

Each student entering the Automotive Collision Technology program are required to have their own books, and tools.

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APPROXIMATE COSTS

- Program Books - \$170.00
- Total Tool Costs - \$2,850 - \$4,850
- Tuition – Go to [Student Finance](#)

VENDOR LIST

Vendor Name	Contact	Phone	Email	Address
ACME Tools \$	Josh Roehrich	(701) 202-7309	jroehrich@acmetools.com	3840 E Rosser Ave Bismarck, ND 58501
MAC Tools \$\$\$	Eric Colvin	(715) 703-8140	Eric.colvin@sbdinc.com	
MATCO Tools \$\$\$	Jeremy Owens	(701) 866-8910	Jeremy.owens@matcotools.com	
NAPA \$\$	Arnie Zahn	(701) 391-0903		1730 E Main Bismarck ND 58501
Snap On \$\$\$\$	Jim Fischer	(701) 340-2043 (877) 740-1900 Opt. 1 Ext 8565	James.n.fisher@snapon.com	

\$ = lowest price \$\$\$\$ = highest price

TOOL LIST

- All tools on the list (except Paint Gun) must be purchased and in the classroom by the third week of class.
- SATA Paint Gun will be purchased from a supplier with the lowest bid at a later date.

Item	Approximate Cost
Purchased later in the semester	
SATA Paint Gun	\$850.00
Tools listed below are purchased as a package; students must have these tools purchased and in the classroom by the third week of class.	\$2,000 - \$4,000
6" Slip Joint Pliers	
6" Side Cutters	
6" Needle Nose Pliers	
1/4" Drive Metric and Standard Socket Set (6pt deep and shallow)	
3/8" Drive Metric and Standard Socket Set (6pt deep and shallow)	
Size 10 to 60 Torx Bit Set 1/4"-3/8" Drive	
6mm to 19mm Metric Combination Wrench Set	
1/4" to 1" Standard Combination Wrench Set	

Item	Approximate Cost
7 Piece Screwdriver Set	
30 Piece Multi-Bit Screwdriver Kit	
Door Handle and Window Crank Removal Tool	
Utility Knife	
2 Locking Pliers	
10" Adjustable Wrench	
Scratch Awl	
1 ¼" Flexible Putty Knife	
6 Piece Punch and Chisel Set	
Light Body Spoon	
Standard Body Pick Hammer	
Cross Pein Body Hammer	
24 oz Ball Pein Hammer	
Toe Dolly	
Heel Dolly	
General Purpose Dolly	
Door Trim Removal Tool	
Planer File 21-296 (grater file)	
6-Piece Dura Block Sanding Kit	
Metal Drill Bit Set (up to ½")	
Blow Gun	
#3 Phillips Bit 3/8 Drive	
Safety Glasses	
Goggles or Full-Face Shield	
Welding Gloves	
Mechanics Gloves	
Tape Measure (fractional & metric)	
Tire Inflation Chuck	
Tire Pressure Gage	
Small Portable Work Light	
Rolling Toolbox	

TOOL ORDERING FAQ

When do I need my tools in the classroom?

All tools on the list must be purchased and in the classroom by the third week of class. The SATA Paint Gun will be purchased from a supplier with the lowest bid at a later date.

Where do I purchase my tools?

Students may use their own tools, source their tools from a vendor of their choice, or from a vendor listed above. BSC does not sell tools for Automotive Collision.

When do I purchase my Tools?

Tool vendors will be available at the college during registration day for students who wish to place orders. These tools are sold by the vendors at an educational discount. Tools may take several weeks to arrive. Students are encouraged to order early.

If I add classes late, when and where do I purchase my tools?

Students accepted into the Automotive Collision program following registration day should reach out to the vendors directly to purchase their tools.

Is there a down payment required up front to purchase tools?

A down payment will depend on the vendor, some vendor may require a down payment.

Who do I pay and when is my tool purchase payment due?

All payments are made to the vendor directly, payment due dates will vary depending on the vendor.

Can I use Financial Aid to pay for my tools?

All tuition and fees will be paid first, excess aid can be used for your tool purchase and is typically disbursed the third week of the semester.

TEXTBOOK FAQ

Where do I purchase my Books?

The Automotive Collision faculty choose the specific book and edition that will be used for your courses. Not all courses require books, those that do can be purchased with the BSC Bookstore in person or online.

Where do I get my book list?

Go to the BSC Bookstore website at Shopbookstore.bismarckstate.edu select textbooks, then order textbooks. For each course, select the appropriate section and instructor. The generated book list will show if a course does not require a book as well as purchase options for new or used books.

When do I purchase my Books?

Textbook sales begin in August for the Fall semester and December for the Spring semester. Purchase dates will vary depending on your choice of payment. Ex. paying with cash, check or credit card, charging against financial aid or third party. Review the [Academic Calendar](#) for specific dates.

Can I use Financial Aid to pay for my Books?

Yes. Students who are in good standing and have completed a financial aid file can charge books against their excess financial aid. Excess financial aid is your total accepted financial aid less your student account balance.