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Section 121.47 - State Higher Education Grant Program Manual

As established in the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) Regulations

a. The Agency will publish annually a State Higher Education Grant Program Manual containing the following:
   1. Current financial need analysis procedures established by the Agency
   2. A list of approved colleges, universities, and hospital schools of nursing located in this Commonwealth
   3. A list of approved programs of study offered by approved trade, technical, and business schools located in this Commonwealth
   4. A list of approved institutions of higher learning located outside this Commonwealth
   5. Where applicable, a list of approved programs of study offered by institutions on higher learning located outside this Commonwealth
   6. A list of accrediting agencies (bodies) recognized by the Agency for the State Higher Education Grant Program

b. The State Higher Education Grant Program Manual will be available on the Agency's website.
2021-22 PA State Grant Need Analysis Computation Procedures

All applicants will be considered in accordance with the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) driven formula. The EFC used to determine the PA State Grant will be calculated in accordance with the federal Need Analysis Formula and PHEAA policies. It will not always match the EFC used by the U.S. Department of Education (ED) or by the school.

I. PA State Grant & Federal Pell Grant Programs

Federal Pell Grants are intended to be the “floor” of financial aid with all other forms of financial assistance, including PA State Grants. Accordingly, PA State Grant applicants must also apply for federal student aid and 100 percent of the calculated Pell Grant award will be considered with a few noted exceptions.

For 2021-22, the only PA State Grant applicants whose eligibility is determined without regard to Federal Pell Grant aid are those who:

- Have suffered the death or permanent and total disability of a parent or spouse on or since January 1, 2020 and are being considered under PHEAA’s “recent death or disability” policy, “A. Recent Death or Disability of a Parent or Spouse Policy” on Page 6. (To obtain the necessary form, visit PHEAA.org/forms.)
- Are veterans of the U.S. Armed Services

Effective for the 2021-22 Academic Year, the highest EFC for Pell Grant eligibility has been set at 5846.

II. Correcting the FAFSA® Data

If corrections or updates to the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) are needed after the applicant initially submits and if PHEAA has not directly requested clarification or data from the applicant, changes may be made through the FAFSA correction process at any time prior to August 1. After August 1, the applicant should make corrections or updates by copying PHEAA.org/corrections into the web browser and following the instructions. If PHEAA has requested clarification or data, the applicant needs to provide updates to PHEAA directly at PHEAA, PO Box 8157, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8157. PHEAA staff is available to answer questions at 800-692-7392 (TTY: Dial 711 for hearing impaired).

III. Determination of PA State Grant Eligibility

Although PA State Grant eligibility is based primarily on financial need, all applicants must continue to comply with certain basic requirements before a student is determined eligible.

An applicant must:

- Be enrolled on at least a half-time basis (defined as at least six semester credits or the equivalent)
- Be unconditionally admitted and enrolled in an approved program of study of at least 2 academic years in length
- Be enrolled in a school approved by PHEAA for PA State Grant purposes
- Not have received the maximum number of PA State Grant awards permitted
• Be of satisfactory character (not incarcerated)
• Be a domiciliary of Pennsylvania
• Be a high school graduate as stipulated in the PA State Grant law
• Maintain satisfactory academic progress as defined by PHEAA
• Not have earned a bachelor’s degree or the equivalent
• Not be in default or pending default on an educational loan, which also applies to any program where the award has been converted to a loan and the loan is in a default status
• If enrolled at an institution that is not headquartered and domiciled (Non-HQD) in Pennsylvania, be enrolled in a program of study where at least 50 percent of the total credit or clock hours needed for completion of the program are earned through classroom instruction:
  - The program itself must be structured to allow the student to complete at least 50 percent of credits or clock hours in the classroom
  - The student’s enrollment pattern by term must also consist of at least 50-percent classroom instruction

Students who are enrolled at Non-HQD schools and who have medical disabilities as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of July 1990 (P.L. 101-336) may request an accommodation to the 50-percent classroom instruction enrollment by term requirement of the PA State Grant Program. To access the ADA Accommodation Request Form, visit PHEAA.org/forms.

