



# Summer @ City Tech!

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# Office of Financial Aid

## FEDERAL PELL GRANT ELIGIBILITY FOR THE SUMMER

Pell Grant eligible students receive up to 150% of their scheduled Pell award each year! Meaning you can receive aid for Summer, Fall and Spring. This is called Year Round Pell and is equivalent to three full time semesters. (Summer, Fall, Spring) If you are thinking about taking classes this summer, you may just qualify for Year Round Pell.

## SUMMER SESSIONS

Session 1: 4-Week  
(May 27 -June 29)

Session 1: 5-Week  
(May 27 -July 1)

Session 1: 7-Week  
(May 27-July 18)

Session 2: 5-Week  
(July 6-Aug 9)

## ELIGIBILITY FOR YEAR ROUND PELL

To be eligible for a summer Pell Grant, you must:

- Have completed a FAFSA for award year 2021-22 and 2022-23
- Be Federal Pell Grant eligible
- Enroll in summer classes
- Enroll at least 6 credit hours if you are using Pell in the 2021-22 Award Year and at least 1-5 credits if you are using the 2022-23 Award Year.
- Be meeting **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)**
- Have remaining lifetime Pell Grant eligibility.

## WHAT IS LIFETIME PELL ELIGIBILITY USAGE (LEU) ?

The maximum payment a student can receive in Pell Grant is 600 percent, which is 12 full time disbursed payments of Federal Pell Grant.

Year Round Pell payments will be factored into a student's life time eligibility usage (LEU).



## Q&A: How much Pell Grant will I receive in the Summer?

The amount of Pell Grant awarded is based on the number of credits you take, your EFC (expected family contribution), and whether or not you have remaining Pell eligibility.



### How can I check my Pell Lifetime Eligibility Usage (LEU)?

Students can log into [www.studentaid.gov](http://www.studentaid.gov) for more information and view their usage.

### Can I still receive Pell if I just take one class in the summer?

Yes. You may enroll in one class (1-5 credits) for the summer if you meet either conditions:

1. You have remaining eligibility for award year 2021-22
2. You are eligible for Pell for award year 2022-23 and have no outstanding checklist items on your To Do list.

For example, if you have not used the entire 100 percent Pell in Fall and Spring of the same academic year, you can use the remaining for the summer. If you have used the entire 100 percent, then you will need to file a 2022-23 FAFSA for Pell consideration for the summer.

### Will summer Pell affect my award year 2022-23 Pell Grant eligibility for Fall & Spring?

It will not affect your Pell grant for the 2021-2022 academic year as long as you have remaining Pell grant eligibility. Please remember any additional Pell in the summer is counted towards your lifetime eligibility usage.

**Please contact the Financial Aid Office via ZOOM if you have additional questions and refer to our website for more information regarding hours of operation <http://www.citytech.cuny.edu/financial-aid/>.**