

# WEB TABLES

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## Student Financing of Undergraduate Education: 2011–12

Approximately 23 million students enrolled in undergraduate postsecondary education in the United States during the 2011–12 academic year (Simone et al. 2013). These Web Tables provide a comprehensive source (2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study [NPSAS:12]) of information on the financial aid that was awarded to these students. The tables include estimates of tuition and fees, price of attendance, and financial aid shown by the enrollment and demographic characteristics of students. The tables are similar to those based on the 1995–96, 1999–2000, 2003–04, and 2007–08 National Postsecondary Student Aid Studies (Bersudskaya and Wei 2011) and are grouped into five separate sections.

Section 1 (Tables 1.1 to 1.2) shows the percentile distribution of family

income, tuition and fees, and price of attendance among all undergraduates and separately among those who attended school full time for the full year. Estimates of income are shown separately for dependent and independent students, and by marital/parenting status for independent students. Tuition and price of attendance are shown by institution type. The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board (or housing and meal allowances for off-campus students), transportation, and other personal living expenses.

Section 2 (Tables 2.1A to 2.2D) presents undergraduates' average tuition and fees and average total price of attendance by institution type and selected student characteristics.

Section 3 (Tables 3.1A to 3.9D) looks at the various types and average

amounts of financial aid that undergraduates received—federal, state, and institutional aid, including Veterans' benefits—also by type of institution attended and selected student characteristics.

Section 4 (Tables 4.1A to 4.4B) reports the average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid); average net price of attendance (total price of attendance minus all grants); and average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) by institution type and selected student characteristics.

Section 5 (Tables 5.1 to 5.4B) presents estimates related to students' expected family contribution (EFC), financial need, and remaining need after financial aid is taken into consideration by such characteristics as attendance status, race/ethnicity, sex, family income, and military status.

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## RELATED NCES REPORTS

*2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12): Student Financial Aid Estimates for 2011–12* (NCES 2013-165).

*2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12): Price Estimates for Attending Postsecondary Education Institutions* (NCES 2014-166).

*Web Tables—Undergraduate Financial Aid Estimates by Type of Institution in 2011–12* (NCES 2014-169).

*Web Tables—Trends in Student Financing of Undergraduate Education: Selected Years, 1995–96 to 2007–08* (NCES 2011-218).

*Web Tables—Student Financing of Undergraduate Education: 2007–08* (NCES 2010-162).

*Data Point—Out-of-Pocket Net Price for College* (NCES 2014-902).

## DATA

The estimates presented in these Web Tables come from the 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12), a comprehensive, nationally representative survey of how students finance their postsecondary education conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES). NPSAS:12 also includes a broad array of demographic and enrollment characteristics.

NPSAS:12 used a two-stage sampling design. Institutions were selected for inclusion in the first stage, and students were selected from these

## VARIABLES USED

All estimates presented in these Web Tables were produced using PowerStats, a web-based software application that allows users to generate tables for many of the surveys conducted by NCES. The variables used in these Web Tables are listed below. Visit the NCES DataLab website <http://nces.ed.gov/datalab> to view detailed information on how these variables were constructed and their sources. Under *Detailed Information About PowerStats Variables, NPSAS Undergraduates: 2012*, click *by subject* or *by variable name*. The program files that generated the statistics presented in these Web Tables can be found at <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2015173>.

Label	Name
Age	AGE
Age as of 12/31/11	AGE
Any campus-based aid	CAMPAMT
Attendance status	ATTNSTAT
Citizenship	CITIZEN2
Dependency and income in 2010	INCOME
Dependency status	DEPEND
Dependent students' parent income	DEPINC
Direct PLUS Loans to parents of undergraduates	PLUSAMT
Direct Subsidized Loans	STAFSUB
Direct Unsubsidized Loans	STAFUNSB
Expected family contribution (EFC)	EFC
Federal grants	TFEDGRT
Federal loans	TFEDLN
Federal work-study	TFEDWRK
Financial need (price of attendance minus EFC)	SNEED1
Highest education attained by either parent	PAREduc
Housing (on or off campus or living with parents)	LOCALRES
Income group	PCTALL
Independent student categories	DEPEND5B
Independent students' income	INDEPINC
Institution type	AIDSECT
Institutional aid total	INSTAMT
Institutional grants	INGRTAMT
Institutional loans	INLNAMT
Institutional merit-only grants	INSMERIT
Institutional work-study	INSTWRK
Military status	MILTYPE
Net price of attendance after federal grants	NETCST2
Net price of attendance after all grants	NETCST3
Net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants)	NETCST9

institutions in the second stage. The NPSAS:12 target population consisted of all eligible undergraduate and graduate students enrolled any time between July 1, 2011, and June 30, 2012 at Title IV<sup>1</sup> eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sample institutions from Puerto Rico. Approximately 95,000 undergraduates and 16,000 graduate students were study respondents of NPSAS:12.

