

# OPPORTUNITY GRANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

## Policies & Procedures

### *To be eligible for the grant you must;*

- Be a Washington State Resident (*as defined by RCW 28B.15.012*)
- Have a family income that is at or below 200% of the federal poverty level
- Demonstrate financial need (**Must apply for Financial aid @ [WWW.FAFSA.edu.gov](http://WWW.FAFSA.edu.gov)** Federal school code **Seattle Vocational Institute: 030521**)
- Enroll in the designated career pathways: **Administrative Office Professional (AOP)/ Health Unit Coordinator (HUC)/ Computer-Based Accounting (CBA)/Pre-Apprenticeship Construction Training (PACT) / Nursing Assistant (NA)/ Phlebotomy**
- Not possess a Degree and/or Certificate

### *To remain eligible you must:*

- Be enrolled in classes required for your pathway
- Maintain good standing with college and maintain a minimum of a 2.0 GPA (*grade point average*)
- Complete course(s) on time
- Complete appropriate number of instructional hours based on enrollment status.

### *If Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) requirements are not met, you will be placed on **PROBATION** for the following:*

- Cumulative GPA drops below 2.0
- Poor attendance

### *You become ineligible for the grant if you:*

- Complete fewer hours than required for SAP
- Fail to establish SAP while on probation
- Obtain the maximum number of **required instructional hours** for your pathway
- Reached the maximum time of three (3) years from the receipt of your first Opportunity Grant has been reached

*\* Students failing to meet the academic requirements will be suspended with the option to appeal. They may meet with the Opportunity Grant Coordinator or the Dean of Students Financial Services to petition for reinstatement, based on extenuating circumstances.*

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Signature (Student)

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Signature (Opportunity Grant Coordinator or Representative)



*\*Student's signature acknowledges their understanding of the eligibility requirements*

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