

PASFAA Spring & Support Staff Training 2018

PA State Grant & Special Programs Update

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News from PHEAA

- Mr. Jim Preston, PHEAA President & CEO, announced in February that he plans to retire from the Agency in July 2018
 - Joined PHEAA in 2003
 - Became interim President and CEO in October 2007
 - Serving in current capacity since March 2008

FSA Solicitation

- Next Gen improvements to loan process
- Open to non-student loan industry companies
- Nine Components
- All components will operate behind FSA branding
- Evaluating what fits with PHEAA's strengths and capabilities

2017-18 Awards

- Please cancel any active awards for students who are not eligible as currently indicated on school roster
- April 2, 2018 is the deadline for reinstatement or reconsideration of a 2017-18 State Grant award

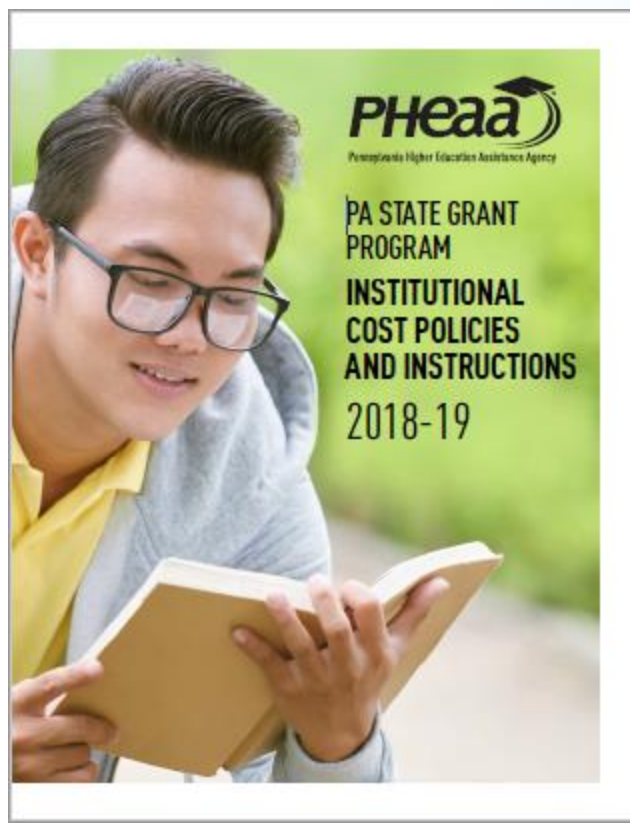
2017-18 Reconciliation

- 2017-18 AY Reconciliation Rosters generate the week of March 26
- Due date for reconciliation and refunds is June 1
- Sign and submit the Certification Page of the roster, preferably using the **online Web Certification Page** available on Alec

Third Party Authorization

- No longer using Third-Party Authorization forms
- Revised procedures for calls and emails
 - **School/Partner/Employer Email:**
 - » Appropriate email address
 - » Full name of school staff member
 - » Full name of school
 - » OE/PHEAA code
 - » Student/recipient's first and last name, if applicable
 - » Student/recipient's account number or SSN (or last four), if applicable

