



Stay on Track





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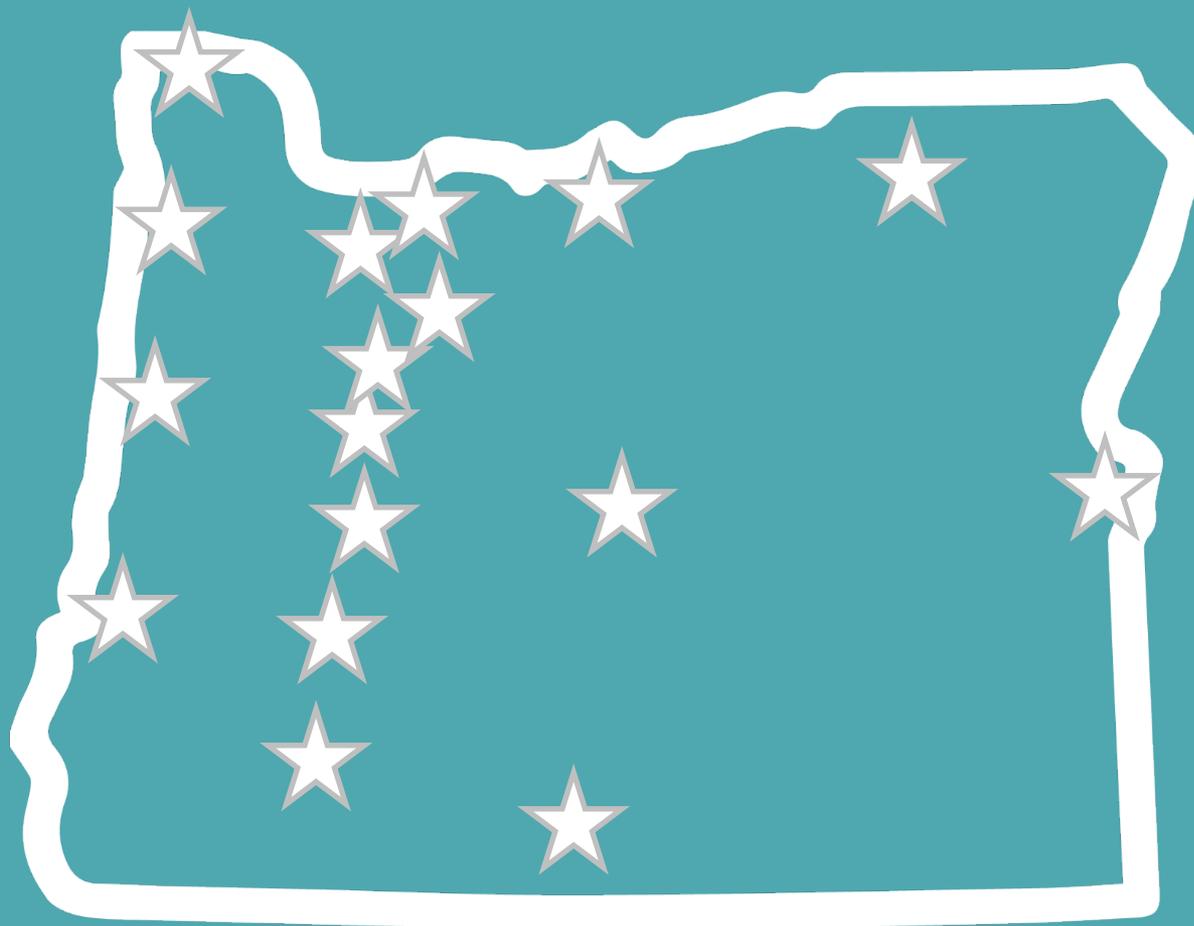
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Overview & Support



You *are* Oregon Promise.



