

H. FINANCIAL AID

Please refer to the following financial aid definitions when completing Section H.

Awarded aid: The dollar amounts offered to financial aid applicants.

Financial aid applicant: Any applicant who submits **any one of** the institutionally required financial aid applications/forms, such as the FAFSA.

Indebtedness: Aggregate dollar amount borrowed through any loan program (federal, state, subsidized, unsubsidized, private, etc.; excluding parent loans) while the student was enrolled at an institution. Student loans co-signed by a parent are assumed to be the responsibility of the student and **should** be included.

Institutional scholarships and grants: Endowed scholarships, annual gifts and tuition funded grants for which the institution determines the recipient.

Financial need: As determined by your institution using the federal methodology and/or your institution's own standards.

Need-based aid: College-funded or college-administered award from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must have financial need to qualify. This includes both institutional and non-institutional student aid (grants, jobs, and loans).

Need-based scholarship or grant aid: Scholarships and grants from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must have financial need to qualify.

Need-based self-help aid: Loans and jobs from institutional, state, federal, or other sources for which a student must demonstrate financial need to qualify.

Non-need-based scholarship or grant aid: Scholarships and grants, gifts, or merit-based aid from institutional, state, federal, or other sources (including unrestricted funds or gifts and endowment income) awarded solely on the basis of academic achievement, merit, or any other non-need-based reason. When reporting questions H1 and H2, non-need-based aid that is used to meet need should be counted as need-based aid.

Note: Suggested order of precedence for counting non-need money as need-based:

1. Non-need institutional grants
2. Non-need tuition waivers
3. Non-need athletic awards
4. Non-need federal grants
5. Non-need state grants
6. Non-need outside grants
7. Non-need student loans
8. Non-need parent loans
9. Non-need work

Non-need-based self-help aid: Loans and jobs from institutional, state, or other sources for which a student need not demonstrate financial need to qualify.

Private student loans: A nonfederal loan made by a lender such as a bank, credit union or private lender used to pay for up to the annual cost of education, less any financial aid received.

External scholarships and grants: Scholarships and grants received from outside (private) sources that students bring with them (e.g., Kiwanis, National Merit scholarships). The institution may process paperwork to receive the dollars, but it has no role in determining the recipient or the dollar amount awarded.

Work study and employment: Federal and state work study aid, and any employment packaged by your institution in financial aid awards.

DO NOT INCLUDE ANY AID RELATED TO THE CARES ACT OR UNIQUE THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

H1-H5: Aid Awarded to Enrolled Undergraduates

H1. Enter total dollar amounts **awarded** to enrolled full-time and less than full-time degree-seeking undergraduates (**using the same cohort reported in CDS Question B1, “total degree-seeking” undergraduates**) in the following categories.

- ✓ If the data being reported are final figures for the **2022-2023** academic year (see the next item below), use the **2022-2023** academic year's CDS Question B1 cohort.
- ✓ Include aid awarded to international students (i.e., those not qualifying for federal aid).
- ✓ Aid that is non-need-based but that was used to meet need should be reported in the need-based aid column.
- ✓ For a suggested order of precedence in assigning categories of aid to cover need, see the entry for “non-need-based scholarship or grant aid” on the last page of the definitions section.
- ✓ **Do NOT include any aid related to the CARES Act or unique to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

Indicate the academic year for which data are reported for **items H1, H2, H2A, and H6** below:

- 2023-2024 estimated or 2022-2023 Final

Which needs-analysis methodology does your institution use in awarding institutional aid? (**Formerly H3**)

- Federal methodology (FM)
 Institutional methodology (IM)
 Both FM and IM

Scholarships/Grants	Need-based (Include non-need-based aid use to meet need.)	Non-need-based (Exclude non-need-based aid use to meet need.)
Federal	\$16,984,814	\$0
State all states, not only the state in which your institution is located	\$17,782,054	\$140,000
Institutional: Endowed scholarships, annual gifts and tuition funded grants, awarded by the college, excluding athletic aid and tuition waivers (which are reported below).	\$15,873,995	\$11,038,961
Scholarships/grants from external sources (e.g. Kiwanis, National Merit) not awarded by the college	\$4,740,687	\$309,532
Total Scholarships/Grants	\$55,381,550	\$11,348,363

Self-Help	Need-based (Include non-need-based aid use to meet need.)	Non-need-based (Exclude non-need-based aid use to meet need.)
Student loans from all sources (excluding parent loans)	\$16,466,509	\$48,165,105
Federal Work-Study	\$404,308	Not Applicable
State and other (e.g., institutional) work-study/employment (Note: Excludes Federal Work-Study captured above.)	\$0	\$8,107,946
Total Self-Help	\$16,870,817	\$56,273,051