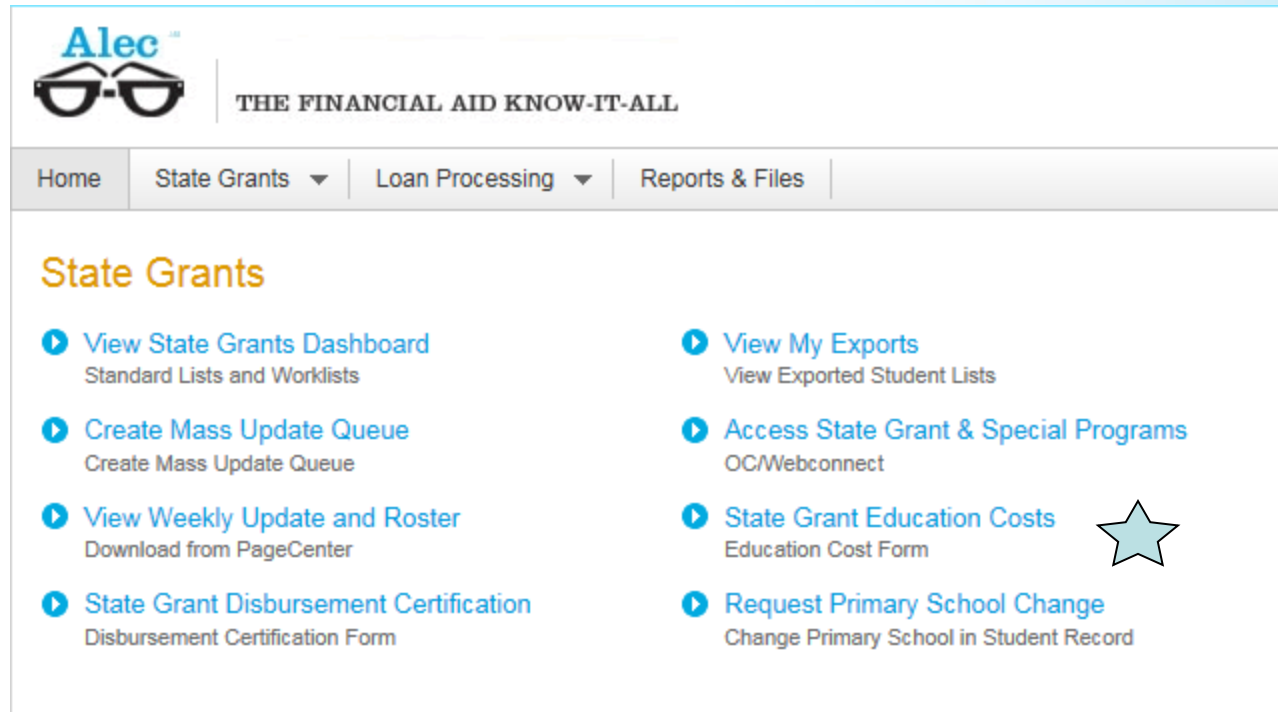
2018-19 Cost on the Web



2018-19 Cost on the Web

- Cost collection applicable for 2018 Summer term and 2018-19 Academic Year
- Opened on March 9
- Due date for submission is April 9, 2018
- Provide room and board amounts for statistical purposes
- 2017-18 costs used if new data is not submitted via the school portal

2018-19 Cost on the Web



The screenshot displays the Alec website, which is described as "THE FINANCIAL AID KNOW-IT-ALL". The site features a navigation bar with links to Home, State Grants, Loan Processing, and Reports & Files. The "State Grants" section is highlighted, showing a list of eight actions, each preceded by a play button icon. The actions are arranged in two columns. A light blue star icon is placed next to the "State Grant Education Costs" link. The Alec logo, featuring a pair of glasses, is in the top left corner.

Alec
THE FINANCIAL AID KNOW-IT-ALL

Home | State Grants ▼ | Loan Processing ▼ | Reports & Files

State Grants

- ▶ View State Grants Dashboard
Standard Lists and Worklists
- ▶ Create Mass Update Queue
Create Mass Update Queue
- ▶ View Weekly Update and Roster
Download from PageCenter
- ▶ State Grant Disbursement Certification
Disbursement Certification Form
- ▶ View My Exports
View Exported Student Lists
- ▶ Access State Grant & Special Programs
OC/Webconnect
- ▶ State Grant Education Costs
Education Cost Form
- ▶ Request Primary School Change
Change Primary School in Student Record

FAFSA Mobile App coming soon...

- New FAFSA mobile app expected from FSA this spring
 - **First version not expected to include the API link to the PA State Grant Form**
 - A large proportion of low-income students use smart phones to access on-line applications
 - Possible second version of the app for the October 1 start of the 2019-2020 application cycle
 - PHEAA is developing a mobile-enabled state grant application
 - Hope to have available in mid-April

State Grant Electronic Signature

- On track for a late April rollout
- FAFSA signature(s) will be used to satisfy the State Grant requirement in most cases
- Promoting online resolution of missing signatures
- Students will agree to the “Rights and Responsibilities” online as part of the SGF

2018-19 Appropriations

	2017-2018 Budget	2018-2019 Board Request	2018-2019 Governor's Proposals	Percent Change from 2017-2018 to 2018-2019
PHEAA Administered				
State Grant Program	\$273.391	\$300.730	\$272.891	-0.18%
Institutional Assistance Grants (IAG)	\$25.749	\$27.036	\$25.749	0.00%
Matching Funds	\$12.496	\$13.121	\$12.496	0.00%
Higher Education of the Disadvantaged (Act 101)	\$2.246	\$2.358	\$2.246	0.00%
Higher Education of Blind or Deaf Students	\$0.047	\$0.049	\$0.047	0.00%
Pennsylvania Internship Program Grants	\$0.350	\$0.350	\$0.350	0.00%
Ready to Succeed Scholarships	\$5.000	\$5.000	\$5.000	0.00%
Co-Administered				
Bond-Hill Scholarship	\$0.697	\$1.200	\$0.697	0.00%
Cheyney Keystone Academy	\$1.813	\$4.000	\$1.813	0.00%
Total	\$321.789	\$353.844	\$321.289	-0.16%

