



Financial Aid 2023-2024

Texas Public Education Grant (TPEG)

Continuing Education

TPEG is a grant designed to assist resident students with his/her cost of tuition and fees, when these expenses exceed the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) reported on their Student Aid Report (SAR). CE students do not qualify for Federal Student Aid (FSA) funds, however the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be a tool used to determine the amount of TPEG funds to be awarded. *TPEG funds are available for eligible students enrolled in the following CE Certificate programs:

Continuing Education (CE)

A+ Certification Training
Advance Pipe Welding
Advanced Cyber Security
Air Conditioning Technician (English/ Spanish)
AutoCAD Draftsman
Basic Computing
Basic Wastewater Operations
Basic Water Works Operations
CCNA-Cisco Certified Network Associate
Certified Nurse Aide
Child Development Associate
Cisco CCNA Micro Cred
Cloud+
Commercial Truck Driving
Comprehensive Medical Coding Systems
Computer Numerical Control Operator (CNC Operator)
Computer Numerical Control Programmer (CNC Programmer)
Construction Framer
Construction Framer
Construction Project Management
Cyber Security
Data Analytics
Drywall Installation and Repair
EKG Technician
Electrical Technician (English/Spanish)
Forklift Operator Certification
Human Resources
Industrial Pipefitter
Insurance Specialist
Introduction to Pipe Welding
Logistics & Supply Chain
Medical Business Office Professional
NCCER Scaffolding
Network+ Certification Training
Paralegal
Patient Care Technician
Phlebotomy Technician
Pipefitter Helper
Plumbing Technician
Programmable Logic Controllers
Project Management Basics
Public Safety Tele-Communicator (911 dispatcher)
Real Estate Specialist
Residential Construction
Retail Professional
Roustabout Drilling Technician (RigOne)
Sheet Metal Helper
Solar Installer
Stationary Engineer
Telemetry Technician
Unmanned Aircraft Systems
Welding Technician (English/Spanish)
Welding, TIG (GTAW)

Important Requirements for TPEG

- You must be registered in a course before TPEG can be posted to your account.
- You must pass all registered program coursework in order for subsequent coursework to be funded.
- You will be eligible for only one certificate per academic year to be funded by TPEG.
- You must meet Federal Student Aid guidelines.

How to Apply

- Step 1 Complete HCC Continuing Education Admission application at **hccs.edu**
- Step 2 Complete the FAFSA application at **studentaid.gov**
In order for Financial Aid to view your application, please enter the HCC School Code: 010422
- Step 3 Apply to the CE Program of interest by scheduling a meeting with the program representative.
Do not enroll/register for CE classes until you have been notified of TPEG approval.
- Step 4 TPEG eligibility status requirements will be determined in approximately 10-15 business days after all required application documentation is received.
TPEG award notification will be sent via email.
- Step 5 Once award notification is received, coordinate start date with CE Staff or Program Manager in order to register for classes.

*Funds are awarded to eligible applicants on a first-come, first-served basis while funds are available.

For more information visit **hccs.edu/ce** or call 713.718.8905 or email finaid.ce@hccs.edu.



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Student's Name (PRINT): _____ Phone: (____) _____

HCC ID: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Email: _____
(9-digit number required)

Complete this form to be considered for the Texas Public Educational Grant (TPEG). The TPEG is a grant designed to help Texas residents cover their tuition, and fees, when these expenses exceed the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) reported on their Student Aid Report (SAR). Books, materials and/or supplies that are not included in tuition are not funded by this grant.

Program of Interest	Projected Start Date	Tuition Cost

Certification

My **initials** certify that I meet or I will meet the student eligibility requirements as follows:

- _____ I have completed or will complete the 23-24 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- _____ I am a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen, have a high school diploma or GED, have registered with Selective Service (if required), not in Title IV default or overpayment, and meet satisfactory academic progress.
- _____ I meet the requirement to be admitted to one of the approved HCC Continuing Education Certificates eligible program.
- _____ I understand that I will only be eligible for one certificate to be funded by TPEG per academic year.
- _____ I understand that I must pass all registered program coursework in order for subsequent coursework to be funded.
- _____ I understand that TPEG is awarded to eligible applicants on a first-come, first-served basis while funds are available.
- _____ I understand that I will not register until funding is secure unless I am self-paying.
- _____ I understand that I cannot receive Title IV (Federal Aid) and Continuing Education TPEG concurrently in the same semester.

I certify that I read, understand, and agree to the Texas Public Education Grant (TPEG) eligibility criteria.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

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