

Looking for Financial Aid?

Get With A Program

Financial aid is available for new and returning students. Many scholarships and financial aid options do not require full-time student status, but nearly all require the student to be enrolled in a degree or certificate program. With over 400 programs to choose from, and 16 campuses Statewide, the University of Alaska can truly help students get the financial support to go to college and get in the program that meets their needs.

Name of Program	Need-based?	Enrollment Status	Requires Program Admission	Amount (Pro-rated for PT)
ACG (Academic Competitiveness Grant)	Yes	FT only	Yes	\$750 year 1, \$1300 year 2
AkAdvantage Grant	Yes	PT - At least half-time	Yes	\$2000 maximum
Alaska FEL (Family Education Loan)	No	FT only	Yes	\$6500 for vocational; \$8500 for undergraduate
Alternative Loans	No	PT - At least 1 credit	Varies	Varies
ASEL (Alaska Supplemental Educational Loan)	No	PT - At least half-time	Yes	\$6500 maximum for vocational; \$8500 maximum for undergraduate
Federal Work Study	Yes	PT - At least half-time	Yes	Varies
FSEOG	Yes	PT - At least 1 credit	Yes	Varies by institution; up to \$4000 per year
Pell Grant	Yes	PT - At least 1 credit	Yes	\$4731 maximum for 08/09
PLUS (Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students)	No	PT - At least half-time	Yes	Cost of attendance minus other aid received
Scholarships	No	FT - Varies	Yes	Varies
SMART (National Science & Mathematics Access to Retain Talent Grant)	Yes	FT only	Yes	\$4,000
Stafford Subsidized Loan	Yes	PT - At least half-time	Yes	Depends on year in school and dependency status; max \$3,500 for first year students
Stafford Unsubsidized Loan	No	PT - At least half-time	Yes	Depends on year in school and dependency status; max \$7,500 for first year students
TEACH Grant	No	PT - At least 1 credit	Yes	\$4000 maximum for undergraduate
Teacher Education Loan (TEL)	No	FT only	Yes	\$7,500 annual limit
UA Grant	Yes	PT - At least half-time	Yes	\$1000 maximum
VA Benefits	No	PT - At least 1 credit	Yes	Max benefit determined by VA
Winn-Brindle Memorial Education Loan	No	FT only	Yes	Up to cost of attendance

PT = at least 1 credit

Half time = 6 credits for undergraduate students

FT = 12 credits for undergraduate students

3/4 time = 9 credits for undergraduate students

Receive Financial Aid for College

Enroll in a degree program– <http://uaonline.alaska.edu>
 Apply for financial aid– <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>

