

## Financial Aid Insider



**Attention Financial Aid Students:** You are only eligible to receive Title IV funding (PELL, loans, SEOG, etc.) for classes that start and end within the academic semester, they cannot overlap semester. Also, as a reminder, your classes must be on your degree plan.

### CTC Financial Aid Term Dates

Fall 18'	Aug 13-Dec 31
Spring 19'	Jan 1-May 12
Summer 19'	May 13-Aug 11

### CHANGES TO THE FAFSA PROCESS FOR 2018-2019

As of Oct. 1, 2017, students have been able to complete the 2018-2019 FAFSA using the 2016 Tax Return information. This earlier submission date will be a permanent change, enabling students to complete and submit a FAFSA as early as October 1 every year. Key dates below:

School Year Dates	FA Year	Submit FAFSA Dates	Tax Year
August 13, 2018-August 11, 2019	2018-2019	October 1, 2017-June 30, 2019	2016
August 12, 2019-August 9, 2020	2019-2020	October 1, 2018- June 30, 2020	2017

#### Priority Deadlines for Submitting Your FAFSA to CTC:

Fall:	June 1st
Spring:	Oct 1st
Summer:	April 1st

#### Deadlines for Applying for Loans:

Fall:	Oct 26th
Spring:	March 22nd
Summer:	June 14th

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Apply for Scholarships

Fall: **January 1-March 31st**  
 Spring: **August 1-September 30th**

#### Financial Aid Bookstore Charging

**August 1-July 8**

*\* provided student has available funds.*

#### Central Campus

##### 16-Week classes:

Begin: **August 27th**

Last day to register: **August 31st**

##### 2nd 8-week classes:

Begin: **October 22nd**

Last day register: **October 26th**

#### Holidays-CTC CLOSED

Labor Day	September 3rd
Veteran's Day	November 12th
Thanksgiving	Nov 19th-23rd
Christmas Break	Dec 19th-Jan 1st

## Helpful Tips for Students

### Log Into Your Eaglemail!

1. www.ctcd.edu-Student Tools-Email
2. The format for CTC EagleMail addresses is (first initial)(last name)@stu.ctcd.edu. As duplicate usernames occur, a sequential number will be assigned, such as (first initial) (last name)2@stu.ctcd.edu.
3. Your Initial password will be (first initial)(last initial) and date of birth(mmddyy)
4. This will be your PRIMARY email for correspondence from CTC
5. Check to see if CTC Financial Aid has sent you an email requesting Information

### Log Into Your Webadvisor!

1. Your User Name is the letter 'c'(lowercase) + your CTC ID (ex:c1234567)
2. Your initial Password will be your date of birth(mmddyy)
3. If Eligible-Accept Awards
4. Register For Classes
5. 10 Days before the start date of each class, financial aid is released to the business office to pay for classes and allow book store charging.
6. Pay any balance that financial aid does not cover
7. Set Up your Direct Deposit for any refunds that might be due to you (usually released by the business office 30 days after class(es) start date)

## STEPS TO FINANCIAL AID

### WHERE TO START

**FAFSA**  
It's Easier  
Than you  
Think!

1. APPLY for admissions to **CTC**
2. CREATE your FSA ID **HERE** \*
3. APPLY for **FAFSA**
4. SELECT the correct academic year you wish to apply for
5. ENTER CTC's school code (004003) into the FAFSA
6. SIGN your FAFSA with your FSA ID \*
7. CTC will receive your FAFSA in 3-5 business days.

\* If you are considered a dependent student, your parent(s) will also need to do this

#### INDEPENDENT FEDERAL LOAN MAXIMUMS

Classification	Undergrad
Freshman (0-30 credit hrs)	\$9,500 (\$3,500 max sub)
Sophomore (31-72 credit hrs)	\$10,500 (\$4,500 max sub)

#### DEPENDENT FEDERAL LOAN MAXIMUMS

Classification	Undergrad
Freshman (0-30 credit hrs)	\$5,500 (\$3,500 max sub)
Sophomore (31+)	\$6,500 (\$4,500 max sub)

#### LOAN INTEREST RATES 2018-2019

Loan Type	Fixed Rate
Direct Sub	5.05%
Direct Unsub	5.05%
Direct Plus	7.6%

### SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS

SAP Requirements for financial aid assistance:

- ◆ Maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher for all classes attempted
- ◆ Successfully complete a minimum of 67% attempted credit hours
- ◆ Have not attempted more than 150% of the allowed number of credit hours in program

For more information regarding the SAP Policy please visit:

[Maintaining Eligibility](#)

\*A tool is available to help students "ESTIMATE" their Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress. You can use the [GPA Calculator](#) or the [Completion Rate Calculator](#), however this is only an estimate.

**Note:** Not attending class is not withdrawing. Please complete the necessary forms in the Records/Registration office to drop or withdraw any classes.

CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE  
Financial Aid Office Location:  
Bldg. 111 Room 121  
Hours: M-TH 7:30am-5:30PM  
Fri 7:30AM-11:30am  
Phone: (254)526-1508  
E-mail: [financial.aid@ctcd.edu](mailto:financial.aid@ctcd.edu)

**CTC SCHOOL  
CODE  
004003**



### STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

#### Eligibility Requirements:

- Applied and completed the Financial Aid process:  
[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)
- Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above
- Enroll in a minimum of 6 credit hours (**Note:** 12 clock hours per week for CATE Center) NOT on
- Financial Aid Suspension, Automatic Suspension, or Maximum Timeframe.
- You must be eligible for employment with Central Texas College District.  
\*If interested please stop by the financial aid office to complete an application.  
\*A new application must be submitted every semester.

Frequently Asked Questions:

**FAQs**