



Community College
Opportunity Grant

TUITION-FREE COMMUNITY COLLEGE IS AVAILABLE IN NEW JERSEY

How Community College Opportunity Grants make community college affordable:

Community College Opportunity Grants are awards that will pay the costs of tuition and approved educational fees not already covered by other available grants applied to the student's account for New Jersey residents with eligible adjusted gross incomes (AGI).



Who is eligible for tuition-free Community College?

Community College Opportunity Grants are available to students who meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Be a New Jersey resident with a total household adjusted gross income between \$0 and \$65,000;
- Complete the FAFSA or NJ Alternative Financial Aid Application by applicable state deadlines;
- Enroll in at least six (6) credits per semester at a community college in New Jersey during the Spring and/or Fall semesters;
 - Please note: For eligible students who attend a community college outside their home county, any additional tuition and fees charged to out-of-county students will not be covered. Only in-county rates for tuition and fees at the community college they are attending will be covered by the award.
- Have no prior college degree; and
- Make satisfactory academic progress throughout participation in the program.

Students enrolled in one of New Jersey's 18 county colleges are advised to visit <https://njfams.hesaa.org> to access their student account and review their To Do List



For more details on student eligibility and program rules visit your county college's Financial Aid Office or visit www.hesaa.org/pages/CCOG.aspx or scan the QR Code.

