

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 semesters. Don't forget that your classes are required to be on your degree plan.

CTC Financial Aid Term Dates

Summer 23' May 15 - August 13, 2023
 Fall 23' Aug 14 - Dec 31, 2023
 Spring 24' Jan 1 - May 12, 2024

Registration Deadlines

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| Summer 23' | April 3 – June 2, 2023 |
| Fall 23' | June 5 - August 25, 2023 |
| Spring 24' | October 23 -Jan 12, 2024 |

The FAFSA Process For 2023-2024

As of Oct. 1, 2022, students will be able to complete the 2023-2024 FAFSA using the 2021 Tax Return information. This earlier submission date will be a permanent change, enabling students to complete and submit a FAFSA as early as October 1st every year. Key dates below:

| School Year Dates | FA Year | Submit FAFSA Dates | Tax Year |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|----------|
| August 14, 2023-August 11, 2024 | 2023-2024 | October 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 | 2021 |

Priority Deadlines for Submitting your FAFSA to CTC:

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

Deadlines for Applying for Loans:

Fall: October 30th
 Spring: March 30th
 Summer: June 30th

IMPORTANT DATES

Apply for Scholarships

The Scholarship Application is closed

Holidays – CTC CLOSED

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| Labor Day | September 4, 2023 |
| Columbus Day | October 9, 2023 |
| Veterans Day | November 10, 2023 |
| Thanksgiving | Nov 20th-24th, 2023 |
| Christmas Break | Dec 18 th -Jan 1 st , 2024 |

Helpful Tips for Students

Log Into Your Eaglemail!

Students will receive an email with instructions for accessing their new CTC EagleMail account approximately three business days from the last day to drop your classes based on your class start date (the Census Date of the class). This activation email will go to the email address you have on file with CTC as your "primary" email. If you change your email prior to class enrollment, be sure to update your email address in Eagle Self-Service.

Log Into Your Eagle Self-Service!

1. Your permanent user ID is the letter 'c' (lowercase) + your 7-digit CTC ID. Example: c7894561; Your initial password is comprised of the first initial of your first name, first initial of your last name, six-digit date of birth followed by "ctcollege", all lower-case. Change password as requested.
2. View and accept any available awards.
3. 10 Days prior to each class start date, financial aid is released to the business office to pay for classes and allow book store charging.
4. Set up your Direct Deposit for any refunds that might be due to you (released by the business office approximately 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 at ctcd.edu
2. CREATE your FSA ID* <https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch>
3. SUBMIT the FAFSA form <https://studentaid.gov>
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 create an FSA ID AND sign the FAFSA form.

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 (31-72 credit hrs) | \$6,500 (\$4,500 max sub) |

LOAN INTEREST RATES 2023-2024

| Loan Type | Fixed Rate |
|--------------|------------|
| Direct Sub | 5.50% |
| Direct Unsub | 7.05% |
| Direct Plus | 8.05% |

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS

- 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 on the CTC Financial Aid Website.](#)

*A tool is available on the CTC website 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. 215 Room 121A
Hours: M-TH 7:30am-5:30pm
Fri 7:30am-11:30am
Phone: (254)-526-1508
Email: financial.aid@ctcd.edu

**CTC SCHOOL
CODE
004003**



WORK-STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Eligibility Requirements:

- Apply and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid process (FAFSA).
- Must maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA and Satisfactory Academic Standing
- Must NOT be on Financial Aid Suspension, Automatic Suspension, or Maximum Timeframe.
- Must be enroll in a minimum of 6 credit hours.
- You must be eligible for employment with Central Texas College District.

*If interested, please submit the 2023-2024 Work-Study Application 2023-2024 (eform application) and follow up with the FA office.

*A new Application must be submitted every academic year.

FAQs www.studentaid.gov