

Problem Statement:

College students often face high costs for textbooks. These expenses put a financial strain on students.

Details:

Courses require materials that cost hundreds of dollars per semester. If students are unable to afford these materials it hinders their ability to succeed academically. I first noticed this problem in my pre-calculus class. I wasn't going to get the textbook because I felt that I didn't need it, however, it was required to do the homework. All of a sudden, I had to spend one hundred dollars just so I could do my homework.