

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING SUMMER TERM PELL GRANT

March 23, 2011

Dear Student:

The Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA) has authorized eligible students to receive all or a portion of a second Pell Grant Award within one award year. The objective of this provision is to help eligible students accelerate their academic progress by receiving additional funds to attend during the 2011 summer term. **Students must be enrolled at least half-time to be eligible for a second summer Pell Grant Award.**

Effective summer 2011, Enterprise State Community College will award eligible students a second Pell Grant Award based on the FAFSA that yields the highest dollar award from either the 2010-2011 or 2011-2012 FAFSA. If you plan to attend summer 2011, you must complete the 2011-2012 FAFSA application online at www.fafsa.gov by April 1, 2011, and submit all required documents, if any, to the Financial Aid Office by April 15th.

If you plan to attend ESCC at least half-time this summer and wish to receive a second Pell Grant award, you must also complete the enclosed form and return to the Financial Aid Office on the campus you are currently attending. **This form must be received no later than Friday, April 15, 2011** so that we may process your summer award in a timely manner.

All funds from the first Pell Grant award must be utilized before ESCC can award a second Pell Grant Award for the Summer term. If you were not enrolled at any college during the Fall semester 2010, and Spring semester 2011 was your first semester attending college for the 2010-2011 award year, you are still eligible for your first Pell Grant Award and you do not have to return the form.

The second Pell Grant award **will not** show as a valid financial aid award at the time of early registration. **It will be necessary for ESCC to review your grades for the Spring 2011 semester before we can process your award for summer term. Second Pell awards will be posted to the ESCC's Alliant data management system as soon as possible after the Spring 2011 grades have been posted.**

If you have any questions, please contact the Financial Aid Office on either the Enterprise or Ozark campuses. For Enterprise or Fort Rucker, deliver your completed form to the Financial Aid Office on the Enterprise campus or fax your form to 334.347.5569.

For Ozark and all Aviation Centers, deliver your form to the Financial Aid Office on the Ozark campus or fax your form to 334.774.6399.

Summer 2011-2012 Second Pell Grant Award
Deadline to return form: Friday, April 15, 2011

Name: _____

Student ID: _____
or Social Security Number

I plan to attend the following campus:

Enterprise/Fort Rucker Ozark Mobile

Program of Study: _____

Did you receive a Pell Grant Fall semester 2010? Yes No

Did you receive a Pell Grant Spring semester 2011? Yes No

Did you attend a college other than ESCC in Fall 2010? Yes No

Do you plan to enroll Summer term 2011? Yes No

I plan to enroll summer term in the following number of credit hours:

Full-term session beginning May 31: _____ credit hours

1st Mini-session beginning May 31: _____ credit hours

2nd Mini-session beginning July 6: _____ credit hours

Please note: You must be enrolled in at least 6 credit hours (half-time) with classes beginning May 31st to charge your college expenses to the second Pell Grant award.

In order to determine your eligibility and process a second Pell Grant award for the summer term, this form must be received in the Financial Aid Office on the campus you are currently attending **no later than Friday, April 15, 2011.**

I understand that I am applying for a Summer 2011 Pell Grant. I understand that I must take at least 6 credit hours in my degree plan for Summer 2011, must make satisfactory academic progress, and must have completed at least 24 hours in my degree plan for 2010-2011, including the hours I plan to take this summer.

Signature: _____ Date: _____