice within and outside the programme. Studio tools such cutting mat and stationery would be advantageous, costing no more than £50. BNU will also produce a price list for printing material and workshop materials among other small expenses which students can independently purchase for project work. To make use of the workshops PPE is provided but additional kit maybe be required such as safety boots and aprons.

Study Trips

Compulsory study tours and trips within the UK will cost between £100 and £200 per year with optional overseas trips estimated at between £200 and £1000.

In year or end of year exhibitions and projects

This course requires a degree exhibition and major projects so additional costs will be incurred. These costs can be discussed in detail with your course team. Materials costs for this will vary depending on scale and selection and could be between £200 - £800. There will be an optional contribution to exhibit at a London venue at Level 6.

Graduation

Graduation costs per student are estimated at £100 - £200 total. This is an optional cost for all students, as attending graduation is not a requirement in order to have a degree conferred.