



Financial Aid - Summer Session

Available only for eligible continuing Sacramento State students. *New students starting in Fall 2026 are not eligible.* Financial aid for Summer is based on any individual eligibility. Types of aid available for Summer: Pell Grant and/or Federal Loans. Processing for Summer aid will begin in April.

Eligible students must meet the all the standard criteria below to qualify:

- ✓ Be a current student (new students starting Fall 2026 are not eligible)
- ✓ Must have a 2025/26 FAFSA
- ✓ Must meet [Satisfactory Academic Progress \(SAP\)](#)
- ✓ Have remaining Pell Grant eligibility remaining
- ✓ Have remaining Direct Loan eligibility from the 2025/26 aid year
 - Annual Direct Loan limit set by [Federal Student Aid](#)
 - Lifetime aggregate loan limits as outlined on the [Federal Student Aid](#) website
 - Enroll at least half-time (6 undergraduate, 4 graduate) for the semester
- ✓ Must be enrolled at least half-time for most financial aid programs

Types of Aid

Summer Pell Grant is offered to undergraduates only and eligibility is based on remaining [lifetime limits](#). Aid consideration begins upon enrollment into **one class** and should reflect on your *Student Center > View Financial Aid > 2025 award link if awarded*. Amounts will vary based on your own individual file and eligibility. **Use the Summer Pell Grant Eligibility form (Page 2) to help estimated your award amount.**

Summer Loan is offered to undergraduates **and** post-baccalaureates based on Federal Subsidized/Unsubsidized loan eligibility. Students who are interested must submit the **Summer Loan Request e-form** located on their *Student Center > Financial Aid Links section*.

To submit the Summer Loan Request form:

- ✓ Admitted to a degree program that includes Summer 2026
- ✓ Enroll in at least one Summer 2026 course
- ✓ Have a 2025/26 FAFSA on file
- ✓ Meet Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) standards
 - The Summer Loan Request Form opens April 1, 2026
 - Initial Summer Loan Requests must be submitted by July 24, 2026
 - Revised Summer Loan Requests must be submitted by August 9, 2026
 - **Note:** A revised Summer Loan Request Form must be submitted ANYTIME there are changes to your class schedule

If you were enrolled in Fall 2025/Spring 2026: Students are encouraged to request for any unused Subsidized or Unsubsidized loans by April 25 using the [Change in Aid eform](#). This helps the student have access to funds before the summer session begins.

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SUMMER PELL GRANT ELIGIBILITY

For Undergraduate Students Only

This form is intended to help students **ESTIMATE** their Pell Grant for the summer session based on enrolled units. Students must be currently receiving Pell Grant and have not exhausted their life-time limits.

A. CONFIRM YOUR PELL GRANT AWARD

This calculation applies only to FULL-TIME award amounts, **and** you must have a minimum of \$370 in Pell Grant from the current fall/spring semester to complete this form. Refer to your current fall/spring award amounts on your financial aid award letter on your My Sac State to view your semester award amount.

Please change the default value (\$3,698) listed in the "Semester Amount" field as applicable.

➤ **Input Your Pell Grant, Semester Amount:**

B. CALCULATE YOUR PELL GRANT & REGISTRATION FEES

The values in the table will **auto-populate** based on the "Pell Grant Semester Amount" listed in Section A. Pell Grant awarding starts at 1 unit and the maximum amount is at 12 units (full-time).

Units	Pell Grant (Estimated)
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	
11	
12	

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

For payment options for your Remaining Fees, contact the College of Continuing Education at www.cce.csus.edu/summer.

DISBURSEMENTS & REFUNDS

DISBURSEMENTS: Payment of aid is based on accepted awards **and** enrolled units. Students enrolled in programs through CCE have financial aid disbursed based on when they begin attending certain enrollment for each type of financial aid (grants vs loans). Since classes begin at different times throughout the semester rather than all at the beginning of the semester, each student's disbursement is dependent on when they reach the required minimum units. **Aid will always be applied towards outstanding charges FIRST.** If there are remainder funds after the balance is paid, a refund will be issued to the student. **REFUNDS:** Financial aid refunds are issued as a paper-check to the address on file. The student has the option to sign up for direct deposit (eRefund) to have funds transferred to their bank account instead. Students can sign-up on their account.

- **Parent PLUS Loan refunds** are issued as a paper-check, direct deposit is not offered.
- **Paper-check refunds:** receive within 5-7 business days from the disbursement date.
- **ERefund (direct deposit):** receive within 2-3 business days from the disbursement date to the bank account on file.

Disbursement Policy found online at <https://cce.csus.edu/post/apply-financial-aid>

Refund Policy found online at www.csus.edu/apply/enrollment-costs-fees/refunds/



BUDGET FOR COLLEGE (PER SEMESTER)

This form is intended to help students financially plan and estimate costs based on their financial aid. *For the best results, we recommend using Adobe Acrobat Reader when completing the form.*

ESTIMATED FINANCIAL AID

Found on the **Student Center > View Financial Aid link**. Awards are based on enrollment listed on CCE information request form.

GRANTS &
SCHOLARSHIPS

Grants/Scholarship are funds the student does not have to pay back which include, but not limited to: Pell Grant, Cal Grant, etc.

STUDENT
LOANS

Student Loans are borrowed funds that require repayment: Subsidized, Unsubsidized, Parent Plus Loan, or Private Student loans.

TOTAL
ESTIMATED AID

ESTIMATED DIRECT COSTS

Direct Costs are set costs by the school and will vary based on the student options.

CCE COURSE
FEES

OTHER
EXPENSES

Other Expenses are indirect costs that are *not included* in the tuition/housing fees such as: books, supplies, parking permit or other school expenses.

COST PER UNIT

UNITS

Programs through the College of Continuing Education (CCE) are charged course fees per unit. View the most current prices online: www.cce.csus.edu/pod/academic-programs-estimated-costs

TOTAL
ESTIMATED COSTS

CALCULATION

TOTAL
ESTIMATED AID

TOTAL
ESTIMATED COSTS

OVERALL
ESTIMATED TOTAL

(subtract)

(TOTAL ESTIMATED AID) MINUS (TOTAL ESTIMATED COSTS)

(If your Overall Estimated Total is a **Positive** Number, = estimated **refund amount**)

(If your Overall Estimated Total is a **Negative** Number, = estimated **amount owed**).