Miscellaneous	Need-based (Include non-need-based aid use to meet need.)	Non-need-based (Exclude non-need-based aid use to meet need.)
Parent Loans	\$0	\$49,145,984
Tuition Waivers Note: Reporting is optional. Report tuition waivers in this row if you choose to report them. Do not report tuition waivers elsewhere.	\$0	\$0
Athletic Awards	\$0	\$7,726,705

- H2. Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Aid:** List the number of degree-seeking full-time and less-than-full-time undergraduates who applied for and were awarded financial aid from any source.
- ✓ **Aid that is non-need-based but that was used to meet need should be counted as need-based aid.**
 - ✓ Numbers should reflect the cohort awarded the dollars reported in H1.
 - ✓ In the chart below, students may be counted in more than one row, and full-time, first-time, first-year students should also be counted as full-time undergraduates.
 - ✓ **Do NOT include any aid related to the CARES Act or unique to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

Common Data Set 2023-2024

Letter	Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Aid	Full-time, First-time, First-Year	Full-time Undergrad (Incl. Fresh)	Less Than Full-time Undergrad
A	Number of degree-seeking undergraduate students (CDS Item B1 if reporting on Fall 2022 cohort)	4,824	19,020	1,391
B	Number of students in line a who applied for need-based financial aid	4,434	11,629	703
C	Number of students in line b who were determined to have financial need	2,080	7,304	521
D	Number of students in line c who were awarded any financial aid	1,834	6,658	435
E	Number of students in line d who were awarded any need-based scholarship or grant aid	1,217	4,231	321
F	Number of students in line d who were awarded any need-based self-help aid	1,202	3,704	224
G	Number of students in line d who were awarded any non-need-based scholarship or grant aid	215	758	36
H	Number of students in line d whose need was fully met (<u>exclude PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans</u>)	1,572	4,816	231
I	On average, the percentage of need that was met of students who were awarded any need-based aid. Exclude any aid that was awarded in excess of need as well as any resources that were awarded to replace EFC (<u>PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans</u>)	35%	41%	33%
J	The average financial aid package of those in line d . Exclude any resources that were awarded to replace EFC (<u>PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans</u>)	\$12,082	\$12,450	\$10,353
K	Average need-based scholarship or grant award of those in line e	\$11,313	\$9,818	\$8,760
L	Average need-based self-help award (<u>excluding PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans</u>) of those in line f	\$3,497	\$4,329	\$4,152
M	Average need-based loan (<u>excluding PLUS loans, unsubsidized loans, and private alternative loans</u>) of those in line f who were awarded a need-based loan	\$3,430	\$4,215	\$4,126

H2A. Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Non-need-based Scholarships and Grants: List the number of degree-seeking full-time and less-than-full-time undergraduates who had no financial need and who were awarded institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid.

- ✓ Numbers should reflect the cohort awarded the dollars reported in H1.
- ✓ In the chart below, students may be counted in more than one row, and full-time, first-time, first-year students should also be counted as full-time undergraduates.
- ✓ **Do NOT include any aid related to the CARES Act or unique to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

Letter	Number of Enrolled Students Awarded Non-need-based Scholarships and Grants	Full-time First-time First-Year	Full-time Undergrad (Incl. Fresh)	Less Than Full-time Undergrad
N	Number of students in line a who had no financial need and who were awarded institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid (exclude those who were awarded athletic awards and tuition benefits)	202	389	6
O	Average dollar amount of institutional non-need-based scholarship and grant aid awarded to students in line n	\$8,011	\$7,279	\$6,374
P	Number of students in line a who were awarded an institutional non-need-based athletic scholarship or grant	77	311	15
Q	Average dollar amount of institutional non-need-based athletic scholarships and grants awarded to students in line p	\$29,494	\$28,840	\$11,508

Note: These are the graduates and loan types to include and exclude in order to fill out CDS H4 and H5.

Include:

- ✓ **2023** undergraduate class: all students who started at your institution as first-time students and received a bachelor's degree between July 1, **2022** and June 30, **2023**.
- ✓ Only loans made to students who borrowed while enrolled at your institution.
- ✓ Co-signed loans.

Exclude:

- Students who transferred in.
- Money borrowed at other institutions.
- Parent loans

- Students who did not graduate or who graduated with another degree or certificate (but no bachelor's degree).
- **Any aid related to the CARE Act or unique the COVID-19 pandemic.**

H4. Provide the number of students in the 2023 undergraduate class who started at your institution as first-time students and received a bachelor's degree between July 1, 2022 and June 30, 2023. Exclude students who transferred into your institution.

