Middle Tennessee State University  
Flight Training Cost Summary 2020-2021

Note: The required hours of flight and ground instruction for each flight course, along with the course cost based on those hours, is indicated below. Based on historical data, some students require more than the required hours of training to be proficient and able to pass their FAA check ride for a particular course. Students are required to deposit the minimum amount indicated on the last (italicized) line of each certificate cost summary into their flight account prior to beginning training for that course. These rates are effective 8/24/2020.

Students using VA benefits for flight training costs do not have to make this deposit, but are only eligible for reimbursement of the required hours indicated below flown towards a required syllabus lesson. Any hours incurred above these hours will be the financial responsibility of the student.

Theory of Flight (AERO 1020) Part 61
FLAT FEE
- Ground Instruction 1.5 hours x $50.00 = $75.00
- Flight Session (1.5 hours) = $360.00
Syllabus Total: = $435.00
*Amount required in flight account: $435.00

FITS Private Pilot (AERO 2201) Part 141
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 43.0 hours x $230.00 = $9,890.00
- Solo 7.5 hours x $180.00 = $1,350.00
- Ground Instruction 43.0 hours x $ 50.00 = $2,150.00
- Fuel Charge 50.5 hours x $10.00 = $505.00
Syllabus Total: = $13,895
*Amount required in flight account: $14,300.00

sUAS Remote Pilot (AERO 2710) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 6.5 hours x $230.00 = $1,495.00
- Dual Instruction (ATD) 0.5 hours x $130.00 = $65.00
- Ground Instruction 1.5 hours x $ 50.00 = $75.00
- Fuel Charge 6.5 hours x $10.00 = $65.00
Syllabus Total: = $1,700.00
*Amount required in flight account: $1,700.00

FITS Instrument Pilot (AERO 3203) Part 141
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 40.5 hours x $230.00 = $9,315.00
- Dual Instruction (ATD)** 13.5 hours x $130.00
- Ground Instruction 44.0 hours x $ 50.00 = $2,200.00
- Fuel Charge 40.5 hours x $10.00 = $405.00
Syllabus Total: = $11,920.00
*Amount required in flight account: $12,400.00
**Can be completed in the ATD instead of aircraft

FITS Commercial (AERO 3204) Part 141
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 49.0 hours x $230.00 = $11,270.00
- Solo (DA40) 15.0 hours x $180.00 = $2,700.00
- Ground Instruction 36.5 hours x $ 50.00 = $1,825.00
- Fuel Charge 64.0 hours x $10.00 = $640.00
Syllabus Total: = $16,435.00
*Amount required in flight account: $16,750.00

Multi-Engine (AERO 3261) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, PA44) 11.5 hours x $305.00 = $3,507.50
- Ground Instruction 13.5 hours x $60.00 = $810.00
- Fuel Charge 11.5 x $20.00 = 230.00
Syllabus Total: = $4,547.50
*Amount required in flight account: $5,000.00
Professional Pilot IV (AERO 3240) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (CRJ Simulator) 9.0 hours x $170.00 = $1,530.00 (2 students)
- Ground Instruction 3.0 hours x $60.00 = $180.00 (2 students)
Syllabus Total: = $855.00 per student
* Amount required in flight account: $855.00

Professional Pilot V (AERO 4250) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (CRJ Simulator) 33.0 hours x $170.00 = $5,610.00 (2 students)
- Ground Instruction 11.0 hours x $60.00 = $660.00 (2 students)
Syllabus Total: = $3,135.00 per student
* Amount required in flight account: $3,135.00

Certified Flight Instructor (AERO 4201) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA20) 1.5 hours x $185.00 = $277.50
- (Aircraft, DA40) 12.0 hours x $230.00 = $2,760.00
- Ground Instruction 12.0 hours x $ 50.00 = $600.00
- Fuel Charge 13.5 x $10 = $135.00
Syllabus Total: = $3,772.50
* Amount required in flight account: $4,100.00

Certified Flight Instructor Instrument (AERO 4202) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 6.0 hours x $230.00 = $1,380.00
- Ground Instruction 10.0 hours x $50.00 = $500.00
- Fuel Charge 6.0 hours x $10 = $60.00
Syllabus Total: = $1,940.00
* Amount required in flight account: $2,300.00

Certified Flight Instructor Multi Engine (AERO 4203) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, PA44) 5.0 hours x $305.00 = $1,525.00
- Ground Instruction 9.5 hours x $60.00 = $570.00
- PIC Build Time (Aircraft, PA44) 10.0 hours x $305.00 = $3,050.00
- Fuel Charge 15.0 hours x $20 = $300.00
Syllabus Total: = $5,445.00
* Amount required in flight account: $5,800.00

Cross Country (AERO 3202) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, DA40) 15.0 hours x $230.00 = $3,450.00
- Solo (DA40) 37.0 hours x $180.00 = $6,660.00
- Ground Instruction 18.5 hours x $50.00 = $925.00
- Fuel Charge 52.0 hours x $10 = $520.00
Syllabus Total: = $11,555.00
* Amount required in flight account: $11,900.00

Conventional Landing Gear Airplane Laboratory (AERO 3205) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, PA18) 8.5 hours x $160.00 = $1,360.00
- Ground Instruction 5.0 hours x $50.00 = $250.00
- Fuel Charge 8.5 hours x $10 = $85.00
Syllabus Total: = $1,695.00
* Amount required in flight account: $1,695.00

Advanced Conventional Landing Gear Flight Laboratory (AERO 3206) Part 61
- Dual Instruction (Aircraft, PA18) 10.0 hours x $160.00 = $1,600.00
- Ground Instruction 10.0 hours x $50.00 = $500.00
- Fuel Charge 10.0 hours x $10 = $100.00
Syllabus Total: = $2,200.00
* Amount required in flight account: $2,200.00