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Student Financial Aid Services

Tarrant County College recently notified you that your Financial Aid Award Letter was available online at MyTCCTrack. Included in this financial aid package was the following Texas Educational Opportunity Grant (TEOG). To determine your eligibility for this grant included on your Award Letter, please complete and return the Statement of Student Eligibility to your campus Student Financial Aid Services Office as soon as possible. Additional guidelines for the grants are listed below.

Texas Educational Opportunity Grant Program (TEOG) Eligibility Requirements are:

- Have a *Statement of Student Eligibility* form on file with the Student Financial Aid Services Office
- Have not attempted more than 30 semester credit hours (1st year award)
- Enroll in at least six credit hours each semester
- Registered with Selective Service or be exempt
- Complete 67 percent of hours enrolled with a 2.0 GPA the first year you receive the grant
- Complete 75 percent of hours enrolled with a 2.5 GPA for renewal award in all subsequent years
- Not be concurrently receiving a Texas Grant
- Not have completed an Associate Degree or higher
- Not have attempted more than 75 total semester hours (including accepted transferred hours)

Statement of Student Eligibility

Have you ever been **convicted** of a felony or an offense under Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code (Texas Controlled Substances Act), or under the law of another jurisdiction involving a controlled substance as defined by Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code?

☐ **NO**

☐ ***YES**
(* Must complete Secondary Review Section on back)

SIGNATURE - Application can contain wet (physical) and electronic (digital) signature(s).

I hereby certify that the information I have provided is true and correct. I understand that if I fail to provide accurate information, I may be required to reimburse the institution and penalties may be imposed. I understand that it is my responsibility to inform Tarrant County College if the status of my eligibility changes.

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Student Signature   Printed   TCC ID #   Date

Please note: We are unable to complete the review process until all requirements have been met and documentation received. Please allow 7 - 10 business days to review. All documents are reviewed in the order in which they are received

Each campus location, hours, mailing address and fax number may be found online at **www.tccd.edu/financialaid**
Student Financial Aid Services -Phone (817)515-4AID, Email: **financial.aid@tccd.edu**

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Secondary Review Section

If your answer is yes, you must complete this section before submitting this form to the Student Financial Aid Office for us to determine your eligibility to receive a TEOG.

A student may be eligible for the TEOG funds if they have indicated they have been **convicted** of a felony or an offense under Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code (Texas Controlled Substances Act), or under the law of another jurisdiction involving a controlled substance as defined by Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code if they have received:

1. A certificate of discharge by the Texas Department of Criminal justice or a correctional facility **OR** completed a period of probation ordered by a court **AND** at least <u>two years have elapsed</u> from the date of receipt or completion; or

2. A pardon had the record of the offense expunged from the person's records, or otherwise been released from the resulting ineligibility to receive a grant under this subchapter.

If you meet one or more of the above-mentioned resolutions and you can provide supporting documentation, follow the instruction provided below.

Please check all that apply, provide required supporting documentation, sign, and return completed form to the financial aid office.

☐ At least two years has elapsed since I have completed a prison sentence or parole in Texas.

     o Must provide Certificate of Discharge

     o County where parole occurred: _____

☐ At least two years has elapsed since I have completed a prison sentence or parole outside of Texas

     o Must provide Certificate of Discharge (TCC Chief or Assistant Chief of Police may be able to assist you)

     o County & State were placed on parole occurred: _____

☐ At least two years has elapsed since I have completed probation in Texas, or elsewhere

     o Must provide documentation of probation

     o County were placed on probation: _____

☐ I have been pardoned, had my record expunged or have been "otherwise released from the resulting eligibility to receive state grant."

     o Must provide documentation of item above

I, _____, certify all the information provided is complete and accurate.
Print Student Name

_____   _____   _____
Student Signature   *Student ID#*   *Date*