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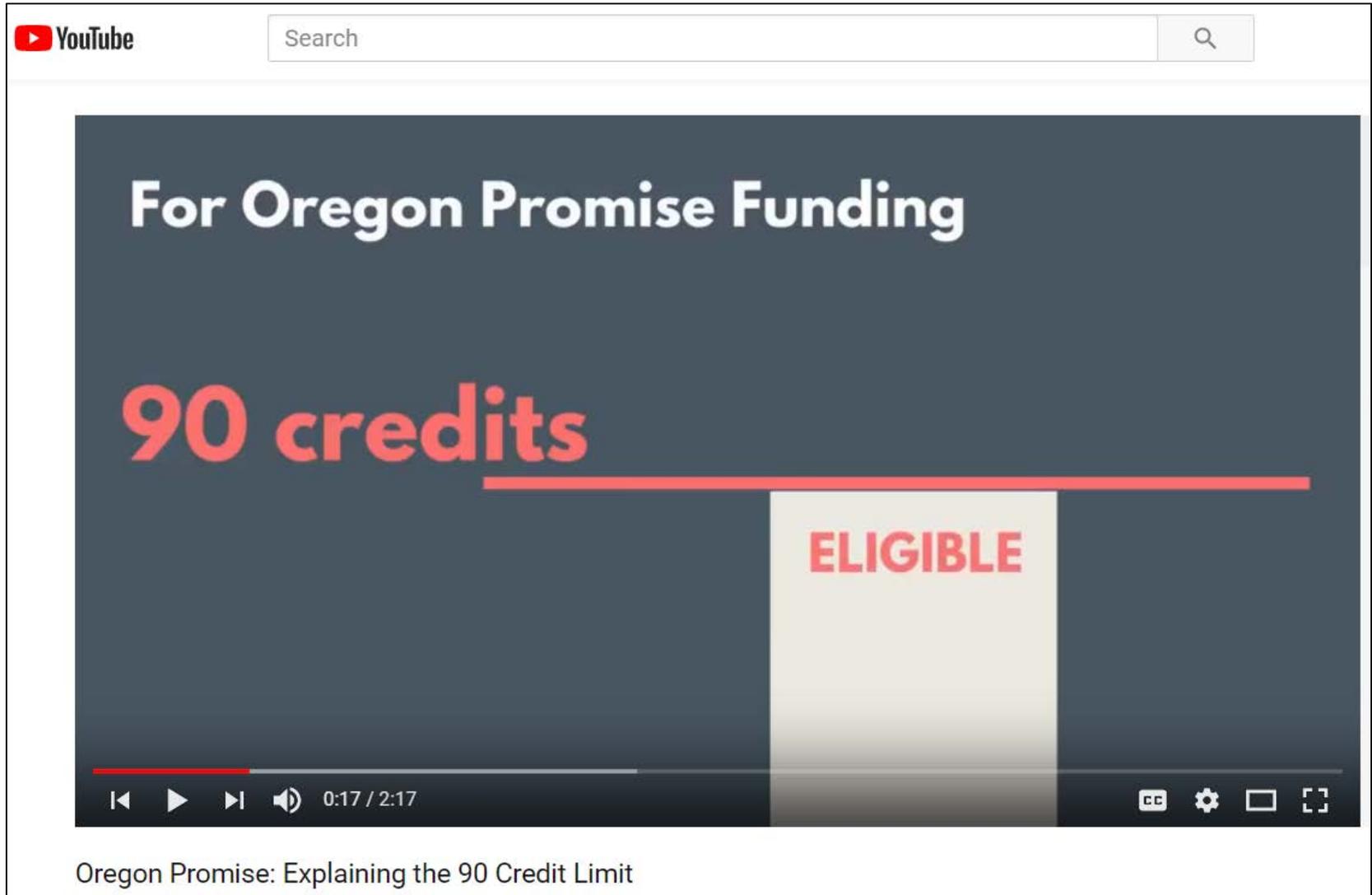
Oregon Promise Frequently Asked Questions

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Legislative Update for Oregon Promise

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OSAC Oregon YouTube Channel



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YouTube

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Oregon Promise: Explaining the 90 Credit Limit



NEED SUPPORT



Contact OSAC:

info@oregonpromise.org

541.687.7400

Contact your college Financial Aid Office



How to Renew & Remain Eligible



How do I renew the Oregon Promise Grant each year?



File the FAFSA or ORSAA by **June 1**.
No other application is required.



If selected for FAFSA verification, you must submit all requested documents to your college financial aid office. If you don't complete this by fall term, your award will be cancelled.



When will I know if I'm receiving Oregon Promise for next year?



OSAC will start awarding renewal students in June.



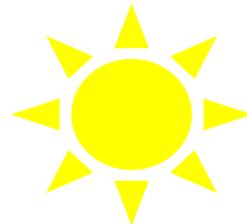
Keep your email address updated in the OSAC Student Portal – check your email for an award notification.



Which terms am I required to attend?

- ✓ Fall
- ✓ Winter
- ✓ Spring

Summer is NOT required – Oregon Promise does not pay for summer classes (but summer credits DO count toward the 90 credit limit).