**Headquartered & Domiciled Comparison**

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<tr>
<th>Headquartered &amp; Domiciled in PA (HQD)</th>
<th>Non-Headquartered &amp; Domiciled in PA (Non-HQD)</th>
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<td>Pennsylvania Community Colleges</td>
<td>Schools that are not physically located in Pennsylvania are not domiciled in Pennsylvania and are “Non-HQD”</td>
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<td>Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE) Universities</td>
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<td>State-related institutions, including Lincoln University, Pennsylvania State University, Temple University, and the University of Pittsburgh</td>
<td>Institutions located in Pennsylvania, but owned by a parent company, where the parent company is not headquartered in Pennsylvania</td>
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<td>Most private 4-year institutions located in PA</td>
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**NOTE:** Students are encouraged to contact their school or PHEAA to verify if their school is considered HQD or Non-HQD.

• File and complete the application process by the appropriate deadlines:
  - All non-renewal applicants at a community college; a designated Pennsylvania Open Admission institution, a Business, Trade, or Technical (BTT) school; a Hospital School of Nursing; or enrolled in a non-transferable 2-year program – August 1, 2021; all other applicants – May 1, 2021

**NOTE:** Designated Pennsylvania Open Admission institutions are schools that meet the ED definition and were approved by the PHEAA Board of Directors for PA State Grant filing deadline purposes for the 2021-22 Academic Year.
Designated Pennsylvania Open Admission Institutions

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<td>Valley Forge Military College</td>
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A. Recent Death or Disability of a Parent or Spouse Policy

Where a parent or spouse has died or has been permanently and totally disabled on or since January 1, 2020, the PA State Grant (for the first year following the death or disability) will be calculated without regard to income data or Federal Pell Grant eligibility, not to exceed the maximum PA State Grant award established for the level of college costs to be incurred at the institution the student is attending.

NOTE: Assets may also be excluded if not required or if the requirements for the Simplified Needs test are met.

IV. 2021-22 Need Analysis Calculations

A. Calculation of PA State Grant College Costs

These apply to all student types:

- **Tuition and Fees** – Tuition and fees for the institution or program of study, as reported for the 2021-22 Award Year by the school and approved by PHEAA
- **Books and Supplies** – A $1,000 annual allowance for books and supplies is included
- **Educational Expense Allowance** – A $4,000 standard allowance for all students regardless of housing status

NOTE: All costs are subject to PHEAA-approved guidelines. Total college costs are subject to the 2021-22 college cost cap of $32,000.

B. Calculation of Need for the PA State Grant

A student’s need is calculated by subtracting the EFC and any calculated Federal Pell Grant from the total allowable educational costs (limited to $32,000). The result is the student’s need.

Exceptions include the following:

- Applicants who are veterans of the U.S. Armed Services are automatically assigned an EFC and Federal Pell Grant amount of zero.
- Those who qualify for special consideration due to recent death or recent disability are processed as indicated in “A. Recent Death or Disability of a Parent or Spouse Policy” on Page 6.
- For single, independent students with no dependents, PHEAA reduces the EFC by 25 percent, but continues to use 100 percent of the calculated Pell Grant.
• If a portion of the assets that were required to be reported on the FAFSA® included assets placed in a Pennsylvania Treasury 529 College Savings Account, those assets must be separately reported to PHEAA in order to be excluded in the determination of PA State Grant eligibility.

C. Calculation of a PA State Grant

i. The PA State Grant is initially calculated as a percentage of the student's need. The percentage is based on EFC, as defined in the following table:

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<th>EFC Range</th>
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<td>6001 – 8000</td>
<td>32%</td>
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<td>12001 and Above</td>
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ii. The award is then rounded down to the nearest $50 increment (for example, $526 would become $500).

iii. The In-State Maximum Award levels listed below were established and last fully funded in 2007-08. Conditional awards announced in May were reduced to keep awards within the projected available funding level, however the actual funding level established in July allowed awards in excess of the 2007-08 baseline. An award adjustment factor of 1.0638 has been applied.

NOTE: If the AAF calculation causes the award to fall below a minimum award, the student will receive the minimum award.

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<tr>
<th>2007-08 Maximum Awards</th>
<th>2021-22 Cost Tiers</th>
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NOTE: The AAF for enrollment of less than or equal to 50-percent distance education is 1.0638. The AAF for enrollment greater than 50-percent distance education is also 1.0638.

