



Montgomery College

Office of Student Financial Aid

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2009 -2010 High School Grant Application

Return form to: Brenda Grisham, Grant Coordinator, Montgomery College Office of Student Financial Aid, 51 Mannakee Street, Rockville, MD 20850

Check which grant you are applying for (**all grants depend on financial need and available funds**):

- Maryland State Dual Enrollment Grant**
Applicants for this grant and their parents must be permanent residents of Maryland. Students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents attending a secondary school in Maryland. The grant may pay the cost of one three credit hour course per semester, depending on available funds. Home-schooled students are not eligible for this grant.
- MC Board of Trustees High School Grant**
Applicants for this grant must be Montgomery County high school students. The grant may pay the cost of one three credit hour course per semester, depending on available funds. Currently, home-schooled students pursuing a high school diploma are eligible for this grant.
- MC College Institute Grant**
Applicants for this grant must be Montgomery County high school students enrolled in the MC College Institute. The grant may cover tuition, fees, and books for courses offered through the College Institute, depending on financial need and available funds.

MC Student ID Number

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Student Last Name

First Name

Student Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Student Phone Number: _____ Student email address: _____

Name of custodial parent(s) _____
(The parent(s) you lived with most during the past 12 months.)

What was your parents' adjusted gross income on their 2008 federal income tax return? _____
(Attach a copy of the complete signed tax return to this application. This is required. If your parents are not required to file a federal income tax return, contact the grant coordinator.)

Name of student's high school (or indicate if home-schooled): _____
Grade level in high school in Fall 2009: _____
Have you received a high school diploma or will you receive a high school diploma in the next academic year? _____

For which semester are you requesting the grant?(Check all that apply.)
 Fall 2009 Spring 2010 Summer 2010

Student's signature _____ Date _____



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Students **currently enrolled in high school** and taking classes at Montgomery College (MC) may apply for the following need-based grants:

- Maryland State Dual Enrollment Grant
- MC Board of Trustees High School Grant
- MC College Institute Grant

Students applying for any of these grants must meet the following conditions:

- Students must be properly admitted to Montgomery College for fall 2009, spring 2010, or summer 2010. They must have approval from their high school guidance counselors to register for classes at MC or have been admitted into the College Institute program.
- Students must complete a Montgomery College High School Grant Application and submit it to the Grant Coordinator.
- A copy of the custodial parent's (parents') 2008 signed complete federal income tax return must accompany the grant application. (If a student does not live with both parents, the custodial parent is the one the student lived with most during the past 12 months.) **Priority for MD State Dual Enrollment Grants is given to families with 2008 federal adjusted gross incomes of \$50,000 or less. Priority for MC Board of Trustees and College Institute grants is given to families with 2008 federal adjusted gross income of \$86,000 or less.**
- The maximum Dual Enrollment or Board of Trustees Grant covers the cost of county tuition and fees for one three credit hour course.
- The College Institute Grant may cover tuition, fees, and books for courses offered through the College Institute, depending on financial need and **available funds**. The grant may be limited to one course each semester, in addition to the one credit course, DS 107, which is required of all College Institute students during their initial semester in the College Institute.
- Students apply for the grant once each academic year. (For example, fall 2009, spring 2010, and summer 2010 is a full academic year.) Grant renewal after the initial semester will depend on the availability of funds. Students must request renewal in writing for subsequent semesters in the same academic year. Send renewal requests to Ms. Brenda Grisham. The Office of Student Financial Aid will notify students in writing of their grant awards.
- Students may not receive more than one type of grant during a semester.
- Students must reapply for high school grants each academic year, as long as they are still enrolled in high school.
- If you have any questions regarding high school grants, contact Ms. Brenda Grisham, Grant Coordinator, at (240)567-7334 or email her at Brenda.Grisham@montgomerycollege.edu.