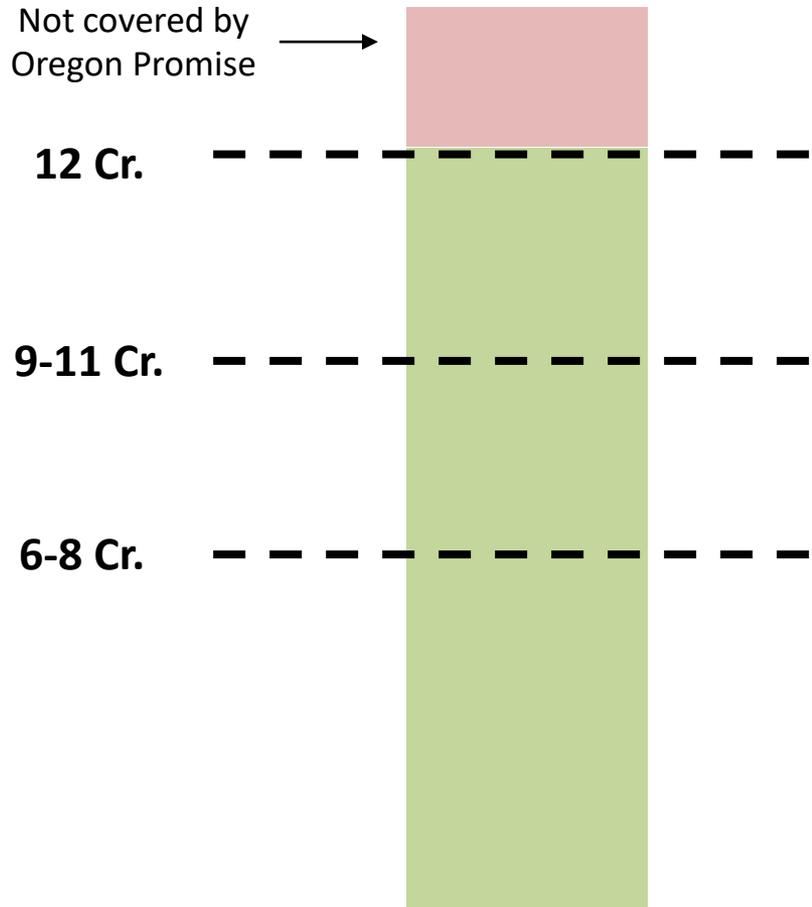




How many credits do I need to take each term?

Minimum of 6 credits per term

You'll receive different award amounts based on how many credits you take.





When do I have to complete First-Year Experience (FYE)?

During your first **three terms** of Oregon Promise.



FYE helps you to be a successful college student. Each college has a unique FYE program. To learn more about the requirement, talk to your college Financial Aid Office.



True or False?

I can only receive Oregon Promise for two years.

FALSE. You can receive Oregon Promise until you have a total of **90 attempted college credits**.

You might receive Oregon Promise for less than two years *or* more than two years – it depends on how quickly you take credits.

Watch the

[90 Credit Limit video:](#)



90 Credit Limit

All college credits attempted count towards the 90 credit limit, including credits taken in high school.

Once a student has attempted 90 college credits, they will no longer receive Oregon Promise funding.

EXAMPLE:



High School Student
Takes 10 college level
credits.



90 - 10 = 80 credits



Oregon Promise will cover
up to 80 under Oregon
Promise.

Understanding Your Award Amount



Award Amounts for Full-Time Students

Awards range from **\$1,000** to **\$3,540*** per year. Award amounts will *vary each year* based on tuition costs, and are subject to legislative approval.

* 2017-2018



Varying Award Amounts - 4 Factors:

- ✓ Co-Pay
- ✓ Tuition Cost
- ✓ Number of Credits
- ✓ Federal Pell Grant
& Oregon Opportunity Grant

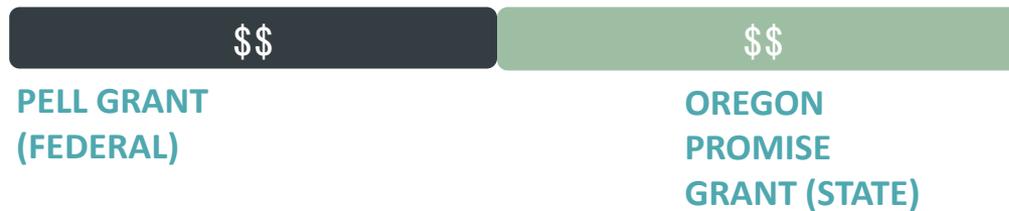
Three Sample Students



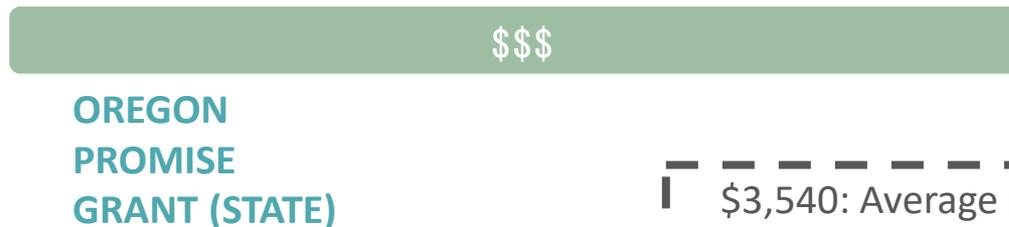
Student A: Lower Expected Family Contribution



Student B: Moderate Expected Family Contribution



Student C: Higher Expected Family Contribution



\$3,540: Average cost for 3 terms @
12 credits (2017-18)



Oregon Promise helps you pay for TUITION

REMEMBER,

there are other costs to go to college, such as...