Application History

History of Applications Received/Awards Made			
Award Year	Combined Academic Year and Summer		FAFSA Applications
	State Grant Applications	Awards	as of December 31
2006-07	522,944	178,594	548,955
2007-08	538,112	174,643	564,896
2008-09	564,789	164,633	597,713
2009-10	631,624	183,217	672,813
2010-11	657,251	192,121	705,825
2011-12	668,067	205,739	716,557
2012-13	683,221	192,386	706,813
2013-14	669,570	178,681	692,056
2014-15	644,472	173,142	670,214
2015-16	610,562	153,684	639,662
2016-17	572,778	143,157	607,905
2017-18*	567,050	144,400	607,584
2018-19**	572,720	152,476	613,569
* Estimated			
** Estimated (Includes \$50M Supplement & Distance Education Recipients)			

Distance Education Integration

- Governor Wolf signed HB 1653 into law in February as “Act 5 of 2018”
- Incorporates DE into the State Grant Program, beginning Fall 2018
- PHEAA is working to perform the necessary system updates
 - Technical changes beginning 2018 Summer
 - Webinars planned for May, to address changes

Act 5 of 2018 – DE Integration

- Headquartered and Domiciled Status:
 - HQD schools: full DE integration
 - Non-HQD schools: eligibility unchanged
- Authorizes the PHEAA Board of Directors to implement necessary controls to limit the impact of online education and protect State Grant purchasing power.

SGDEPP Ending

- 2017-18 is the last year of the five year State Grant Distance Education Pilot Program
 - The pilot was a success!
 - HB 1653 passed at the end of January, allowing for integration beginning 2018-19 Academic Year
 - No funding for 2018 Summer
 - No reporting for 2018 Summer

SGDEPP: 2017-18

- 2017-18 funding has been exhausted, leading to Reject N and \$-Adjusted notices for some students
- PHEAA continues to make cancellation and reject funds available, and subsequently has been able to fund some of these awards
 - No funding for 2018 Summer
 - No reporting for 2018 Summer

2018 Summer State Grant

What isn't changing?

- Student application period is March 15 through August 15
- Awards not determined until after 2018-19 AY awards are announced
- Disbursements to schools at calculated percentage of prior three years utilization
- Minimum term = 5 weeks of at least HT enrollment for students in degree-granting programs

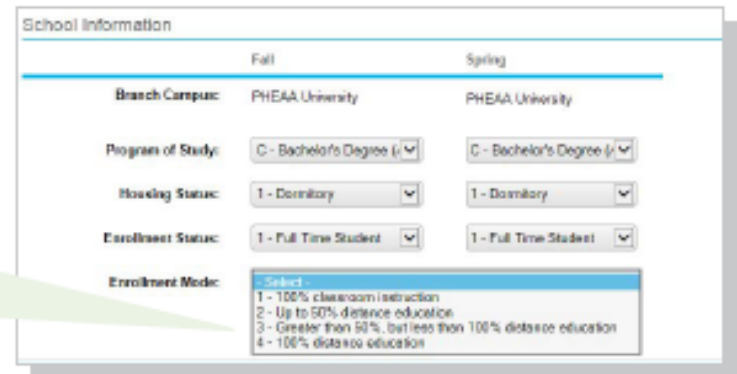
2018 Summer State Grant

What is changing?

- No SGDEPP
- **NEW!**
 - Required Enrollment Mode Indicator for all students with summer State Grant awards

Enrollment Mode Indicator

1. 100% classroom instruction
2. Up to 50% distance education
3. Greater than 50% but less than 100% distance education
4. 100% distance education



The screenshot shows a 'School Information' form with two columns for 'Fall' and 'Spring' semesters. The form includes fields for Branch Campus, Program of Study, Housing Status, Enrollment Status, and Enrollment Mode. The Enrollment Mode dropdown menu is open, showing four options: 1 - 100% classroom instruction, 2 - Up to 50% distance education, 3 - Greater than 50% but less than 100% distance education, and 4 - 100% distance education.

