

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT GUIDE

Additional information for each award below and other awards available can be found on the [Office of Student Financial Aid \(OSFA\) website](#). The sum of all Financial Aid awards cannot exceed your total Cost of Attendance (shown on award letter). Changes in your enrollment hours, housing, tuition differentials, etc. may result in an adjustment to your Cost of Attendance and financial aid.

GRANTS - Click on a grant type for more detailed information on other eligibility requirements, deadlines, etc.

Federal Pell Grant (Appropriate percentage is adjusted at time of payment on student bill.)

Number of Hours Enrolled per Term	Percentage Disbursed of Eligible Amount
12+ hours (full-time)	100% of award
9-11 hours (part-time)	75% of award
6-8 hours (part-time)	50% of award
1-5 hours (less than half-time)	25% of award

Illinois MAP (Monetary Award Program) Grant (Appropriate percentage is adjusted at time of payment.)

Number of Hours Enrolled per Term	Approx. Percentage Disbursed of Eligible Amount	Number of Hours Enrolled per Term (Cont.)	Approx. Percentage Disbursed of Eligible Amount (Cont.)
15+	100%	8	53%
14	93%	7	47%
13	87%	6	40%
12	80%	5	33%
11	73%	4	27%
10	67%	3	20%
9	60%	0-2	0%

UIC Access to Excellence Grant

Number of Hours Enrolled per Term	Eligible?
6+ hours (at least half-time)	YES
1-5 hours (less than half-time)	NO

UIC Housing Assistance Grant

(Available for students living on campus with an EFC (Expected Family Contribution) of 0 - 2,000.)

Number of Hours Enrolled per Term	Eligible?
6+ hours (at least half-time)	YES
1-5 hours (less than half-time)	NO

LOANS FOR UNDERGRADUATES

[Federal Loan](#) - Click on a loan type for more information on other requirements, deadlines, loan limits, etc.

Federal Loan Type	Minimum Enrollment Requirement
Direct Stafford Subsidized Loan (Requires financial need)	6 hours (at least half-time)
Direct Stafford Unsubsidized Loan	6 hours (at least half-time)
Direct Parent PLUS Loan (Requires an approved credit check of parent)	6 hours (at least half-time)

Students Graduating in Fall Only – Loan Proration Applies

Fall graduates will have their annual Stafford (Subsidized and Unsubsidized only) loans prorated per the table below:

Number of Hours Enrolled for Fall	Percentage Eligible	Number of Hours Enrolled for Fall (Continued)	Percentage Eligible (Continued)
24	100%	14	58.3%
23	95.8%	13	54.2%
22	91.7%	12	50.0%
21	87.5%	11	45.8%
20	83.3%	10	41.7%
19	79.2%	09	37.5%
18	75.0%	08	33.3%
17	70.8%	07	29.2%
16	66.7%	06	25.0%
15	62.5%	0-5	0%