

2025-2026 FINANCIAL AID





WHAT ARE WE GOING TO LEARN TODAY ?

- What applications do I need to file to pay for school?
- What programs could I be eligible for?
- How to receive additional support.

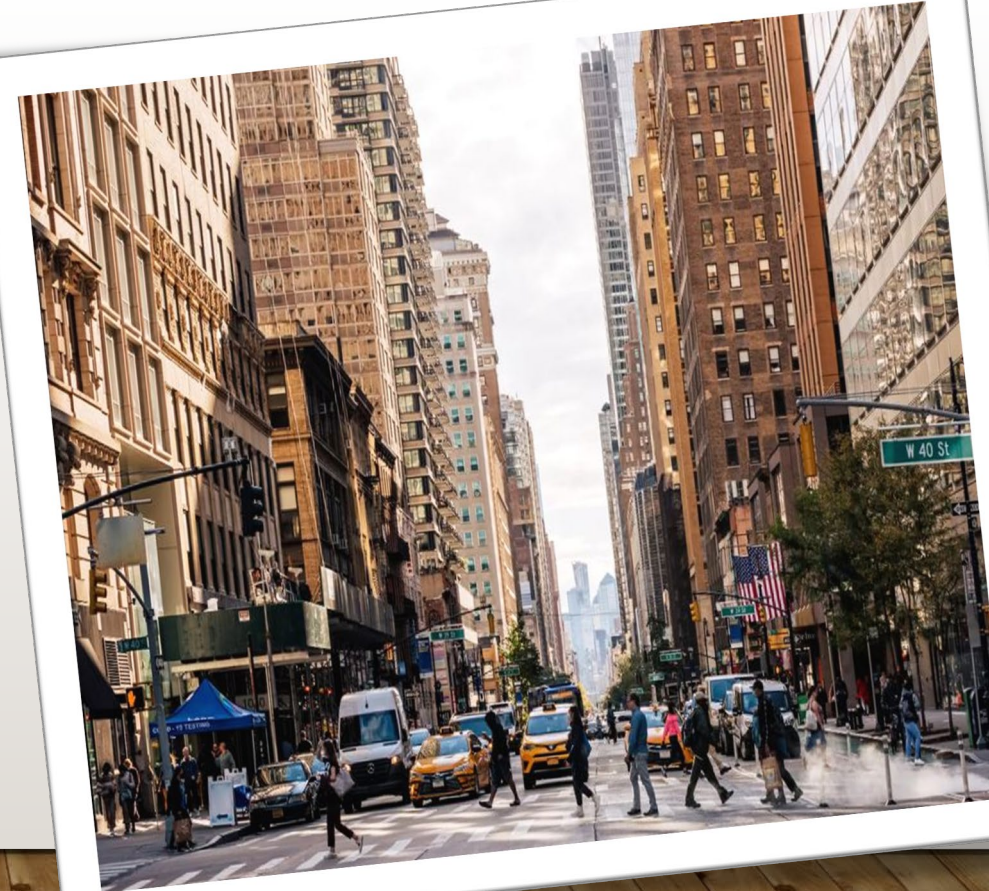
WHAT IS FAFSA?

- The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is a free application that students can use to apply for federal financial aid for college grants, work-study programs, loans, and scholarships.
- The college needs to have access to your application before the deadline to determine your awards eligibility!
- College school code **002696**



WHAT IS TAP?

- The Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) is state aid to help you cover the expenses of going to college and it is a different application than the FAFSA.
- It has its own academic and economic requirements.
- City Tech school code: 1405



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- Download this guide to file your FAFSA and TAP!



TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID: FEDERAL FUNDS

- Pell- The primary program used to cover educational expenses. This money is free and does not require to be repaid if you complete your classes.
 - SEOG – Funds that are used to cover your fees and charges from the college.
- Federal Work-Study – Allows you to work on and off campus, while you attend college.
 - Loans- Money you borrow to cover your expenses and are required to pay back.

TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID: STATE FUNDS

- TAP-For eligible New York residents enrolled 12 or more credits.
- PTAP –For part-time students enrolled between 3 or 11 credits.
- Excelsior - a scholarship for families who are not eligible for TAP or FAFSA.

Deadline to apply is 08/31/2025.

TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID: THE DREAM ACT

- Undocumented students who graduate from New York high school can receive an educational grant from New York State.
- The state has an alternative aid program for mixed status families, who do not want to file a FAFSA.
- These programs has the same academic and economic stipulations as the TAP program..



HOW WILL WHAT'S GOING ON IN WASHINGTON IMPACT MY AID ?

- For Fall 2025 nothing has changed about receiving or processing your FAFSA Funds.
- There is a lot of misinformation on social media and online, please talk to your college to get the best information.
- Any changes to the federal programs will have to be approved by congress and would not take into a effect until a published date by the government.



WEB LAB TIMES AND HOURS

- You can come to our web lab times to get assistance in filing your FAFSA and TAP applications! *Subject to change for summer.
 - Monday 2:00 - 4:30PM
 - Tuesday 10:00 to 12:00PM
 - Wednesday 11:00 – 1:00 PM
 - Thursday 3:00 – 4:30 PM
 - Friday 10:30 -12:00 PM
- 300 Jay St
 - Brooklyn New York
 - Room : NG-o8A - NAM Building



GETTING IN CONTACT WITH US

- The Financial Aid Office is located in Room N-G13
- Call the Financial Aid Office at 718-260-5700
- Email financialaid@citytech.cuny.edu
- Visit our website for ZOOM and in person office hours : <http://www.citytech.cuny.edu/financial-aid/>
- **Office Hours: Subject to change for summer**
- Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 AM -5:00 PM
- Wednesday 9:30 AM – 6:30 PM