	Fall	Spring
Branch Campus:	PHEAA University	PHEAA University
Program of Study:	C - Bachelor's Degree (v)	C - Bachelor's Degree (v)
Housing Status:	1 - Dormitory (v)	1 - Dormitory (v)
Enrollment Status:	1 - Full Time Student (v)	1 - Full Time Student (v)
Enrollment Mode:	<div>Select...</div> <div>1 - 100% classroom instruction</div> <div>2 - Up to 50% distance education</div> <div>3 - Greater than 50% but less than 100% distance education</div> <div>4 - 100% distance education</div>	

- Replaces Attempted Credits Reporting and reporting of DE Program of Study
- Must match enrollment status tied to award
- Defaults to 100% classroom

Enrollment Mode Indicator

Pennsylvania State Grant Program

INTEGRATION OF DISTANCE EDUCATION & NEW ENROLLMENT REPORTING REQUIREMENT



On February 15, 2018, the Governor signed HB 1453 into law Act 5 of 2018. This legislation incorporates distance education eligibility into the PA State Grant Program, beginning with the 2018-19 Academic Year. The legislation authorizes the PHEAA Board of Directors to implement necessary controls to limit the impact of online education and protect State Grant purchasing power.

Technical system changes will be implemented starting with the 2018 Summer term, as outlined below, even though funding for distance education students does not begin until Fall 2018.

ELIGIBILITY

INSTITUTIONAL ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION	TERM	PROGRAM STRUCTURE	ENROLLMENT PATTERN
Pennsylvania Headquartered and Domiciled (HQDI) Institutions*	2018 Summer	Students enrolled in a program that is not structured to allow at least 50 percent of their clock or credit hours in the classroom are ineligible and must continue to be reported as "06" in their program of study.	Students enrolled in approved programs must have all enrollment patterns by term that consists of at least 50 percent classroom instruction (unless the student has a medical disability**).
	2018-19 Academic Year and beyond	Students enrolled are eligible, no matter the percentage of distance education instruction of their program's structure.	Students enrolled in approved programs are eligible no matter the percentage of distance education of their enrollment pattern.
Non-Headquartered and Domiciled (non-HQDI) Institutions*	2018 Summer and beyond	Students enrolled in a program that is not structured to allow at least 50 percent of their clock or credit hours in the classroom are ineligible and must continue to be reported as "06" in their program of study.	Students enrolled in approved programs must have all enrollment patterns by term that consists of at least 50 percent classroom instruction (unless the student has a medical disability**).

* If the domiciled institution is owned by a parent company, the parent company must be headquartered in Pennsylvania for the institution to be considered HQDI. If the parent company is headquartered outside of Pennsylvania, the institution is considered non-HQDI.

** American with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliance continues to apply to student access to non-enrollment patterns receiving 100 percent distance education. This new process will be triggered by updating the enrollment mode reporting as outlined below. ADA requirements do not apply to students who are enrolled in a program that is structured to allow at least 50 percent classroom attendance.

ENROLLMENT MODE REPORTING (REPLACES ATTEMPTED CREDITS REPORTING)

Starting with the 2018 Summer term, all institutions are required to report new enrollment mode data on a term-by-term basis for awarded students. The enrollment mode must match the student's final enrollment for eligibility determination, instead of point-in-time attempted credits reporting. PHEAA will use the enrollment mode reporting to track the impact of online education and the purchasing power of the PA State Grant Program, as well as reflect the appropriate eligibility of the student, based on the institution (HQDI or non-HQDI) at which he or she is enrolled.

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Enrollment Mode Indicator

Please note that PHEAA will initially assume an enrollment mode of 100 percent classroom instruction. Students who are not enrolled in 100 percent classroom instruction must be accurately reported in the term enrollment mode field(s) on Partner Interface or through the Certification Transmission process:

1. 100% classroom instruction
2. Up to 50% distance education
3. Greater than 50% but less than 100% distance education
4. 100% distance education

The screenshot shows a 'School Information' form with tabs for 'Fall' and 'Spring'. The 'Branch Campus' is 'PHEAA University'. The 'Program of Study' is 'Bachelor's Degree (4-yr)'. The 'Enrollment Status' is '1 - Distance'. The 'Enrollment Mode' dropdown menu is open, showing four options: 1 - 100% classroom instruction, 2 - Up to 50% distance education, 3 - Greater than 50% but less than 100% distance education, and 4 - 100% distance education.

Again, all schools will need to update the Enrollment Mode Reporting starting with 2018 Summer State Grant recipients. This is necessary to ensure that students do not receive funding for greater than 50 percent distance education enrollment prior to the start of integration in Fall 2018. Starting with the 2018 Summer term, attempted credits reporting will no longer be required.