For details on the survey methodology, see the *2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12) Data File Documentation* (NCES 2014-182) (<http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2014182>).

## ABOUT POWERSTATS

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## VARIABLES USED—continued

Label	Name
Other type of aid	OTHTYPE
Out-of-pocket net price (price of attendance minus total aid)	NETCST1
Pell Grant	PELLAMT
Perkins Loans	PERKAMT
Race/ethnicity	RACE
Remaining need after financial aid (total price of attendance minus EFC and total aid)	SNEED2
Sex	GENDER
State grants	STGTAMT
State loans	STLNAMT
State merit-only grants	STMERIT
State total aid	STATEAMT
State work-study	STWKAMT
Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant	SEOGAMT
Total aid	TOTAID
Total Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans	STAFFAMT
Total federal aid	TFEDAID
Total grants	TOTGRT
Total loans	TOTLOAN
Total price of attendance	BUDGETAJ
Total work-study	TOTWKST
Tuition and fees	TUITION2
Type and source of aid	AIDTYPE
Undergraduate class level	UGLVL1
Worked while enrolled	JOBENR

(i.e., fewer than 30 cases), PowerStats prints the double dagger symbol (‡) instead of the estimate.

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- Simone, S., Radwin, D., Wine, J., Siegel, P., and Bryan, M. (2013). *2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12): Price Estimates for Attending Postsecondary Education Institutions* (NCES 2014-166). National Center for Education Statistics, Institute of Education Sciences, U.S. Department of Education. Washington, DC.

## ENDNOTES

<sup>1</sup> Title IV institutions are those eligible to participate in the federal financial aid programs included in Title IV of the Higher Education Act. These programs include Pell Grants, federal student loans, work-study, and other federal aid.

<sup>2</sup> The NPSAS samples are not simple random samples; therefore, techniques for estimating sampling error assuming simple random sampling cannot be applied to these data. PowerStats takes into account the complexity of the NPSAS sampling procedures and calculates standard errors appropriate for such samples. The method for computing sampling errors used by PowerStats approximates the estimator by replication of the sampled population using a bootstrap technique.

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Table 1.1.

**ALL UNDERGRADUATES: Income, tuition and fees, and total price of attendance percentiles among all undergraduates, by dependency status and institution type: 2011–12**

Dependency status and institution type	10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile	75th percentile	90th percentile
Income by dependency status <sup>1</sup>					
Dependent family income	\$12,900	\$29,600	\$65,500	\$106,400	\$155,500
Independent student income <sup>2</sup>					
Unmarried, no dependents	#	2,400	12,100	23,800	38,000
Married, no dependents	10,000	23,900	44,300	70,000	98,700
Unmarried with dependents	#	4,600	13,900	25,000	38,400
Married with dependents	13,900	27,000	48,800	73,600	100,900
Tuition and fees by institution type <sup>3</sup>					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	700 !	1,300 !	2,900	5,000	9,300
2-year	300	600	1,200	2,100	3,300
4-year	1,400	3,100	5,900	8,800	12,600
Non-doctorate-granting	900	1,500	3,200	6,000	8,000
Doctorate-granting	2,700	4,800	7,000	9,800	14,000
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	3,400	5,000	7,900	15,800	19,000 !
4-year	4,100	9,700	22,600	32,100	40,000
Non-doctorate-granting	4,000	8,700	19,000	27,800	38,200
Doctorate-granting	4,400	11,700	26,400	34,900	41,200
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	4,600	7,300	11,900	18,100	21,100
2-year	3,800	5,700	10,800	16,400	20,700
4-year	2,300	4,300	7,600	12,800	18,000
Price of attendance by institution type <sup>3</sup>					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	4,400	7,300	12,700	16,600	20,900
2-year	3,400	4,600	7,800	11,500	15,600
4-year	6,300	11,400	17,800	22,700	28,800
Non-doctorate-granting	4,700	8,000	12,500	18,900	23,200
Doctorate-granting	8,600	14,500	20,000	24,400	30,700
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	8,400	11,700	17,600	25,000	35,600
4-year	10,900	19,700	35,400	47,600	56,400
Non-doctorate-granting	10,200	18,600	32,500	42,000	53,700
Doctorate-granting	12,000	21,000	39,400	51,200	57,300
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	10,000	14,100	21,500	28,600	34,600
2-year	8,900	12,700	20,400	27,500	33,400
4-year	7,600	11,300	18,800	26,200	32,600

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

<sup>1</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>2</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>3</sup> Undergraduates attending more than one institution are not included in the estimates for tuition and fees and total price of attendance.