All awards will be equalized by term. The equalization process may result in students losing or gaining one or two dollars from their calculated award amount.

iv. For applicants attending approved Pennsylvania institutions, the award is subject to the minimums and maximums listed below:
### Approved Pennsylvania Institution Award Minimums & Maximums

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<th>Total Educational Costs</th>
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v. For applicants attending approved out-of-state institutions, the minimum award is $500. To qualify for the minimum award, the student must demonstrate sufficient need (e.g., full-time need of $1,000 is required to receive a half-time grant of $500). The maximum award is $600 for non-veterans or $800 if the student is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Services.

vi. **Approved States:** Only private non-profit and public schools located in reciprocal states are approved for participation in the PA State Grant Program.

vii. A reciprocal state is one that permits its own state grant funds to be used by students attending schools in Pennsylvania. States that continue to support students attending schools in Pennsylvania include Delaware, District of Columbia, Massachusetts, Ohio, Vermont, and West Virginia. Students attending institutions in all other states are ineligible. Two exceptions to this provision are Allegany Community College of Maryland and Jamestown Community College of New York.

### Out-of-State Maximum & Minimum Awards with the AAF Applied

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viii. **Half-Time Applicants** – Half-time enrollees are eligible for up to one-half of their full-time award. The minimum in-state award and the minimum out-of-state award are both $500. Therefore, a student enrolled on a half-time basis whose award as a full-time student is less than $1,000 (attending in-state or out-of-state) will not be eligible as a half-time student. Demonstrating sufficient need to receive a minimum half-time award applies to those students attending both Pennsylvania and out-of-state approved institutions.

ix. **Calculation of Conditional Awards** – Announcements of conditional PA State Grant eligibility are typically made to students in May or June in order to assist planning for college financing. Students were advised that these conditional awards were subject to change. Once the budget was passed and signed into law, the final award values were recalculated, and students were notified to recheck their award status on Account Access (the student portal).

### V. Major Accrediting Agencies

The list of accrediting agencies (bodies) recognized by PHEAA for the PA State Grant Program includes all accrediting bodies recognized by the United States Department of Education (ED) or the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). Current listings for ED and CHEA can be found via the following links:

- [ope.ed.gov/dapip/#/home](http://ope.ed.gov/dapip/#/home)
Appendix A

2021-22 Approved Business, Trade, & Technical (BTT) Schools & Approved Programs of Study
Approved Business, Trade, 
& Technical Schools

2021-22 Approved Programs of Study

All State Career School
7D - Dental Hygiene

Aspira City College - Philadelphia
64 - Computer Technology/Software Option
65 - Computer Technology Web Design/Programming
68 - Computer Technology/Computer Support Specialist

Automotive Training Center, Exton and Warminster Campuses
8A - Collision Reconditioning Technology
8B - Automotive Technology
8I - Automotive Technology - HP/Diesel

Aviation Institute of Maintenance, Philadelphia
64 - Computer Technology/Software Option
65 - Computer Technology Web Design/Programming
68 - Computer Technology/Computer Support Specialist

Berks Technical Institute, Wyomissing
7B - Early Childhood Education
7D - Dental Assistant
7X - Criminal Justice
8M - IT Support Specialist
63 - Business Administration
76 - Drafting Technology
89 - Medical Assisting
90 - Paralegal

Central Pennsylvania Instution of Science and Technology, Pleasant Gap
7G - Heavy Diesel Construction
7K - Advanced Manufacturing Technology
83 - Natural Gas Compression - CAT/Ariel Emphasis
92 - Healthcare Management

Commonwealth Technical Institute, Johnstown
7D - Dental Lab Technology AST
7F - Mechanical Drafting AST
7J - Architectural Drafting AST
9G - Culinary Arts AST
64 - Networking & Telecommunications Technician AST
89 - Medical Office Assistant ASB

Douglas School of Business, Monessen
7D - Medical Assistant
61 - Tom Savini's Special Make-Up Effects
68 - George A. Romero's Filmmaking Program
92 - Medical Billing and Coding

Erie Institute of Technology
7J - Web Design & Social Media Marketing
8M - Network & Database Professional
75 - Electronic Engineering Technology
89 - Biomedical Equipment Technology

Fortis Institute, Forty Fort
92 - Medical Assisting Technology

Fortis Institute, Scranton
7D - Expanded Function Dental Assistant
7E - Dental Hygiene
7T - Practical Nursing

Great Lakes Institute of Technology, Erie
7M - Diagnostic Medical Sonographer
9H - Surgical Technologist
91 - Health Information Technology

Institute of Medical Careers, Erie
7M - Medical Assisting Technician
9J - Veterinary Technician
72 - Business Admin/Marketing/Mgmt
92 - Medical Records Technician

Institute of Medical Careers Main, Pittsburgh
7M - Medical Assisting Technician
92 - Medical Records Technician

JNA Inslitution of Culinary Arts, Philadelphia
9E - Culinary Arts/Restaurant Management

