



2017-2018 FINANCIAL AID DISBURSEMENT CALENDAR

Pell Grant Payment Policy: Pell Grant awards are adjusted based on enrollment at time of disbursement. Pell Grant awards will be disbursed in two payments each semester. Applicants processed and awarded after the “2nd Pell Grant Only” payment will receive one disbursement for the entire amount for the term. Your enrollment status will be locked in on the following freeze dates: fall 2017, October 6, 2017; spring 2018, March 23, 2018. Should there be a decrease in your enrollment level on or before the established freeze dates, you may be subject to repayment of all or a portion of the Pell Grant funds you have already been disbursed.

Cal Grant Payment Policy: Cal Grant awards are calculated based on enrollment at the time of your scheduled disbursement for a given semester. Should there be an increase in your enrollment level on or before the institution’s established census date, you may be eligible for additional funds. If you would like to apply your Cal Grant funds to your outstanding college debt for the current semester, you must submit a request to the financial aid office prior to your scheduled Cal Grant disbursement.

A student’s enrollment level for disbursement for all other awards will be determined on the corresponding Award Calculation Date (see calendar below). Please ensure that all registration changes are made prior to the Award Calculation Date for those units to be included in your enrollment level for that disbursement. Students must be enrolled in at least six units to receive Direct Loan and Cal Grant disbursements.

Return of Financial Aid funds due to Withdrawal

You may be required to repay federal aid if you withdraw before completing 60% of the course length.

Fall 2017 full term course 60% date: October 25, 2017

Spring 2018 full term course 60% date: April 07, 2018

Please note: the 60% date will vary for classes that do not run a full term (i.e. short term classes, summer classes).

*Award Notification Date	**Award Calculation Date	***Funds Process Date	Awards
2017 Fall Semester			
08/09/2017	08/11/2017	08/17/2017	1 st Pell Grant & DVC Loans
08/23/2017	08/25/2017	08/31/2017	All Grants (excludes Cal Grants) & DVC/LMC Loans
09/06/2017	09/08/2017	09/14/2017	All Grants & Loans
09/19/2017	09/21/2017	09/28/2017	All Grants & Loans
10/04/2017	10/06/2017	10/12/2017****	2 nd Pell Grant Only
10/11/2017	10/13/2017	10/19/2017	All Grants & Loans
10/25/2017	10/27/2017	11/02/2017	All Grants & Loans
11/07/2017	11/09/2017	11/16/2017	All Grants & Loans
11/29/2017	12/01/2017	12/07/2017	All Grants & Loans
12/06/2017	12/08/2017	12/14/2017	All Grants & Loans
01/03/2018	01/05/2018	01/11/2018	All Grants & Loans
2018 Spring Semester			
01/17/2018	01/19/2018	01/25/2018	1 st Pell Grant & DVC Loans
01/31/2018	02/02/2018	02/08/2018	All Grants (excludes Cal Grants) & DVC/LMC Loans (includes retroactive payments)
02/21/2018	02/23/2018	03/01/2018	All Grants & Loans
03/07/2018	03/09/2018	03/15/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
03/21/2018	03/23/2018	03/29/2018****	2 nd Pell Grant Only
03/28/2018	03/29/2018	04/05/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
04/11/2018	04/13/2018	04/19/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
04/25/2018	04/27/2018	05/03/2018	All Grants & Loans
05/09/2018	05/11/2018	05/17/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
05/16/2018	05/18/2018	05/24/2018	All Grants & Loans

2018 Summer Semester			
05/23/2018	05/25/2018	05/31/2018	All Grants & DVC Loans
06/05/2018	06/07/2018	06/14/2018	All Grants & DVC/LMC Loans
06/12/2018	06/14/2018	06/21/2018	All Grants & DVC/LMC Loans
06/19/2018	06/21/2018	06/28/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
07/03/2018	07/09/2018	07/12/2018	All Grants & Loans
07/17/2018	07/19/2018	07/26/2018	All Grants & Loans
07/31/2018	08/03/2018	08/09/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)
08/15/2018	08/17/2018	08/23/2018	All Grants & Loans (includes retroactive payments)

***Award Notification Date:** students must receive an award notification email by this date in order to receive funds on the corresponding Funds Process Date.

****Award Calculation Date:** students' award amount will be calculated based on the enrollment level as of this date.

*****Funds Process Date:** This date reflects the day the funds will be transmitted to BlackboardPay. The following is the timeline a student should expect to receive their funds:

- CollegeCash Card – End of the day on the “Funds Processed Date”.
- ACH/Direct Deposit – 3 to 5 Business Days from the “Funds Process Date”.
- Check – 5 to 10 Days from the “Funds Process Date” (Note: Your financial aid check will be mailed to the current address on file with the Admissions and Records Office).

******Units added after this Award Calculation Date for fall and spring semesters, will not be considered in the enrollment level for determining financial aid disbursements for that semester. Summer semester disbursements will be based on enrollment on the applicable Award Calculation Date for the term.**

DEADLINES

To be eligible for financial aid, the college must receive a valid, processed FAFSA while the student is enrolled for the academic year. Students must also submit all required documents and resolve conflicting information before a determination of aid eligibility can be confirmed. Students are highly encouraged to provide the required documentation and/or copies of documentation requested as soon as possible to ensure aid is processed in a timely manner. All issues and/or missing documents must be resolved and/or submitted to the college financial aid offices by the following dates:

Semester(s) of Enrollment	Processed FAFSA with College School Code Must Be Received by:	Final Documentation Deadline
Fall 2017 Only	December 20, 2017	March 30, 2018
Fall 2017 and Spring 2018	May 25, 2018	September 7, 2018
Fall 2017, Spring 2018, and Summer 2018	July 31, 2018	September 7, 2018
Spring 2018 Only	May 25, 2018	September 7, 2018
Spring 2018 and Summer 2018	July 31, 2018	September 7, 2018
Summer 2018 Only	July 31, 2018	September 7, 2018

Failure to submit all required information and/or missing documents by the Final Documentation Deadline will result in a loss of eligibility for aid disbursements during that semester and/or academic year of enrollment.