NOTE: Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married). The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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**Table S1.1.**

**Standard errors for table 1.1: ALL UNDERGRADUATES: Income, tuition and fees, and total price of attendance percentiles among all undergraduates, by dependency status and institution type: 2011–12**

Dependency status and institution type	10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile	75th percentile	90th percentile
Income by dependency status					
Dependent family income	\$190	\$380	\$480	\$760	\$1,350
Independent student income					
Unmarried, no dependents	†	100	270	400	1,200
Married, no dependents	680	1,140	1,740	2,170	3,710
Unmarried with dependents	†	160	260	470	960
Married with dependents	440	680	940	1,220	1,450
Tuition and fees by institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	260	500	390	880	1,530
2-year	10	30	30	50	60
4-year	110	80	100	150	290
Non-doctorate-granting	40	160	190	230	300
Doctorate-granting	60	80	90	150	350
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	810	1,180	1,320	3,100	7,350
4-year	240	440	620	630	530
Non-doctorate-granting	370	470	970	720	1,230
Doctorate-granting	360	690	830	790	340
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	800	840	1,060	1,730	1,750
2-year	480	350	570	730	800
4-year	480	210	600	#	280
Price of attendance by institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	160	490	930	870	2,630
2-year	50	70	120	110	120
4-year	190	170	160	210	260
Non-doctorate-granting	140	270	290	340	280
Doctorate-granting	240	190	160	240	370
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	940	610	1,730	4,370	8,180
4-year	710	600	600	650	330
Non-doctorate-granting	730	750	420	1,030	1,310
Doctorate-granting	800	860	780	980	480
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	850	940	1,510	1,600	2,030
2-year	270	440	690	580	1,020
4-year	440	450	360	410	#

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 1.2.

**FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATES: Income, tuition and fees, and total price of attendance among full-time/full-year undergraduates by dependency status and institution type: 2011–12**

Dependency status and institution type	10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile	75th percentile	90th percentile
Income by dependency status <sup>1</sup>					
Dependent family income	\$14,600	\$31,900	\$69,800	\$112,600	\$165,700
Independent student income <sup>2</sup>					
Unmarried, no dependents	#	800	7,700	17,200	28,800
Married, no dependents	6,000	15,500	31,900	58,000	84,300
Unmarried with dependents	#	3,600	12,300	21,300	31,300
Married with dependents	10,300	21,000	36,500	60,700	88,100
Tuition and fees by institution type <sup>3</sup>					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	‡	3,000 !	5,500	9,700	9,700
2-year	1,000	1,600	2,700	3,600	4,500
4-year	4,600	6,100	7,700	10,400	15,300
Non-doctorate-granting	2,600	4,600	6,300	7,900	10,400
Doctorate-granting	5,500	6,500	8,600	11,200	17,600
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	5,600 !	7,500 !	16,200	18,800 !	30,500
4-year	14,700	22,200	28,800	36,700	41,500
Non-doctorate-granting	13,600	19,000	25,600	32,500	40,600
Doctorate-granting	18,600	26,200	31,900	38,900	42,000
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	9,400	12,000	15,100	20,300	26,500
2-year	9,000	12,200	15,500	20,200	26,800
4-year	10,300	12,800	12,800	18,000	21,300
Price of attendance by institution type <sup>3</sup>					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	13,400	14,000	17,600	20,200	25,000
2-year	10,600	11,900	14,600	17,400	19,900
4-year	16,300	18,700	21,700	25,700	32,200
Non-doctorate-granting	14,000	16,800	19,900	22,900	26,600
Doctorate-granting	17,000	19,700	22,400	27,100	34,400
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	16,800	22,700	25,600	35,600	47,800
4-year	28,600	34,900	43,200	53,400	57,900
Non-doctorate-granting	25,600	32,400	38,400	48,200	56,100
Doctorate-granting	32,100	39,200	46,800	55,300	59,000
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	21,600	24,600	29,400	34,500	39,700
2-year	21,000	24,000	28,500	32,800	42,300
4-year	20,200	24,800	28,700	32,600	36,500

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>2</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>3</sup> Undergraduates attending more than one institution are not included in the estimates for tuition and fees and total price of attendance.

