

INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR FINANCIAL AID AWARDS

Your financial aid eligibility was determined from the information you and/or family provided on the FAFSA.

If you accept the [Perkins](#) loan, our office will mail you the Master Promissory Note (or start here online <http://www.mvcc.edu/business-office/perkins-loans-1#>)

If you are requesting a Plus (Parent) Loan, please download the Parent Plus Loan Request form at <http://www.mvcc.edu/financial-aid/fa-main-menu/2012-2013-fa-documents> and submit it to our office. These loans are based on credit approval. Should the loan NOT be approved, the student may be eligible for additional loan funds.

If you are receiving resources not reflected on the enclosed Award Letter (ie: ACCES-VR, scholarships, employer benefits, etc.) you must notify the Financial Aid Office so your eligibility can be recalculated.

To be eligible for a NYS TAP award, you must be full time (minimum of 12 credit hours). To continue to remain eligible in the future semesters, you must meet the NYS standards of academic progress. Please refer to the MVCC website or college catalog for more detailed information.

If you are enrolled for at least 6 credits, but less than 12, you may be eligible for NYS Aid for Part Time Study ([APTS](#)). You must complete an application and a FAFSA on or before the first day of classes. You must also submit a copy of your (and/or your parents if you are a dependent student) prior year NYS Tax return.

If a course is repeated in which a passing grade is acceptable to the degree or certificate program, it may affect your NYS TAP award.

If it is necessary to take non credit courses in a semester, it may affect your NYS TAP award in current and future semesters.

You must be attending all classes to be paid a TAP award.

The Financial Aid office is required to verify the accuracy of the information supplied by student and parents. If conflicting information is discovered, the Financial Aid office must resolve any discrepancies. Your failure to provide requested information will delay or prohibit payment of financial aid funds.

You must maintain satisfactory academic progress each semester to continue to be eligible for federal and state funding.

Overage checks will be available on approximately week 7 (50%) and week 11 (100%). Refunds will not be released until all obligations to MVCC have been satisfied. The [Business Office](#) will notify you if a check is available. Students should be prepared to meet personal expenses until that time.

If you have enough financial aid, the [Bookstore](#) will automatically set up a book voucher account at the bookstore. You will need a student ID to access it.

You may view additional information on the [Financial Aid website](#) or through your [SIRS](#) account at www.mvcc.edu

All Federal loan ([subsidized](#), [unsubsidized](#), [Plus](#)) eligibility should be used before private (alternative) loans are borrowed.

Be sure that your immunization (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) record is up-to-date with our Health Center 315-792-5452; if you are not in compliance, you could be withdrawn from your classes and we would then be unable to pay aid to your account.