

Federal Pell Grant

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Website

<https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/pell>

Description

A Federal Pell Grant, unlike a loan, does not have to be repaid. Federal Pell Grants usually are awarded only to undergraduate students who have not earned a bachelor's or a professional degree. (In some cases, however, a student enrolled in a postbaccalaureate teacher certification program might receive a Federal Pell Grant.) You are not eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant if you are incarcerated in a federal or state penal institution or are subject to an involuntary civil commitment upon completion of a period of incarceration for a forcible or nonforcible sexual offense.Â

"[Federal Student Grant Programs](#)" lists federal student grant programs with program details and award limits.

HAS THIS PROGRAM BEEN SUSPENDED DUE TO COVID-19? No. Students concerned about their studies or other federal loan repayments can visit "[Coronavirus and Forebearance Info for Students, Borrowers and Parents](#)."

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