

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

MONETARY AWARD PROGRAM (MAP)

By applying for financial aid and agreeing to share that information with the Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) you have been considered for the State of Illinois (IL) Monetary Award Program (MAP) Grant. If you were determined to meet the eligibility criteria for the MAP grant, an award is included on this award letter. This award may be an estimate made by the financial aid office and, if so, is identified as a “State of IL MAP Grant (Est)”. MAP grants are limited based on the number of applicants and funding levels appropriated by the Illinois General Assembly. Please be aware that in light of state funding constraints, reductions to estimated or actual MAP grants are possible.

Starting with the 2004-05 academic year, eligibility for a MAP grant is being tracked by the equivalent number of semester credit hours of MAP benefits paid on your behalf. This is called MAP Paid Credit Hours. Payment for each term is being made according to the equivalent number of credit hours eligible for MAP payment, with a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 15 MAP Paid Credit Hours.

There is a limit on the number of MAP Paid Credit Hours that can be paid while you are classified by your school as a freshman and sophomore. This limit is the equivalent of 75 MAP Paid Credit Hours. If the maximum is reached, you must attain junior status for your MAP grant eligibility to resume. The maximum number of MAP Paid Credit Hours that can be received is capped at 135.

If a State of Illinois MAP Grant (Est) is not included in your award letter, you are not eligible for the grant at Eureka College.

FEDERAL WORK STUDY (FWS)

If you were determined to meet the eligibility criteria for Federal Work Study, it will be indicated on your award letter. You will be allowed to interview for any open position on-campus. Once you have secured a position, and have filled out the necessary paperwork (W-4, I-9, copies of your driver’s license and Social Security Card) you will be paid every two weeks for the hours worked.

CAMPUS EMPLOYERS (If budget available.)

Admissions	Custodial	Learning Center
Alumni Development	Dean’s Office	Library
Athletic Department	Education Department	Maintenance
Bookstore	Financial Aid Office	Math/Science Department
Business Office	Fine and Performing Arts	Records Office
Cerf Center	Food Services	Secretarial Services
College Relations	Grounds	Social Science Department
Computer Center	Humanities Department	Student Activities
		Student Programs & Services