NOTE: Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married). The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses. Full-time/full-year students represent 37.6 percent of all undergraduates attending only one institution. Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S1.2.

Standard errors for table 1.2: FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATES: Income, tuition and fees, and total price of attendance among full-time/full-year undergraduates by dependency status and institution type: 2011–12

Dependency status and institution type	10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile	75th percentile	90th percentile
Income by dependency status					
Dependent family income	\$270	\$510	\$570	\$920	\$2,010
Independent student income					
Unmarried, no dependents	†	110	280	520	1,470
Married, no dependents	790	1,110	1,430	2,800	4,130
Unmarried with dependents	†	280	310	590	1,090
Married with dependents	590	610	1,300	1,800	2,120
Tuition and fees by institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	†	1,320	1,400	1,980	810
2-year	30	90	70	70	80
4-year	80	80	140	190	510
Non-doctorate-granting	190	150	150	260	810
Doctorate-granting	70	90	140	260	610
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	1,830	3,150	3,750	6,180	8,220
4-year	850	580	500	730	310
Non-doctorate-granting	620	750	390	1,540	780
Doctorate-granting	850	730	440	620	370
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	1,850	750	1,840	1,410	3,420
2-year	760	790	780	730	1,630
4-year	510	150	40	80	340
Price of attendance by institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	600	1,340	870	2,960	4,820
2-year	220	170	160	170	300
4-year	90	110	170	390	310
Non-doctorate-granting	370	260	240	310	870
Doctorate-granting	130	180	160	410	580
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	2,550	2,280	4,560	7,400	10,160
4-year	710	420	490	620	420
Non-doctorate-granting	880	390	500	940	500
Doctorate-granting	1,010	510	800	530	550
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	960	1,090	1,140	2,270	1,830
2-year	820	600	540	950	2,470
4-year	1,100	20	400	#	510

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table 2.1-A.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,400</b>	<b>\$8,700</b>	<b>\$13,700</b>	<b>\$20,100</b>	<b>\$20,300</b>	<b>\$31,600</b>	<b>\$36,800</b>	<b>\$21,700</b>	<b>\$21,100</b>	<b>\$19,400</b>	<b>\$16,500</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	18,600	15,000	20,100	24,200	29,300	40,100	46,500	29,900	29,700	29,000	26,400
Full-time/part-year	8,800	8,100	11,000	15,000	13,900	21,700	24,000	19,100	17,000	15,500	13,500
Part-time/full-year	11,700	9,700	12,300	16,800	16,800	22,200	22,900	21,100	21,800	19,900	12,800
Part-time/part-year	5,800	4,900	6,300	8,600	10,700	10,600	11,400	14,800	12,400	10,700	6,400
Housing											
On campus	‡	11,200	20,100	23,500	29,900	40,600	46,000	‡	‡	32,000	31,400
Off campus	12,500	8,600	12,700	19,100	20,300	22,400	30,200	23,500	21,500	19,900	14,500
Living with parents	11,700	8,800	12,600	18,300	18,600	25,500	28,900	19,400	20,700	17,800	13,700
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	6,300	6,000	6,300	5,100	‡	‡	‡	12,100	9,400	5,600	6,000
\$1,000–3,999	10,900	10,200	10,500	10,200	10,300	9,800	9,000	8,900	10,000	9,100	10,200
\$4,000–8,999	15,300	16,100	18,100	18,900	14,900	15,800	16,700	14,400	13,800	14,700	17,400
\$9,000 or more	23,500	21,500	25,500	27,700	29,400	38,000	42,900	26,100	26,500	27,300	32,500
Sex											
Male	11,600	8,700	13,600	20,400	23,000	32,000	37,300	22,500	23,500	19,000	16,500
Female	13,000	8,700	13,800	19,800	18,900	31,200	36,500	21,500	19,800	19,700	16,400
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	11,400	8,600	14,200	20,100	22,200	31,900	36,500	21,500	20,900	19,400	16,800
Black	11,400	9,000	13,000	19,300	21,500	26,800	30,600	21,400	21,500	18,700	15,500
Hispanic	13,600	8,400	12,300	19,300	18,000	31,800	38,600	22,100	21,300	20,500	14,900
Asian	‡	9,500	14,200	22,600	‡	40,000	44,600	23,400	20,800	19,800	20,000
American Indian	‡	8,800	11,100	18,600	‡	‡	‡	23,100	17,900	17,000	14,400
Pacific Islander	‡	9,600	‡	19,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	23,500	21,700	16,100
Two or more races	‡	9,500	15,200	19,800	‡	34,800	36,800	23,400	20,700	22,200	17,800