⇒ 3,833

H5. Number and percent of students in class (defined in H4 above) borrowing from federal, non-federal, and any loan sources, and the average (or mean) amount borrowed.

- The “Average per-undergraduate-borrower cumulative principal borrowed,” is designed to provide better information about student borrowing from federal and nonfederal (institutional, state, commercial) sources.
- The numbers, percentages, and averages for each row should be based only on the loan source specified for the particular row. For example, the federal loans average (row b) should only be the cumulative average of federal loans and the private loans average (row e) should only be the cumulative average of private loans.

Letter	Source/Type of Loan	Number in the class (defined in H4 above) who borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column	Percent of the class (defined above) who borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column (nearest 1%)	Average per-undergraduate-borrower cumulative principal borrowed from the types of loans specified in the first column (nearest \$1)
A	Any loan program: Federal Perkins, Federal Stafford Subsidized and Unsubsidized, institutional, state, private loans that your institution is aware of, etc. Include both Federal Direct Student Loans and Federal Family Education Loans.	1,824	48%	\$30,804
B	Federal loan programs: Federal Perkins, Federal Stafford Subsidized and Unsubsidized. Include both Federal Direct Student Loans and Federal Family Education Loans.	1,710	45%	\$19,050
C	Institutional loan programs.	N/A	N/A	N/A
D	State loan programs.	N/A	N/A	N/A
E	Private student loans made by a bank or lender.	532	14%	\$44,380

H6-H7: Aid to Undergraduate Degree-seeking Nonresidents

- Report numbers and dollar amounts for the same academic year checked in item H1

H6. Indicate your institution’s policy regarding institutional scholarship and grant aid for undergraduate degree-seeking nonresidents:

- Institutional need-based scholarship or grant aid is available
- Institutional non-need-based scholarship or grant aid is available
- Institutional scholarship and grant aid is not available

If institutional financial aid is available for undergraduate degree-seeking nonresidents, provide the number of undergraduate degree-seeking nonresidents who were awarded need-based or non-need-based aid:

⇒ 85

Average dollar amount of institutional financial aid awarded to undergraduate degree-seeking nonresidents:

⇒ 20,835

Total dollar amount of institutional financial aid awarded to undergraduate degree-seeking nonresidents:

⇒ 1,771,005

H7. Check off all financial aid forms nonresident first-year financial aid applicants must submit:

- Institution's own financial aid form
- CSS Profile
- Other: Click or tap here to enter text.

H8-H11: Process for First-Year Students

H8. Check off all financial aid forms domestic first-year financial aid applicants must submit:

- FAFSA
- Institution's own financial aid form
- CSS Profile
- State aid form
- Business/Farm Supplement
- Other: Click or tap here to enter text.

H9. Indicate filing dates for first-year students:

Does your institution have a deadline for filing required financial aid forms for first-year students?
Select "No" if there is no deadline and applications are processed on a rolling basis.

- Yes No

Priority date for filing required financial aid forms:

⇒ March 1st

Deadline for filing required financial aid forms:

⇒ Click or tap here to enter text.

- No deadline for filing required forms (applications processed on a rolling basis)

H10. Indicate notification dates for first-year students (answer a or b):

- a. Students notified on or about (date): [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)
 b. Students notified on a rolling basis. Starting date: April 1st

H11. Indicate reply dates:

Students must reply by (date): [Click or tap here to enter text.](#) or within [Click or tap here to enter text.](#) weeks of notification.

H12-H15: Types of Aid Available

Please check off all types of aid available to undergraduates at your institution:

H12. Loans

- Direct Subsidized Stafford Loans
 Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loans
 Direct PLUS Loans
 Federal Perkins Loans
 Federal Nursing Loans
 State Loans
 College/university loans from institutional funds
 Other (specify): [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

H13. Need Based Scholarships and Grants

- Federal Pell
 SEOG
 State scholarships/grants
 Private Scholarships
 College/university scholarship or grant aid from institutional funds
 United Negro College Fund
 Federal Nursing Scholarship
 Other (specify): [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

H14. Check off criteria used in awarding institutional aid. Check all that apply.

Criteria used in awarding institutional aid	Non-Need Based	Need-Based
Academics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Alumni affiliation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Art	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Athletics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Job skills	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ROTC	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not Applicable
Leadership	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Minority status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Music/drama	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Religious affiliation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
State/district residency	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

H15. If your institution has recently implemented any major financial aid policy, program, or initiative to make your institution more affordable to incoming students such as replacing loans with grants, or waiving costs for families below a certain income level please provide details below:

⇒ [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Are these policies related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

Yes No