RESOURCES

Training for the new reporting for 2018 Summer will be provided via webinars on Tuesday, May 8th and Thursday, May 17th, and will also be covered during our PA State Grant Summer Workshops (see schedule below). Additional information for sessions will be on PHEAA.org/training. Updates will also be included in the monthly PA School Services newsletters. Additional information on the integration of distance education into the PA State Grant Program is in development and will be shared when available.

If you have questions, please contact State Grant staff at 1.800.443.0644, option 3, option 1, a private number reserved for the use of postsecondary school administrators, or via email at sghelp@pheaa.org.

PA STATE GRANT SUMMER WORKSHOP LOCATIONS & DATES

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
PHEAA Headquarters	6/12/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Delaware County Community College	6/14/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Community College of Allegheny County-Boyce	6/19/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
La Salle University	7/10/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
King's College	7/12/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Westmoreland County Community College	7/18/2018	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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2018-19 State Grant Training



SAVE THE DATE



State Grant Summer Training Events!

Summer 2018 Distance Education Reporting Webinars
May 8, 2018 – 1 PM – 3 PM
May 17, 2018 – 10 AM – 12 PM

2018-19 State Grant Program Workshops
June 12, 2018 – PHEAA Headquarters
June 14, 2018 – Delaware County Community College
June 19, 2018 – Community College of Allegheny County - Boyce Campus
July 10, 2018 – La Salle University
July 12, 2018 – King's College
July 18, 2018 – Westmoreland County Community College

Registration will become available on PHEAA.org/training in the coming weeks!

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2018-19 State Grant Training

- Webinars offered this summer

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2018-19 State Grant Training

- 2018-19 State Grant Program Handbook
 - Focus on *New* Enrollment Indicator
 - Beginning 2018 Summer
 - Replaces Attempted Credits Reporting
 - Distance Education Integration
 - Beginning Fall 2018

IAG

- SG reconciliation must be completed by late April to be reflected on the IAG reconciliation roster in early May
- Estimated *per capita* for 2017-18 is \$634, subject to change
- Proposed 2018-19 budget for IAG would lead to an estimated 2017-18 *per capita* of \$580
 - Schools with distance education students may see no change or growth in total funding received

2017-18 PA-TIP

- EFC eligibility up to 12000
- Student application deadline is May 1, 2018
- School deadline to certify pending awards is July 1, 2018
- Funds have been fully expended, however new awards are being made as current awards are cancelled

Other 2018-19 Programs

- 2018-19 student applications will be available in mid-April for:
 - Blind or Deaf Beneficiary Grant Program
 - Chafee Education and Training Grant Program

2018 Summer SWSP Application

2018 SUMMER PENNSYLVANIA STATE WORK•STUDY APPLICATION

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the SWSP?
The State Work-Study Program is a PHEAA-sponsored program made possible through General Assembly funding and with the cooperation of Pennsylvania postsecondary institutions and employers. The purpose of the SWSP is to provide students with an opportunity to gain career-related work experience and, at the same time, earn funds to assist them in meeting costs for postsecondary education.

How Much Can I Earn?
Each summer, our employer will be notified of your SWSP award amount, which can be up to \$5,000 during the summer term. This award amount is the maximum amount of earnings an employer may submit to PHEAA for reimbursement. However, your employer may choose to pay you more than the fixed award amount.

PHEAA will reimburse your employer a percentage of every dollar earned up to your SWSP award amount. Your employer is required to pay you 100 percent of any earnings above your SWSP award amount.

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How to Apply

- #### 1 DETERMINE IF YOU ARE AN ELIGIBLE STUDENT

To be considered eligible, you must:

 - Be a Pennsylvania resident.
 - Be enrolled at least full-time in a PHEAA-approved higher education institution, in a program of study at least two years in length.
 - Be a State Grant recipient, if an undergraduate student, or have unmet financial need verified by the student's financial aid office, if a graduate student for the preceding or upcoming academic year.
 - Be able to benefit from a career-related work experience.
 - Not be in default or pending default on an education loan or owe a State Grant refund.
- #### 2 FIND AN ELIGIBLE JOB

To find an eligible SWSP employer, you can:

 - Search for an approved SWSP employer online at PHEAA.org/SWSP-JobSearch.
 - Locate your own employer. Tips for locating an employer, as well as an employer's online characteristics to introduce a new employer to the program, are available at PHEAA.org/Employers.
- #### 3 APPLY

To apply you must:

 - Complete Section I of the SWSP Application/Placement Form* and submit it to your potential employer to complete Section 2.
 - Submit, or verify that your employer submitted, the completed SWSP Application/Placement Form to PHEAA on or before the filing deadline. PHEAA will then notify you and your employer of your SWSP eligibility.