Lancaster County Career and Technology Center, Willow Street
7E - Dental Hygiene
88 - Automotive Technology
9J - Veterinary Technology

Lansdale School of Business, North Wales
63 - Business Administration/Office Operations Management
64 - Computer Technologies Web Security and Administration
65 - Computer Technologies/Network Administration
68 - Computer Technologies/Web Design
76 - Computer Technologies/Computer Graphics & Design
85 - Business Administration/Marketing/Management
87 - Business Administration/Accounting/Management
89 - Allied Health/Medical Assistant
90 - Business Administration/Paralegal

Laurel Business Institute, Inc., Uniontown
75 - Electrical Technician
8U - Respiratory Therapy
72 - Accounting & Business Administration
75 - Network Administration & Security
88 - Administrative Office Technology
89 - Medical Billing & Coding
92 - Medical Office Administration

Laurel Technical Institute, Inc., Meadville
7B - Early Childhood Education
76 - Computer Software
77 - Network Administration & Security
84 - Administrative Office Technology
85 - Accounting & Business Administration
91 - Health Information Technology

Laurel Technical Institute, Inc., Sharon
75 - Medical Laboratory Technician
7S - Electrical Technician
8U - Respiratory Therapy
77 - Network Administration & Security
85 - Accounting & Business Administration
91 - Health Information Technology

Lincoln Technical Institute, Allentown
65 - Computer and Network Support Technician
75 - Electronic Engineering Technology
89 - Medical Assisting & Administration Technology

Lincoln Technical Institute, Torresdale
7A - Automotive Service Management

McCann School of Business, Allentown
7D - Medical Laboratory Technician
7M - Medical Assisting
7N - Electronic Health Records
7X - Criminal Justice
8F - Commercial and Industrial Maintenance Technician
64 - IT Support Specialist
85 - Business Administration

McCann School of Business, Lewisburg
7N - Electronic Health Records
7X - Criminal Justice
9H - Surgical Technology
64 - IT Support Specialist
85 - Business Administration
New Castle School of Trades, New Castle
7G - Construction Trades
7K - Building Technology
8C - Automotive Technology
8F - Machinist Technology
8T - Refrigeration and A/C Technology
9T - Industrial Maintenance with Wind and Solar
77 - Electrical Technology

New Castle School of Trades, Pulaski
8I - Diesel & Heavy Equipment Repair
9L - Motorcycle and Power Equipment

Penn Commercial Business/Technical School, Washington
8T - Air Conditioning/Heating & Ventilation
65 - Information Technology and Security
76 - Computer Aided Drafting and Design
92 - Medical Assistant

Pennco Tech, Bristol
8A - Auto Body, Paint & Mechanical Technology
8C - Automotive Technology

Pennsylvania Gunsmith School, Pittsburgh
83 - Master Gunsmithing

Pittsburgh Career Institute, Pittsburgh
8G - Diagnostic Sonographer
8U - Respiratory Therapy
9H - Surgical Technology
9J - Veterinary Technology

Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics, Pittsburgh
8D - Aviation Electronics Technician
84 - Aeronautics Maintenance Technician

Pittsburgh Institute of Mortuary Science
8E - Online Funeral Services Arts & Sciences
8K - Funeral Services Arts & Sciences
9F - Funeral Services Management

PITC Institute, Wyncote, PA
7T - Practical Nursing

Rosedale Technical College, Pittsburgh
8B - Automotive Technology
8I - Diesel Technology
8T - HVAC Technology
9T - Industrial Technician
9U - Collision Repair Technology
77 - Electrical Technology

South Hills School of Business and Technology, Altoona
7T - Medical Assistant
7X - Criminal Justice
64 - Administrative Professional
85 - Business Administration/Accounting
87 - Business Administration/Management & Marketing
89 - Admin Medical Assistant
92 - Health Information Technology

South Hills School of Business and Technology, State College
7J - Graphic Arts
7M - Diagnostic Medical Sonography
7T - Medical Assistant
7X - Criminal Justice
64 - Administrative Professional
65 - Information Technology
73 - Business Administration/Management & Marketing
76 - Software Development & Programming
83 - Engineering Technology
85 - Business Administration/Accounting
89 - Admin Medical Assistant
92 - Health Information Technology

Studio Incamminati, Philadelphia, PA
60 - Advanced Fine Art

Triangle Tech, Inc., Bethlehem
7H - Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
7K - Carpentry & Construction Technology
7W - Welding & Fabrication Technology
68 - CADD with Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing Technology

