OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL AID SERVICES

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FALL 2021 NEWSLETTER



WELCOME BACK, HUSKIES! We are excited to share the first volume of our Financial Aid Newsletter. Stay informed on important updates and announcements. We look forward to seeing you in person! Please visit us in the Wilbur Cross Building, main floor (across from the Office of the Registrar). We hope you have a great fall semester, go Huskies!

Financial Aid and the Fee Bill

Before financial aid can defer to the fee bill, all checklist items must be completed. Have you completed all necessary requirements? View your checklist items at s.uconn.edu/financialaidandfeebill

What About My Refund?

Outstanding financial aid requirements will hold up refund disbursements. Refunds are issued by the Office of the Bursar, beginning the first week of classes. To ensure timely processing of your refund, enroll in direct deposit online. For assistance, visit **s.uconn.edu/directdeposit**

American Rescue Plan (ARP)

Approved by Congress and includes support for higher education, including emergency grants for students facing expenses due to COVID-19. This includes 3 phases of awarding: Summer, Fall, and Spring.

For details, visit financialaid.uconn.edu/arp



DAY 10...What's That?

Day 10 (UConn's fixed enrollment date)

September 13th is the last day to add, drop, or change classes. Initial financial aid offers are estimated based on anticipated enrollment (assumed to be full-time for all students). Final award amounts will be determined based on a student's actual enrollment status as of the fixed enrollment date (Day 10 of classes) each semester.

Full-time status is 12+ credits for Undergraduate students and 9+ credits for Graduate students. For Graduate Assistants, full-time status is 6+ credits.

How Does Day 10 Impact Your Aid?

Students who are enrolled less than full-time on Day 10 (9/13) will have adjustments (reductions) made to their financial aid offers. Financial aid offers will be adjusted after the tenth day of classes to reflect the number of credits enrolled in as of 9/13 (Day 10). Look out for an email communication if this impacts you!

REMEMBER

- University Grant funding is available to eligible students with full-time enrollment.
- Pell Grants will be prorated based on the number of credits enrolled in as of 9/13
- Half-time enrollment is required for Federal Loan eligibility

Student Employment Updates and Reminders

- Minimum wage to increase to \$13.00 per hour, effective August 1st
- Friday, September 17th is the last day to secure employment through the Federal Work-Study program
- Fall Work-Study begins on August 27th
- Fall Work-Study ends on December 16th
- September 24th is the last day for employers to submit their hires into CORE-CT

Need assistance finding a job?

Visit studentjobs.uconn.edu to get started!

Questions?

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Visit: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m.–5 p.m., (no appointment is necessary)

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