Room and Board



*Books and
Supplies*



Fees



Special Situations



What if I'm not making *Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)*?

Oregon Promise will not pay for credits if you are failing to meet SAP.

To maintain your Oregon Promise renewal eligibility for next year, you must still take at least **6 credits each term**.

Work with your college Financial Aid Office on a **SAP appeal**, or any other requirements to get back on track.

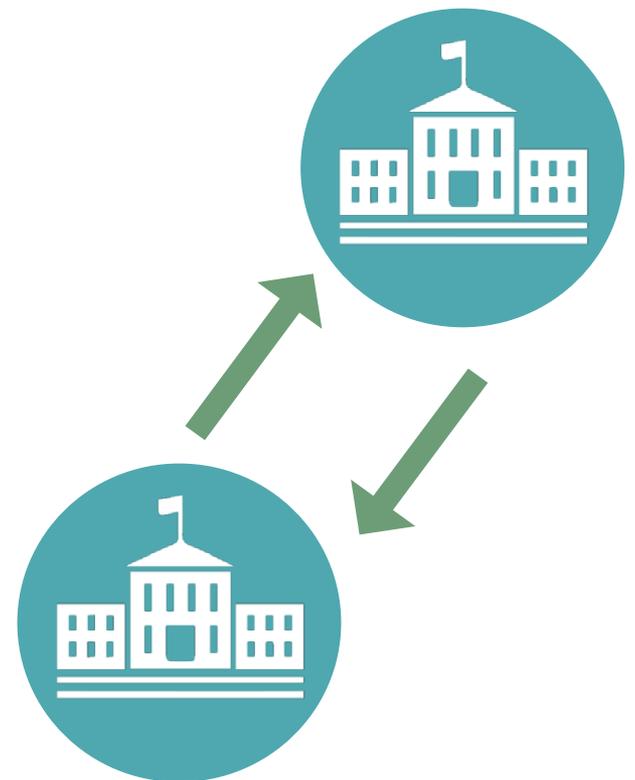


What should I know if I'm dual enrolled?

Be sure to complete your school's dual enrollment process and list your community college as your **home college**.

Oregon Promise only pays for credits you take at the community college.

However, credits taken at *both* colleges count toward the 90 credit limit for Oregon Promise.

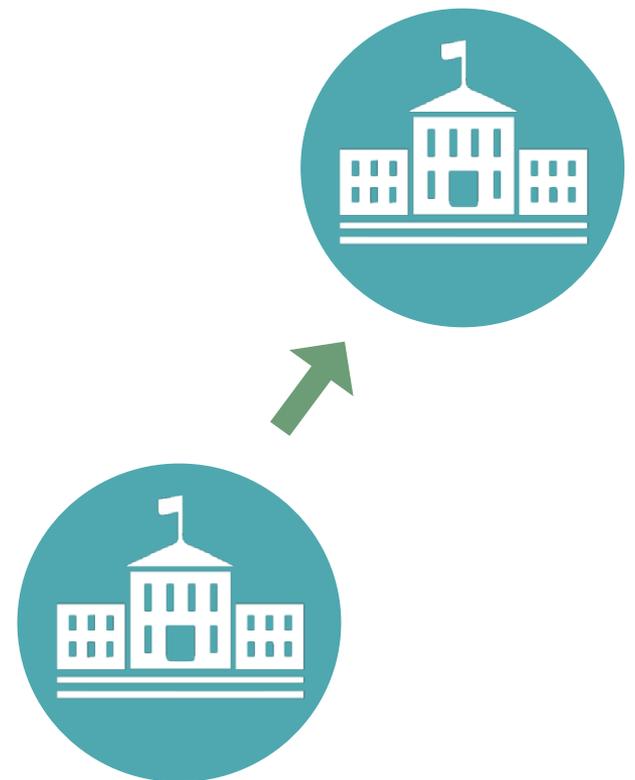




What if I transfer to another community college?

Be sure to **update your college list** on the FAFSA or ORSAA immediately, with your new college.

Follow up with your new Financial Aid Office at the college, to make sure that you have completed all requirements.





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