

**STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES**  
**North Carolina Community College Grant Program Payment Schedule**  
**FY 2018-19**

**Request for Funding:** The State Board of Community Colleges is asked to approve the 2018-19 North Carolina Community College Grant Program Payment Schedule.

**Strategic Plan Reference(s):**

Theme: Student Interest and Access

Goal: Increase the percentage of North Carolinians, particularly within underserved populations, pursuing and easily accessing education or training through North Carolina community colleges.

- Objective 1.3. Identify and reduce access barriers for all prospective students, particularly among underserved populations.
  - Strategy 1.3.1. Improve and augment existing financial assistance programs and services to better assist students with educational costs, particularly costs beyond tuition and fees (e.g., books, transportation, child care, etc.).

**Background:** As demonstrated by the attached payment schedule, the North Carolina Community College Grant program is designed to complement grants provided through the federal Pell Grant and North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship programs. The Pell Grant is a post-secondary federal educational grant sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. The North Carolina Education Lottery Scholarship is a State scholarship designed for students whose federal Expected Family Contribution (EFC) ranges from \$2,001 to \$5,000. A student must demonstrate financial need to qualify. The amount of the award provided by each program is based on the EFC derived from the information on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. For 2018-19 the maximum Pell Grant is \$5,920 based on a zero EFC. As the EFC range increases, Pell Grant eligibility decreases. Together these grants help students meet the costs of tuition, books, supplies, and transportation expenses.

The North Carolina General Assembly passed legislation in Session Law 2014-100 that requires the payment schedule include an incentive for students to enroll in 15 or more semester hours each term beginning with financial aid awards made for the 2016-17 academic year. The 2018-19 North Carolina Community College Grant payment schedule provides an incentive of an additional \$800 that would allow students to increase their enrollment to 15 hours with minimal personal expense.

**Eligibility:** In 2018-19 North Carolina Community College Grant awards will be awarded to students whose federal EFC ranges from \$1,301 to \$8,500, subject to fund availability. For full-time students with an EFC equal to or less than \$5,000, the combination of federal Pell Grant, North Carolina Lottery Scholarship, and North Carolina Community College Grant funds will provide at least \$4,680. (*Example: A student who has an expected family contribution of \$2,501-\$2,600 will receive the following awards: Pell \$3,370, Lottery Scholarship \$628, and Community College Grant \$682, totaling \$4,680.*)

To increase the program's impact, the North Carolina Community College Grant Program provides eligibility for students whose EFC ranges from \$5,001 to \$8,500. Given the program's commitment to Pell-eligible students, full-time students, whose EFCs range from \$1,901 to \$5,000, will receive a maximum North Carolina Community College Grant award of \$682. Full-time students whose federal EFC ranges from \$5,001 to \$8,500 will receive awards on a sliding scale from \$2,000 to \$1,500. All North Carolina Community College Grant awards are pro-rated for students who attend three-quarter or half time. Based on this award schedule, approximately \$18.0 million in North Carolina Community College grants will be awarded to students.

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## 2018-2019 Community College Grant Program Schedule

