

Garden State Guarantee



All full time NJ resident students or NJ Dreamers with the following criteria will have NO TUITION COSTS.

- Full time enrollment in the following terms:
 - 12 week terms - September, October, November, December, January, February, March, April or May (June, July and August excluded)
 - 16 week terms - March and November (July term is excluded)
- Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) between \$0 and \$65,000
For an explanation of AGI, please visit <https://www.irs.gov/e-file-providers/definition-of-adjusted-gross-income>
- Must be in third or fourth year at start of term (definition of 3rd year is at least 60 credits towards their first Bachelor's degree; and 4th year is at least 90 credits towards their degree)
- Must not have already received four Garden State Guarantee Scholarships

The Garden State Guarantee scholarship will be applied to student accounts after any federal or state grants, or other scholarships. Students must demonstrate Satisfactory Academic Progress for eligibility for Financial Aid.

This program requires a FAFSA application be submitted. Please designate TESU on your FAFSA document and submit your FAFSA as soon as possible.

Students are required to meet satisfactory academic progress and course engagement standards in order for the Garden State Guarantee award to be applied.

Deadline for filing for students who were awarded Tuition Aid Grant (TAG) the prior year is 4/15/24. Deadline for filing for Fall 2024 is 9/15/24 and 2/15/24 for Spring of 2025.

The Garden State Guarantee is New Jersey's promise to make a college degree more accessible and affordable at in-state public colleges and universities.

HOW TO APPLY:

You will automatically be considered for the Garden State Guarantee when you complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or, if you qualify as a NJ Dreamer, the NJ Alternative Financial Aid Application and designate TESU as an institution to receive your FAFSA.

To be eligible for this program, you must submit a FAFSA. If you have not already done so, please submit your FAFSA as soon as possible and choose TESU from the drop down menu.

For questions, contact Admissions:

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