

# FINANCIAL AID

The objective of the Student Financial Aid Office is to provide excellent customer service in assisting students in attaining their educational endeavors. The Financial Aid

REGULATION OF FEDERAL FUNDS REFUND FORMULA FOR TITLE IV FUNDS  
(FSEOG AND PELL GRANT)

The Title IV refund

additional information from the student/parent. The Financial Aid Office Recipients of Title IV funds who are selected for verification or whose SAR displays conflicting information should submit the required documents to the Financial Aid Office within (60) days of the date of registration. A recipient who fails to provide required documentation within the specified period will be responsible for payment of all charges incurred.

The Financial Aid Office will contact all recipients with missing documents via mail and e-mail. The notification letter will indicate what is required and how to obtain requested information necessary to complete the verification process or resolve conflicting information.

Once the Financial Aid Office receives the requested documentation, information on the UHFL Application Warrants correction, the Financial Aid Office will make the necessary corrections. The recipient can also make corrections on-line via the internet at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). Recipients must use their PIN to access records online or mail corrections to Federal Student Aid Programs, Post Office Box 7002, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864-0072. PLEASE NOTE: If any modifications are made to Student Aid Report (SAR), a new award notification will be mailed to the student.

#### STATE FUNDS

To request an application for any of these Mississippi state funds, call the Institutions of Higher Learning at 1-800-327-2980 or access information at

three ways:

A person who has been laid off from his/her job for no fault of his/her own, usually through downsizing or plant closure;

A person who is a displaced homemaker or

A person who was financially supported by a dislocated worker.

To be considered for WIA funds, a student must:

1. Be admitted to an approved program
2. Apply for a Pell Grant through the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
3. Register with the Mississippi State Employment Service through the

Unless academically dismissed, students may receive federal, state, and institutional aid. They may continue attending using other resources or by funding their education themselves. It is the responsibility of the student to monitor his or her academic progress and understand the requirements to complete their degree according to SAP standards.

Complete his or her program of study within a time frame not to exceed 50% of the published length of a program.

Cumulative Hours Attempted	Percentage of Cumulative Hours Attempted That Must Be Passed	Minimum Required SAP GPA
0-16	50%	1.5
17-32	56%	1.7
33-48	62%	1.85
48+	67%	2

#### Financial Aid Warning

Financial Aid Warning status is assigned to students who fail to meet one or more of the SAP measures indicated above at the conclusion of an academic semester or summer. Students assigned a Financial Aid Warning status will be notified in writing. Students may continue to

Circumstance(s) that Apply	Required Documentation (must include dates)
Severe illness, medical condition or Injury	Signed and dated letter from physician on office letterhead; legible copy of accident report
Death of a family member	Death certificate and/or dated obituary from newspaper
Traumatic life-altering event such as fire, hurricane, etc.	Evidence of events such as insurance claim or FEMA application
Military Assignment or reassignment	A Statement of Service signed by, or by direct report of, the adjutant, personnel officer, or commander of your unit or higher headquarters which shows your date of entry on your current active period and the duration of the assignment.

A V W X Appeal must explain the circumstances that prevented him/her from making SAP and the reasons for the basis of this appeal. The student must address the following questions:

Students who cannot meet the above requirements for an appeal must re-establish Satisfactory Academic Progress through Reinstatement

## REIN STATEMENT

Students who have been suspended from financial aid (including those who have lost financial aid eligibility due to academic suspension) may seek reinstatement by achieving, without the benefit of the aid from which they have been suspended, both the



