## FEDERAL STUDENT AID Grant Programs Fact Sheet

The federal government provides grant funds for students attending colleges, career schools, and universities. Grants, unlike loans, do not have to be repaid. The major federal student aid grant programs are briefly described below.

Federal Grant Program	Program Details	Annual Award Limits (subject to change)
Federal Pell Grant	• Generally awarded to undergraduate students who are financially needy and who have not earned a bachelor's or graduate degree	o Up to \$5,550
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)	<ul> <li>Awarded to undergraduate students with exception financial need who have not earned a bachelor's or graduate degree</li> <li>Federal Pell Grant recipients receive priority</li> <li>Not all colleges participate in the FSEOG program</li> <li>Funds depend on availability at the college; you should apply by your college's deadline</li> </ul>	
Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant	<ul> <li>For undergraduate, post-baccalaureate, or gradual students who are/will be taking coursework necess to become elementary or secondary teachers</li> <li>Must agree to serve, for a minimum of four years (within eight years of completing academic progra as a full-time teacher in a high-need field in a schoor educational service agency that serves low-incostudents</li> <li>Must attend a participating college and meet certa academic achievement requirements</li> <li>Failure to complete the teaching service commitm will result in the grant funds being converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan that mube repaid</li> <li>For more information see the Teach Grant Fact Sheet www.teachgrant.ed.gov</li> </ul>	am), ool ome ain nent ust
Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant	<ul> <li>For students whose parent or guardian was a member of the U.S. armed forces and died as a result of performing military service in Iraq or Afghanistan after the events of 9/11</li> <li>Must be ineligible for a Federal Pell Grant due only to having less financial need than is required to receive Pell funds</li> <li>Must have been less than 24 years old or enrolled least part-time at an institution of higher education at the time of the parent's or guardian's death</li> </ul>	at

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For additional information on federal student aid, visit www.studentaid.ed.gov/funding or call 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243).

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