

HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

SBCC makes several financial aid resources available to its students including state, federal, and local funds. Some funds are need-based, meaning the funds go to the most financially needy students who qualify first. There are also non need-based funds which are available to any students who qualify for the programs regardless of their income or that of their parents. Please refer to the Financial Aid Office's [Types of Aid](#) webpage for detailed information.

Need-based programs include Pell Grant, Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (SEOG), subsidized student loans, work-study, Board of Governor's Fee Waiver Program (BOG), [Cal Grant](#), and some scholarships.

Non need-based programs include unsubsidized student loans, parent loans, alternative loans, and some scholarships.

Students who would like to be considered for financial aid must apply using either the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid](#) (FAFSA) or the BOG. Both forms can be found on the Financial Aid Office's website or by following the hyperlinks above and below. Some financial aid resources require a student to submit additional application materials; scholarships, for example, might have a completely separate form to submit to the funding agency. The Financial Aid Office is not responsible for the application process of outside resources like non-SBCC scholarships, but all students are encouraged to apply for scholarships that might contribute to their financial resources while attending college.

Federal – *All Title IV Aid (Pell, SEOG, FWS, Student and Parent Loans)*
www.fafsa.ed.gov

State

Board of Governors Fee Waiver – http://www.sbccc.edu/financialaid/types_of_aid.php

Cal Grant – <http://www.csac.ca.gov/doc.asp?ID=20>

Chafee Grant – <http://www.csac.ca.gov/doc.asp?id=936>

Scholarships

Foundation Scholarships - http://www.sbccc.edu/financialaid/scholarships_sbccc.php