



Statement of Eligibility for State-Funded Programs

This form must be completed before a student **can be considered** for financial aid programs that are funded by the State of Texas. This includes the Texas Educational Opportunity Grant (TEOG), Texas Public Educational Grant (TPEG), Texas Work Study Program, and all other state funded programs. Incomplete forms will not be considered.

Submitting this form does not guarantee state funds will be awarded.

Student ID: _____ Name: _____

Each Recipients GPA and Completion rate must be monitored to ensure compliance as outlined below:

Academic Year	SAP Requirements	
End of the First Academic Year	Institutional SAP Policy	
End of the 2nd Academic year and all subsequent years.	Complete 75% of Attempted Semester Credit Hours	2.5 Cumulative GPA on a 4-point scale

Satisfactory Academic Progress – Maximum Time Frame

A student’s eligibility ends if any of the following maximums have been met, or the student earns an associate degree, whichever comes first.

Award Maximum Per Year	Award Maximum Based on Enrollment on Census Date			
	Full Time	3/4 Time	1/2 Time	< 1/2 Time
5190	1730	1730	1730	\$0

Time Limit	Attempted Hours	Hours While Receiving Grant Funds
4 years from the first semester award	75 SCH	75 SCH (No hardship allowed)

Have you ever been convicted of any felony? (If your conviction was classified as a misdemeanor, mark “No”)

No Yes

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

No Yes

If you answered “Yes” to either question, then you are not eligible for the TEOG award unless:

You have a certificate of discharge by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice or another correctional facility. You

have completed a period of probation ordered by a court and at least two years have elapsed from the date of the receipt of discharge or probation completion, or

You have been pardoned and the record of the offense has been expunged from your record.

If none apply to you, then you cannot be considered for the TEOG award.

Student ID _____

Name: _____

Statement of Child Support Arrearages

“Under Section 231.006, Family Code, the vendor of applicant certifies that the individual or business entity named in this contract, bid, or application is not ineligible to receive the specified grant, loan or payment and acknowledges that this contract may be terminated and payment may be withheld if this certification is inaccurate.”

A student who is obligated to pay child support and is more than 30 days delinquent cannot be considered for any state-funded grant or loan. Please answer questions below:

Are you currently more than 30 days delinquent on child support payments?

No Yes

If you answered “Yes”, then you are not eligible for state-funded grant or loan unless, (if applicable to you, make a selection below):

- All arrearages (late payments) have been paid,
- You are in compliance with a written repayment agreement or court order for the delinquency, or
- The court of jurisdiction over the child support order has granted you an exemption from being denied state-funded grants and loans as part of a court-supervised effort to improve earnings and child support payments.

If none apply to you, then you cannot be considered for any state-funded grant or loan.

Federal law requires almost all male U.S. citizens and immigrants, ages 18 to 25, to register with Selective Service. State law (Texas Education Code, Section 51.9095) requires students to submit this Statement of Selective Service Registration for all state-funded programs. Please mark only one option:

I was assigned the sex of “male” at birth, and I am registered.

I was assigned the sex of “female” at birth, and I am not required to register.

I was assigned the sex of “male” at birth, but I am not required to register because:

- I am under age 18
- I am over age 25
- I immigrated to the U.S. after age 25
- Other: _____

I was assigned the sex of “male” at birth, I am age 18 to 25, but I am not registered, and I am not exempt from registration. (Selecting this option means you cannot receive aid from any state-funded programs).

Certification and Signature

I, the undersigned student, hereby certify that:

- The information that I have provided for these statements of eligibility are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that, if I fail to provide accurate information, I will be required to reimburse Lamar State College Port Arthur for any funding I may have received for which I am not eligible and penalties may be imposed.
- I understand that, as long as I am attending Lamar State College Port Arthur, it is my responsibility to notify the Student Financial Aid office at LSCPA if there are any changes to the information I have provided in these statements of eligibility.

Student Signature

Date

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