

## Award Descriptions and Requirements

**Board of Governor's Fee Waiver (BOG)** - The Board of Governor's Fee Waiver (BOG Fee Waiver) waives enrollment fees for California residents who meet the eligibility requirements.

**Cal Grant** - The California Student Aid Commission administers the CalGrant program. These funds are awarded to California residents who filed a FAFSA and CalGrant GPA Verification form by the March 2nd or September 2nd deadline and demonstrate financial need. You must be enrolled in an approved degree program and be enrolled at least half-time (6 units).

### **Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education -**

CARE provides counseling, bus passes, transportation, textbooks and school supplies, as well as grants for students who are single parents with at least one child under the age of 14, who are receiving TANF, and who are also eligible for EOP&S.

### **Extended Opportunity Program and Services -**

EOP&S provides book grants, bus passes, incentive grants based on budget availability, counseling and tutorial services to low-income, educationally disadvantaged students.

**Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG)** - This grant will be awarded to first and second year students who have successfully completed a rigorous secondary school program and meet all the eligibility criteria. First year students must have graduated after January 1, 2006. Second year students must have graduated after January 1, 2005.

**Federal Pell Grant** - This federal grant is awarded to full and part-time students with financial need based on the student's EFC. The award varies based on the number of units a student is enrolled in each semester. You cannot receive Pell funds at more than one school at a time.

**Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)** - These funds are limited and are awarded to full and part-time students with exceptional financial need. Priority is given to students who filed their FAFSA by the March 2<sup>nd</sup> Yuba College priority-filing deadline.

**Federal Work-Study (FWS)** - These funds are awarded to full and part-time students who demonstrate financial need. FWS provides part-time employment on

campus. Funds are limited and are awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis.

### **Stafford Student Loans -**

*Subsidized Federal Stafford Loans* are available to students who demonstrate financial need provided the student is making Satisfactory Academic Progress. The Federal government pays the interest on these loans while you are in college and during the six-month grace period after you graduate, leave school or enroll less than half-time.

*Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loans* are for all eligible students. Students must meet the same requirements as the Subsidized Stafford Loan, except it is not based on need. You are responsible for paying all the interest on the loan from the time the loan is issued.

The amount you can borrow depends on your dependency status, financial need, enrollment status, and academic progress. To apply for a Stafford Student Loan you must contact the Financial Aid Office. Student loans require a separate application and you are required to attend an Entrance Interview.

**Student Support Services -** SSS is part of TRIO, a federally funded group of programs developed to enhance higher education access and completion for low-income, first generation college students. SSS may provide assistance to current SSS participants who are also receiving a Pell grant.

**Foundation Scholarships (FSCHL)** - These scholarships become available through private support and people who have contributed to the Yuba College Foundation. (I.e., the Town and Country Scholarship and A.J. General Scholarship).

**Hayter Scholarship (HAYTR)** - This foundation scholarship is awarded through the Yuba College Foundation.

**Sawtell Scholarship (SAWTS)** - This foundation scholarship is awarded through the Yuba College Foundation.

**Pass Through Scholarships (PSCHL)** - Independent donors select the scholarship recipients. The scholarship check is mailed to the Financial Aid Office and payable to the institution or to the institution and the student. These checks are processed through the Business Office. (I.e., AmeriCorps, Governor's Scholarshare, and Kamehameha Schools).

**Transfer Scholarships (TSCHL)** - These scholarships are awarded to students transferring to a 4 - year college or university. These scholarships are awarded through the Yuba College Foundation.

**Other Scholarships (SCHLR)** - Independent donors select the scholarship recipients. The scholarship check is mailed to the Financial Aid Office and payable directly to the student or to the institution and the student. (i.e., Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship and Yuba-Sutter Chambers of Commerce)

Recipients of these awards should have received written notification of the scholarship and the criteria they must meet to receive the scholarship. Awards are contingent upon availability of funds. No awards will be processed until the recipient meets the donor's eligibility requirements. Please contact the Financial Aid Office if you have any questions regarding your scholarship awards.

**Students interested in applying for scholarships may view the Yuba College Scholarship Handbook for details and scholarship deadlines at [www.yccd.edu](http://www.yccd.edu)**

### **Web sites that provide financial aid information:**

American Indian Education Programs

[www.oiep.bia.edu](http://www.oiep.bia.edu)

Scholarship information for Native Americans

California Student Aid Commission

[www.csac.ca.gov](http://www.csac.ca.gov)

Learn about CalGrants and other state aid.

California Chafee Grants

[www.chafee.csac.ca.gov](http://www.chafee.csac.ca.gov)

Learn about this new opportunity for foster youth.

EdFund

[www.edfund.org](http://www.edfund.org)

Financial aid information and college planning.

Governor's Scholarship

[www.scholarshare.com](http://www.scholarshare.com)

Scholarship information.