EFC Ranges	Pell Grant			Proposed State Awards - CC Grant				Proposed State Awards - ELS			Total from Combined Sources			
	Full-Time	3/4-Time	1/2-Time	15+ Time	Full Time	3/4 Time	1/2 Time	Full-Time	3/4-Time	1/2-Time	15+ Time	Full Time	3/4 Time	1/2 Time
\$00000 to \$00000	\$5,920	\$4,440	\$2,960	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,920	\$5,920	\$4,440	\$2,960
\$00001 to \$00100	\$5,870	\$4,403	\$2,935	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,870	\$5,870	\$4,403	\$2,935
\$00101 to \$00200	\$5,770	\$4,328	\$2,885	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,770	\$5,770	\$4,328	\$2,885
\$00201 to \$00300	\$5,670	\$4,253	\$2,835	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,670	\$5,670	\$4,253	\$2,835
\$00301 to \$00400	\$5,570	\$4,178	\$2,785	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,570	\$5,570	\$4,178	\$2,785
\$00401 to \$00500	\$5,470	\$4,103	\$2,735	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$5,470	\$4,103	\$2,735
\$00501 to \$00600	\$5,370	\$4,028	\$2,685	\$100	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$5,370	\$4,028	\$2,685
\$00601 to \$00700	\$5,270	\$3,953	\$2,635	\$200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$5,270	\$3,953	\$2,635
\$00701 to \$00800	\$5,170	\$3,878	\$2,585	\$300	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$5,170	\$3,878	\$2,585
\$00801 to \$00900	\$5,070	\$3,803	\$2,535	\$400	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$5,070	\$3,803	\$2,535
\$00901 to \$01000	\$4,970	\$3,728	\$2,485	\$500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$4,970	\$3,728	\$2,485
\$01001 to \$01100	\$4,870	\$3,653	\$2,435	\$600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$4,870	\$3,653	\$2,435
\$01101 to \$01200	\$4,770	\$3,578	\$2,385	\$700	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$4,770	\$3,578	\$2,385
\$01201 to \$01300	\$4,670	\$3,503	\$2,335	\$800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,470	\$4,670	\$3,503	\$2,335
\$01301 to \$01400	\$4,570	\$3,428	\$2,285	\$910	\$110	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,428	\$2,285
\$01401 to \$01500	\$4,470	\$3,353	\$2,235	\$1,010	\$210	\$158	\$105	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$01501 to \$01600	\$4,370	\$3,278	\$2,185	\$1,110	\$310	\$233	\$155	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$01601 to \$01700	\$4,270	\$3,203	\$2,135	\$1,210	\$410	\$308	\$205	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$01701 to \$01800	\$4,170	\$3,128	\$2,085	\$1,310	\$510	\$383	\$255	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$01801 to \$01900	\$4,070	\$3,053	\$2,035	\$1,410	\$610	\$458	\$305	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$01901 to \$02000	\$3,970	\$2,978	\$1,985	\$1,510	\$710	\$533	\$355	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,511	\$2,340
\$02001 to \$02100	\$3,870	\$2,903	\$1,935	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$128	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,415	\$2,276
\$02101 to \$02200	\$3,770	\$2,828	\$1,885	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$228	\$0	\$0	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,340	\$2,226
\$02201 to \$02300	\$3,670	\$2,753	\$1,835	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$328	\$125	\$125	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,390	\$2,301
\$02301 to \$02400	\$3,570	\$2,678	\$1,785	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$428	\$175	\$175	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,365	\$2,301
\$02401 to \$02500	\$3,470	\$2,603	\$1,735	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$528	\$225	\$225	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,340	\$2,301
\$02501 to \$02600	\$3,370	\$2,528	\$1,685	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$628	\$275	\$275	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,315	\$2,301
\$02601 to \$02700	\$3,270	\$2,453	\$1,635	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$728	\$325	\$325	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,290	\$2,301
\$02701 to \$02800	\$3,170	\$2,378	\$1,585	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$828	\$375	\$375	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,265	\$2,301
\$02801 to \$02900	\$3,070	\$2,303	\$1,535	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$928	\$425	\$425	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,240	\$2,301
\$02901 to \$03000	\$2,970	\$2,228	\$1,485	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,028	\$475	\$475	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,215	\$2,301
\$03001 to \$03100	\$2,870	\$2,153	\$1,435	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,128	\$525	\$525	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,190	\$2,301
\$03101 to \$03200	\$2,770	\$2,078	\$1,385	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,228	\$575	\$575	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,165	\$2,301
\$03201 to \$03300	\$2,670	\$2,003	\$1,335	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,328	\$625	\$625	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,140	\$2,301
\$03301 to \$03400	\$2,570	\$1,928	\$1,285	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,428	\$675	\$675	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,115	\$2,301
\$03401 to \$03500	\$2,470	\$1,853	\$1,235	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,528	\$725	\$725	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,090	\$2,301
\$03501 to \$03600	\$2,370	\$1,778	\$1,185	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,628	\$775	\$775	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,065	\$2,301
\$03601 to \$03700	\$2,270	\$1,703	\$1,135	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,728	\$825	\$825	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,040	\$2,301

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\$03701 to \$03800	\$2,170	\$1,628	\$1,085	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,828	\$875	\$875	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$3,015	\$2,301
\$03801 to \$03900	\$2,070	\$1,553	\$1,035	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$1,928	\$925	\$925	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,990	\$2,301
\$03901 to \$04000	\$1,970	\$1,478	\$985	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,028	\$975	\$975	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,965	\$2,301
\$04001 to \$04100	\$1,870	\$1,403	\$935	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,128	\$1,025	\$1,025	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,940	\$2,301
\$04101 to \$04200	\$1,770	\$1,328	\$885	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,228	\$1,075	\$1,075	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,915	\$2,301
\$04201 to \$04300	\$1,670	\$1,253	\$835	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,328	\$1,125	\$1,125	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,890	\$2,301
\$04301 to \$04400	\$1,570	\$1,178	\$785	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,428	\$1,175	\$1,175	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,865	\$2,301
\$04401 to \$04500	\$1,470	\$1,103	\$735	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,528	\$1,225	\$1,225	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,840	\$2,301
\$04501 to \$04600	\$1,370	\$1,028	\$685	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,628	\$1,275	\$1,275	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,815	\$2,301
\$04601 to \$04700	\$1,270	\$953	\$635	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,728	\$1,325	\$1,325	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,790	\$2,301
\$04701 to \$04800	\$1,170	\$878	\$585	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,828	\$1,375	\$1,375	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,765	\$2,301
\$04801 to \$04900	\$1,070	\$803	\$0	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$2,928	\$1,425	\$1,425	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,740	\$1,766
\$04901 to \$05000	\$970	\$728	\$0	\$1,482	\$682	\$512	\$341	\$3,028	\$1,475	\$1,475	\$5,480	\$4,680	\$2,715	\$1,816
\$05001 to \$05100	\$870	\$653	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,670	\$2,870	\$2,153	\$1,000
\$05101 to \$05200	\$770	\$0	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,570	\$2,770	\$1,500	\$1,000
\$05201 to \$05300	\$670	\$0	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,470	\$2,670	\$1,500	\$1,000
\$05301 to \$05328	\$606	\$0	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,406	\$2,606	\$1,500	\$1,000
\$05329 to \$05500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,800	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000
\$05501 to \$06000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,700	\$1,900	\$1,425	\$950	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,700	\$1,900	\$1,425	\$950
\$06001 to \$06500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,600	\$1,800	\$1,350	\$900	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,600	\$1,800	\$1,350	\$900
\$06501 to \$07000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,500	\$1,700	\$1,275	\$850	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,500	\$1,700	\$1,275	\$850
\$07001 to \$07500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,400	\$1,600	\$1,200	\$800	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,400	\$1,600	\$1,200	\$800
\$07501 to \$08000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,300	\$1,500	\$1,125	\$750	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,300	\$1,500	\$1,125	\$750
\$08001 to \$08500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,300	\$1,500	\$1,125	\$750	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,300	\$1,500	\$1,125	\$750
Total														