Triangle Tech, Inc., Dubois
7H - Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
7W - Welding & Fabrication Technology
68 - CADD with Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing Technology

Triangle Tech, Inc., Greensburg
7H - Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
7W - Welding and Fabrication Tech
8T - Refrigeration-Heating-Vent-Air Conditioning w/Solar
68 - CADD with Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing Technology

Triangle Tech, Inc., Pittsburgh
7H - Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
7K - Carpentry & Construction Technology
7W - Welding Fabrication Technology
8T - Refrigeration-Heating-Vent-Air Conditioning w/Solar
68 - CADD with Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing Technology

Triangle Tech, Inc., Sunbury
7H - Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
7K - Carpentry & Construction Technology
7W - Welding & Fabrication Technology

Universal Technical Institute, Exton
8A - Automotive Technology w/FACT
8B - Automotive/Diesel & Industrial Technology
8C - Automotive/Diesel & Industrial Technology w/FACT

Vet Tech Institute, Pittsburgh
9J - Veterinary Technician

Williamson College of the Trades, Media
7G - Construction Technology, Masonry Emphasis
7H - Power Plant Technology
7K - Construction Technology, Carpentry Emphasis
8A - Paint and Coating Technology
8F - Machine Tool Technology
9V - Horticulture, Landscaping, and Turf Management

WVJC - United Career Institute, Mount Braddock and Irwin Campuses
89 - Medical Assisting
92 - Medical Office Administration

YTI Career Institute, Altoona
8U - Respiratory Therapy

YTI Career Institute, Lancaster
7X - Criminal Justice & First Response
9G - Culinary Arts/Restaurant Management
91 - Health Information Technology
92 - Medical Assistant

YTI Career Institute, York
9J - Veterinary Technician
64 - Computer Systems Specialist
68 - Computer Aided Drafting & Design/Architectural/Civil
78 - Electronics Engineering Technology/Electronic Systems
90 - Business Administration - Business Operations Management
92 - Medical Assistant

NOTE: List accurate as of July 2021.
Appendix B

Approved Pennsylvania Institutions List
2021-22 Approved Pennsylvania Institutions List

PA 4-Year Public & Private Colleges

Albright College
Allegheny College
Alvernia University
Arcadia University
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania
Bryn Athyn College
Bryn Mawr College
Bucknell University
Cabrini College
Cairn University
California University of Pennsylvania
Carlow University
Carnegie Mellon University
Cedar Crest College
Central Pennsylvania College
Chatham University
Chestnut Hill College
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania
Clarion University of Pennsylvania
Clarks Summit University
Delaware Valley University
DeSales University
DeVry University
  • Center City Campus
  • Fort Washington Campus
Dickinson College
Drexel University
Duquesne University
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania
Eastern University
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania
Elizabethtown College
Franklin & Marshall College
Gannon University
Geneva College
Gettysburg College
Gratz College
Grove City College
Gwynedd Mercy College
Harrisburg University of Science & Technology
Haverford College
Holy Family University
Hussian College – School of Art
Immaculata University
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Juniata College
Keystone College
King's College
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania
Lackawanna College
Lafayette College
Lancaster Bible College
La Roche University
La Salle University
Lebanon Valley College
Lehigh University
Lincoln University
Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania
Lycoming College
Manor College
Mansfield University of Pennsylvania
Marywood University
Mercyhurst University
Messiah University
Millersville University of Pennsylvania
Misericordia University
Moore College of Art
Moravian University
Mount Aloysius College
Muhlenberg College
Neumann University
Peirce College
Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts
Pennsylvania College of Art & Design
Pennsylvania College of Health Sciences
Pennsylvania College of Technology
Pennsylvania State University
  • Abington Campus
  • Altoona Campus
  • Beaver Campus
  • Berks Campus
  • Brandywine Campus
  • DuBois Campus
  • Erie, The Behrend College
  • Fayette, The Eberly Campus
  • Greater Allegheny Campus
  • Harrisburg Campus
  • Hazleton Campus
  • Lehigh Valley Campus
  • Mont Alto Campus
  • New Kensington Campus
  • Schuylkill Campus
  • Shenango Campus
  • University Park (Main)
  • Wilkes-Barre Campus
  • Worthington Scranton Campus
  • World Campus
  • York Campus
Pittsburgh Technical College
Point Park University
Restaurant School at Walnut Hill College
Robert Morris University Rosemont College
St. Charles Borromeo Seminary
St. Francis University
St. Joseph's University
St. Vincent College
Salus University
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