Hispanic Scholarship Fund

[www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net)

Veteran Education Benefits

[www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov)

FAFSA on the Web

[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

File your financial aid application on the Web.



**Welcome to Yuba Community College District!**

**Financial Aid Offices**

Yuba College - 530-741-6781  
 Woodland Community College - 530-661-5725  
 Clear Lake Campus - 707-995-7923

**FINANCIAL AID PAYMENT INFORMATION**

- **Pell Grant** is disbursed in two payments per semester. 50% of your semester eligibility (based on your unit enrollment) will be issued during the 1<sup>st</sup> payment. The remaining balance will be issued during the 2<sup>nd</sup> payment. If you drop/add classes the 2<sup>nd</sup> payment will be adjusted.
- **ACG** is disbursed in one payment per semester.
- **CalGrant** is disbursed in one payment per semester. You will receive 100% of your semester eligibility (based on your unit enrollment).
- **EOP&S and CARE:** Contact the EOP&S Office.
- **FSEOG** is disbursed in one payment per semester.
- **Scholarships** are processed and paid to the student as they are received in the Financial Aid Office.
- **SSS:** Contact the SSS Office for payment dates.
- **Stafford Student Loans:** Contact the Financial Aid Office for disbursement information.

Note: If you are scheduled to receive your first disbursement on the same date as the second disbursement, you will receive 100% of your semester eligibility (based on your unit enrollment).

**Important Reminders:**

→ A check will not be processed unless you are registered in classes at least 15 days prior to the next scheduled payment date.

→ Students will not be paid for late starting classes until those classes actually begin, even if you are enrolled in them before they begin. Late starting classes will be paid with the second disbursement. Refer to deadline dates listed on the Financial Aid Payment Chart.

→ Financial Aid checks are mailed directly to the student from Marysville. Please allow sufficient time for the U.S. Postal Service to deliver. If after ten working days you have not received your financial aid check, contact the Financial Aid Office.

→ It is your responsibility to keep your mailing address current with the Admissions and Records Office. Notify them immediately if you change your mailing address or telephone number.

Semester	Grant	Files Awarded By	Financial Aid Payment Dates	
			1 <sup>st</sup> Payment	2 <sup>nd</sup> Payment (final)
Fall 2007	Pell	August 3, 2007	August 21, 2007	November 16, 2007
		August 17, 2007	August 24, 2007	
		September 7, 2007	September 14, 2007 (makeup)	
		October 12, 2007	October 19, 2007 (makeup)	
		November 2, 2007 *	November 16, 2007 (makeup)	
	ACG	November 2, 2007	November 16, 2007	N/A
CalGrant	October 12, 2007	October 19, 2007	N/A	

**\* The last day the Financial Aid Office will process adjustments is November 2, 2007.**  
**Students who drop classes before November 5, 2007 may owe money back to the Federal Government.**  
**Classes that begin after November 12, 2007 are not accepted for financial aid. Students will not get paid for these classes.**

Spring 2008	Pell	January 8, 2008	January 23, 2008	April 25, 2008
		January 18, 2008	January 25, 2008 (makeup)	
		February 7, 2008	February 15, 2008 (makeup)	
		March 7, 2008	March 14, 2008 (makeup)	
		April 11, 2008 *	April 25, 2008 (makeup)	
	ACG	April 4, 2008	April 18, 2008	N/A
CalGrant	February 15, 2008	February 22, 2008	N/A	

**\* The last day the Financial Aid Office will process adjustments is April 11, 2008.**  
**Students who drop classes before April 14, 2008 may owe money back to the Federal Government.**  
**Classes that begin after April 21, 2008 are not accepted for financial aid. Students will not get paid for these classes.**

**Fall 2007 - 1<sup>st</sup> Pell Grant Payment:**

Pell checks will be mailed to those students who maintained Satisfactory Academic Progress during the Spring 2007 semester and/or Summer 2007 session on August 21, 2007.

If you were on Warning or Terminated status and you made Satisfactory Academic Progress during the Spring 2007 semester and/or Summer 2007 session your check will be mailed on August 24, 2007.

A check will not be processed for those students who are in Terminated status at the beginning of the Fall 2007 semester. Students in Terminated status may appeal the decision by submitting a financial aid appeal. If your appeal is approved your check will be mailed on the next scheduled payment date.

**Spring 2008 - 1<sup>st</sup> Pell Grant Payment:**

Pell checks will be mailed to those students who maintained Satisfactory Academic Progress during the Fall 2007 semester on January 23, 2008.

If you were on Warning or Terminated status during the Fall 2007 semester and you made Satisfactory Academic Progress during the Fall 2007 semester, your check will be mailed on January 25, 2008.

A check will not be processed for those students who are in Terminated status at the beginning of the Spring 2008 semester. Students in Terminated status may appeal the decision by submitting a financial aid appeal. If your Appeal is approved your check will be mailed on the next scheduled payment date.