STUDENT APPLICATION FILING DEADLINES	
Work Term	Deadline
2018 Summer Term May 4, 2018 – August 15, 2018	June 29, 2018

*Before SWSP Application/Placement Form is included in this document and is also available at PHEAA.org.

Ready to Succeed Scholarship

- Funds over 3,000 students per year with \$5 M
- Approximately \$10 M more needed to fund all of the remaining 6,000+ eligible students
- Reconciliation begins early May; due July 1
- August 1 disbursement deadline

Ready to Succeed Scholarship

- Partner Interface Enhancements

- RTSS student candidates who are a State Grant Reject E or M can now be reported as

- “H - RTSS Not Enrolled”

- This will remove non-enrolled students from schools’ RTSS Student Candidate listings
- Special Request no longer needed when students partially withdraw from FT to HT

- “J – RTSS Half Time (HT)”

- Non-enrolled RTSS student candidates with a State Grant award should still have their award cancelled as usual

Ready to Succeed Scholarship

- Partner Interface Enhancements
 - Changes/Updates to the RTSS refund group statuses:
 - “Pending” status - This status displays when a refund group is created
 - “Received” status – This status displays when a refund group is created and the refund amount is received by PHEAA but not processed

School users are now able to export a list of RTSS awards for terms that need certified, that have been certified, or listed in the following refund groups: Pending, Changed, Received or Under Review

Ready to Succeed Scholarship

- RTSS Income Validation process
 - Normally runs prior to certification and disbursement
 - Technical error occurred this year
 - Minimal number of students placed under review in late February, with 30 days to respond
 - Schools will refund to PHEAA

Partner Interface Enhancements

- Option to filter records with data that occurs
 - in “All” of the selected terms
 - in “Any” of the selected terms

Filter Records

Record Level Filters

Updated By: Updated When:

Special Conditions:

Term Level Filters Meets **ANY** of the following Terms: ☒ Fall ☒ Winter ☒ Spring

Eligibility Date: From: To: Reject Types:

Eligibility Status: Credit Info: Housing Status:

Enrollment Status:
1 - Full Time Student
2 - Full Time-Evening
3 - Half-time Student
4 - Less Than Half-Time

Cancellation Reasons:
A - Graduated from a Bachelor's
B - Not a High School Graduate
D - Death of Student
E - Cancelled due to Agency Error

Program of Study:
A - 5 Year Co-op Work-Study (All
B - Bachelor's Degree (Religion M
C - Bachelor's Degree (All Other
F - 5 Yr Bone Fide Program

Results: 1492 Records

Roster Workflow Improvements

- New initiative to reduce:
 - unnecessary reminder emails to schools
 - duplicate roster submissions
- SGSP has a new method to track returned rosters that are in our processing queue
 - Applies to SGP, RTSS, SGDEPP and EAP
 - R status entered on FG3S (FG94 for EAP)

Roster Workflow Improvements

hera.rsf - Micro Focus Reflection - IBM 3270 Terminal

File Edit Connection Setup Macro Window Help

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FG3S I 2017;A **STATE GRANT COLLEGE DISBURSEMENT DISPLAY**

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PHEAA CODE ACAD YEAR LAST USER

LAST UPDATE 12/08/2017

ACADEMIC SCHEDULE S SEMESTER

TERM BEGIN DATES - FALL 08/17/2017 SPRING 01/11/2018

POSS DISB DATES - FALL 08/17/2017 SPRING 01/11/2018

TYPE A "FALL" DISBURSEMENT

DISB AMT \$ _____

DATE PAID _____

DISB ROSTER DATE _____

STATUS _____

DISB ROSTER RETURNED _____

TYPE A "FALL" DISBURSEMENT

DISB AMT \$ 275 (100%)

DATE PAID 10/6/2017

DISB ROSTER DATE _____

STATUS R RETURNED

DISB ROSTER RETURNED _____

PREDISBURSEMENT ROSTER INFO

PREDIS ROSTER DATE 08/08/2017

STATUS C COMPLETED - 09 21 2017

PREDISBURSEMENT ROSTER INFO

PREDIS ROSTER DATE / /

STATUS - - - - -

F1=HELP F2=SET2 F3=EXIT F4=FG3Y F5=RFR F6=FG3M

F7=PRVDISB F8=NXTDISB F9=PRT F10=SUMMARY F11=REFUND F12=CAN

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PageCenter

- New and updated PageCenter resources on PHEAA.org/training under State Grant and Special Programs Resources...

