

SUNY ULSTER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Office of Financial Aid
2012 SPRING CHECK DISBURSAL DATES
Spring 2012: January 16 to May 14

Annual awards are divided in half (Fall 2011 and Spring 2012).

CHECKS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE STUDENT ACCOUNTS OFFICE AFTER 10 A.M.

1st Check: Friday, January 20, 2012 (1st week)

To receive your check on this day all requested documentation must have been submitted to the financial Aid Office. The first disbursement for the Spring term will consist of the TAP grant, federal financial aid funds from 1/3 of the Pell grant, Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), and NYS Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) funds. (Federal Work/Study is paid according to time sheets and the Payroll Schedules.)

Loan check Date: Friday, January 27, 2012 (provided that funds have been received from the lender).

APTS Check Date and 30-day delayed loan disbursement: Friday, February 17, 2012

2nd Pell Check: Friday, February 24, 2012 (6th week)

The second disbursement includes the second 1/3 of the Pell grant and 1/3 of any unpaid federal grants.

3rd Pell Check Date: Friday, March 23, 2012 (10th week)

The third disbursement will consist of the rest of the Pell grant and any unpaid federal grants.

Loans and other financial aid checks will be disbursed every Friday beginning January 20, 2012.

Feb. 8: Last day to withdraw from 1st 5-week classes:

Feb.17: Last day to withdraw from 1st 7-week classes.

April 3: Last day to audit or withdraw from Full Semester classes without penalty.

April 9: Last day to Withdraw from ExpressSemester Classes; 2nd Half Term, 7 week classes and 2nd 5-week classes.

SPECIAL NOTE

- Checks are picked up at the Student Accounts Office, VAN 204, after 10 a.m.
- Students must pick up their own checks (NO EXCEPTIONS) and must provide a picture ID.
- Students must notify the Financial Aid Office of any changes in enrollment status (drop from full-time to half-time, withdraw, never attend classes, audit, etc.)
- Audit grades taken at any point in the semester could result in a reduction in both State and Federal aid.
- Students who withdraw before the 10th week of the Fall or Spring semesters will be subject to a Title IV Refund Calculation, which could require the student to pay back all or a portion of the federal financial aid funds received.

Express Classes and Late Start Classes

- Students whose full-time status includes express classes will not be eligible for their TAP awards until any express or late start classes actually begin.

Example: A student is enrolled for 12 credits. The student has three classes that begin on January 17 and one class that begins on February 1. The TAP award will not be applied to their account until the February 1 class begins. The student will be considered full-time at that point.

- Students who are enrolled in any express or late start classes and are Pell eligible will receive Pell payment for those classes that have actually begun.

Example: A student is enrolled for 9 credits. Two classes begin on January 17, and one class begins on March 1. The Pell award reflected will be for ½ time enrollment until the March 1 class begins. As of March 1, the student will then be considered ¾ time, and the remaining Pell will be applied.