

NC LONGLEAF COMMITMENT GRANT



Most North Carolina high school graduates who earned a diploma since 2020 or will receive a diploma in 2022 are eligible to receive state grant funds to attend a community college for free. The grant – not a loan – provides students between \$700 and \$2,800 per academic year toward a degree or to attain transfer credit. The North Carolina Community College System is now broadening eligibility criteria to include 2020-2022 high school graduates for the upcoming academic semesters.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduate from a North Carolina high school in 2020, 2021, or 2022. High School Equivalency completers such as GED, HiSET, and Adult High School are also eligible.
- Be a North Carolina resident for tuition purposes.
- Be a first-time college student, including Career & College Promise (CCP) and Early College.
- Enroll in a curriculum program during the 2021-22 academic year or the upcoming 2022-2023 academic year.
- Enroll in at least 6 credit hours per semester. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Have an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from \$0 – \$15,000. EFC is based upon a student's FAFSA determination.
- Renew the FAFSA for the 2022-23 academic years and meet the satisfactory academic progress requirements of the college.

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