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RTSS Schools
Community Partners
Lenders

Education is of the utmost importance to us here at PHEAA.

That is why we want to ensure that our school, employers, and community partners have easy access to various resources in one easy-to-use location. From this page you will be able to:

- View training events
- Sign up for educational workshops
- Locate resources for many of the PHEAA-administered programs

Partner Interface Training
Let us help you keep current with the latest tools for postsecondary schools to report and verify key components used in evaluating eligibility and disbursement for State Grant awards.

State Grant and Special Programs Resources New!
View and download a wide range of resources that will provide you with program-specific information essential for your staff and students.

Training Events
View our training events, including those sponsored by Pennsylvania Financial Aid Training (PFAT), Pennsylvania School Services, and Pennsylvania State Grant and Special Programs.

K-12 Counselor Workshops
To ensure you have the tools students need to reach their educational goals, we offer free workshops for high school counselors and teachers.

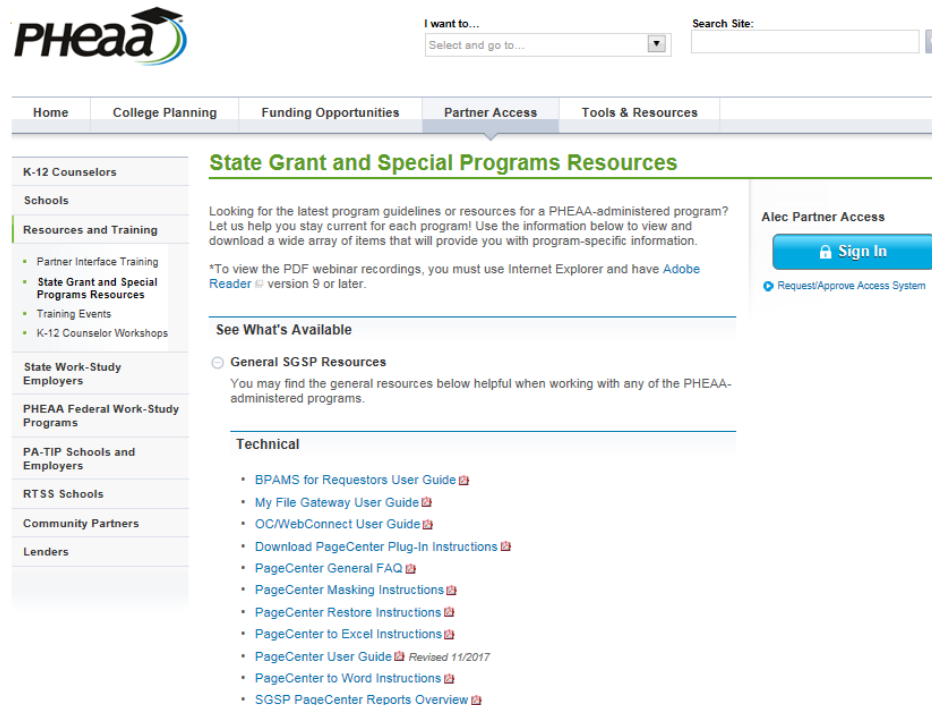
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Contact Us
Need more information on the State Grant Program or the other Special Programs?
Don't hesitate to [contact us!](#)

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PageCenter

- ...General SGSP Resources:



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State Work-Study Employers

PHEAA Federal Work-Study Programs

PA-TIP Schools and Employers

RTSS Schools

Community Partners

Lenders

State Grant and Special Programs Resources

Looking for the latest program guidelines or resources for a PHEAA-administered program? Let us help you stay current for each program! Use the information below to view and download a wide array of items that will provide you with program-specific information.

*To view the PDF webinar recordings, you must use Internet Explorer and have Adobe Reader version 9 or later.

See What's Available

☐ General SGSP Resources

You may find the general resources below helpful when working with any of the PHEAA-administered programs.

