



FINANCIAL AID TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Federal Financial Aid Regulations require students to consent to electronic communications. By accepting these Terms and Conditions, you are providing consent to the Office of Financial Aid & Student Employment to communicate information electronically as it pertains to financial aid. Your WCSU email account and WCSU BannerWeb account will be used as the primary sources of communicating information including, but not limited to financial aid requirements, awards, and disbursements, consistent with the Board of Regents Information Technology Policy (BOR-IT-002) on Electronic Communication. If you do not consent to electronic communications, you should not accept these Terms and Conditions. As a result of not consenting, you will not be able to view or accept your awards online. You must notify the Office of Financial Aid in writing in order to obtain a paper copy of your awards.

1. I understand that this award offer is contingent upon the information as submitted and verified on my FAFSA or AACTUS as applicable, federal and/ or state allocation of funds, and an initial assumed full time enrollment.
2. I understand that my award offer is based on my Institutional Housing Plans as indicated on my FAFSA or AACTUS as applicable. I understand that any inconsistencies between my FAFSA or AACTUS and actual charges may result in changes to my financial aid award(s).
3. I understand that financial aid requires me to be matriculated in a degree-granting program and enrolled at least half-time, in accordance with my program.
4. I understand that it is my responsibility to become familiar with and adhere to all federal, state and institutional requirements as they pertain to financial aid.
5. I understand that I must attend the courses for which I am registered. I understand that if I wish to cease attendance I must withdraw from the courses and/or university consistent with university policy through the Registrar's Office. I understand that if I cease attendance or never initiate attendance, my enrollment status and financial aid awards may be adjusted in accordance with federal regulations and university policy. Further, I understand that I will be responsible for any balances owed to the university and any repayment required to the Department of Education that result from this.
6. I understand that I must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress. Academic progress is evaluated at the end of each term. I understand that financial aid academic progress requirements may be separate and unique from the university academic progress requirements. I will familiarize myself with all academic progress requirements.
7. I understand that receipt of any financial assistance from outside sources, including, but not limited to, scholarships and RA/ARM exemptions, may result in adjustments to my financial aid award.



8. I understand that this award offer is not guaranteed each year. I understand that I must reapply for financial aid each year and that my award offer will be dependent upon the information provided on my application and funding availability.
9. I understand that the Office of Financial Aid & Student Employment will communicate important information and updates via email. I understand that I should access and use my WCSU email account (once activated) on a regular basis.