Technical

- BPAMS for Requestors User Guide
- My File Gateway User Guide
- OC/WebConnect User Guide
- Download PageCenter Plug-In Instructions
- PageCenter General FAQ
- PageCenter Masking Instructions
- PageCenter Restore Instructions
- PageCenter to Excel Instructions
- PageCenter User Guide Revised 11/2017
- PageCenter to Word Instructions
- SGSP PageCenter Reports Overview

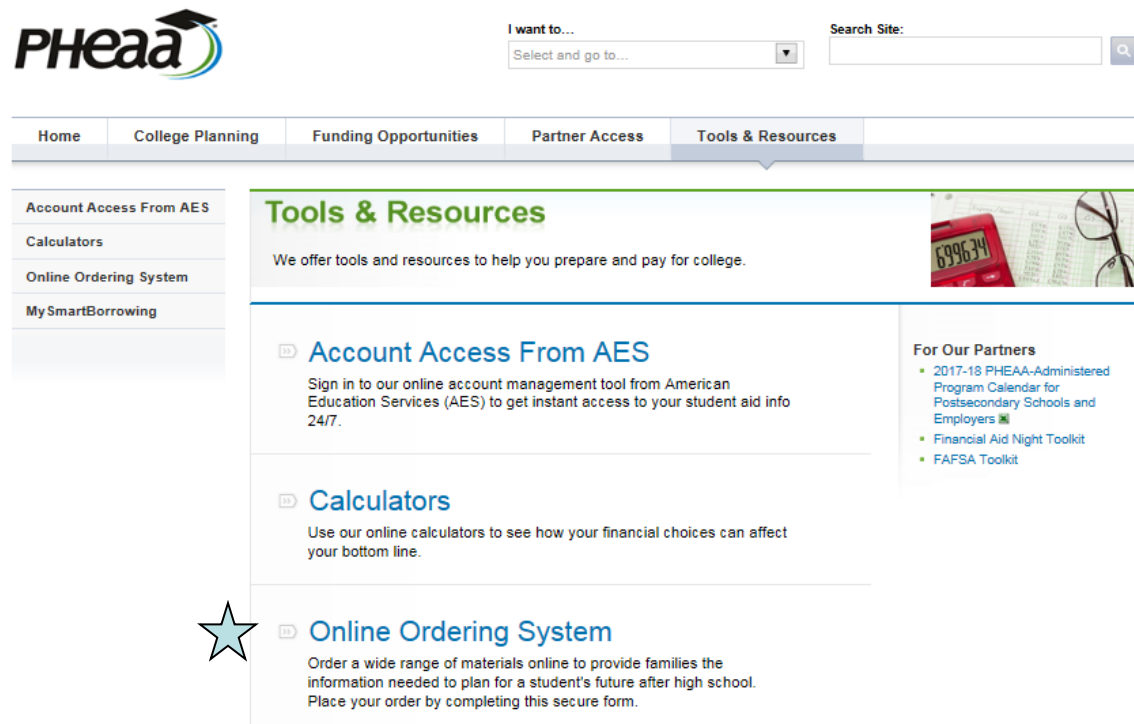
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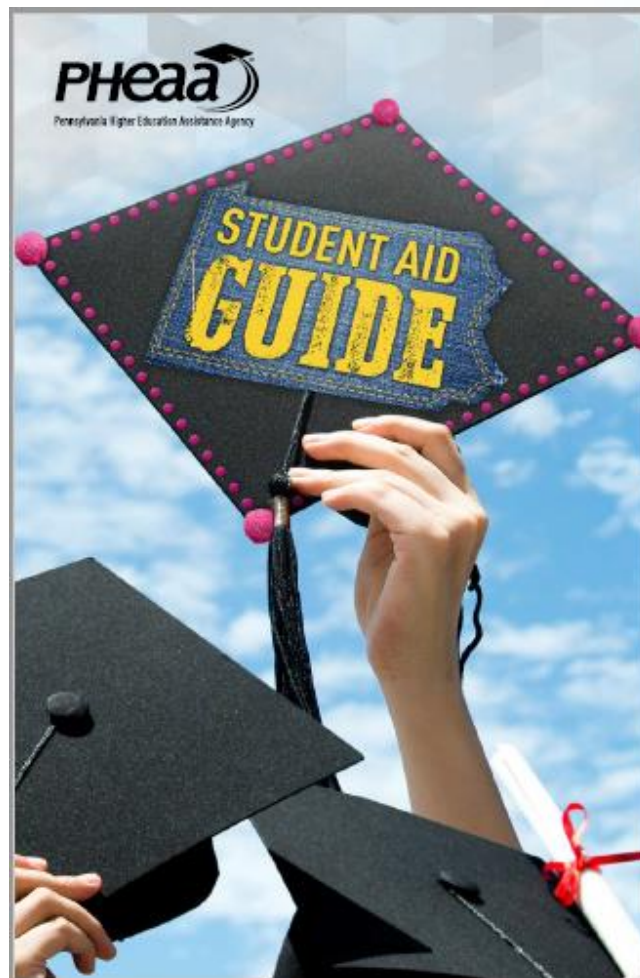
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