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.1-A.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$10,400	\$9,700	\$16,600	\$23,100	\$27,100	\$39,000	\$44,500	\$22,400	\$23,900	\$24,500	\$20,800
19–23 years	10,600	9,000	15,300	21,400	22,900	36,400	42,400	21,500	21,100	21,000	19,000
24–29 years	14,700	8,600	11,600	16,600	18,700	23,800	24,400	21,900	21,300	19,100	13,500
30–39 years	12,600	8,600	11,100	14,700	18,200	18,700	21,700	22,100	20,600	18,800	13,200
40 years or older	13,400	7,800	9,800	13,500	17,000	16,000	17,200	21,400	20,300	18,600	11,800
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	10,200	9,100	15,800	21,700	26,700	37,400	43,300	20,900	22,100	24,100	20,000
Independent <sup>4</sup>	13,500	8,400	11,300	16,200	17,800	20,500	22,500	22,100	20,600	18,700	13,200
Unmarried, no dependents	12,500	8,400	11,800	17,000	19,500	22,900	25,900	21,900	21,500	18,900	13,500
Married, no dependents	15,300	7,900	10,600	16,800	19,000	20,700	20,300	21,900	20,600	18,700	12,300
Unmarried with dependents	13,900	8,800	11,600	16,300	16,600	20,700	22,600	22,300	20,300	18,700	13,700
Married with dependents	13,400	8,100	10,700	13,800	16,500	17,200	18,600	21,800	19,900	18,500	12,300
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	9,100	9,200	14,200	20,700	26,100	31,900	40,300	20,500	21,100	22,100	17,100
\$20,000–39,999	10,100	9,200	14,700	21,100	26,100	34,500	41,600	20,800	21,300	23,000	17,900
\$40,000–59,999	‡	9,300	15,300	21,400	24,700	36,300	41,200	20,800	22,100	26,500	19,000
\$60,000–79,999	‡	9,100	16,800	21,000	25,000	35,900	41,800	22,700	21,800	25,000	19,400
\$80,000–99,999	‡	9,100	15,800	21,700	‡	36,600	40,700	22,300	24,200	23,600	20,100
\$100,000 or more	‡	9,000	17,400	22,800	27,200	41,600	46,800	20,700	24,400	28,800	24,000
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	10,600	9,200	12,800	18,000	18,400	26,100	29,700	22,600	19,600	18,300	14,500
\$10,000–19,999	17,200	9,000	12,300	17,100	17,500	19,100	24,700	22,800	21,300	19,600	14,000
\$20,000–29,999	16,000	8,500	11,200	15,900	19,100	19,500	20,700	21,000	22,000	20,000	13,000
\$30,000–49,999	12,400	7,700	10,700	14,800	15,300	19,200	19,700	20,300	22,400	18,200	12,300
\$50,000 or more	14,300	7,300	9,100	13,400	17,700	17,200	17,700	20,500	18,800	17,800	11,100

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Table 2.1-A.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$9,900	\$9,200	\$13,600	\$19,800	\$20,900	\$30,400	\$37,500	\$22,000	\$20,100	\$19,100	\$15,800
Middle 50 percent	14,400	8,900	14,000	19,900	19,800	30,700	36,200	21,500	21,700	19,900	16,300
Highest 25 percent	13,200	7,800	13,300	20,600	20,500	33,700	37,300	21,600	21,500	18,600	17,400
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	11,000	9,200	15,000	21,900	23,000	35,500	40,800	22,000	21,100	19,500	19,100
Worked part time	13,900	9,200	14,500	20,000	18,800	32,400	37,700	21,500	21,100	20,600	16,900
Worked full time	13,100	7,700	10,700	15,100	15,800	20,000	21,700	21,600	21,000	18,900	12,100
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	10,500	12,800	19,200	28,300	21,100	22,000	28,100	26,400	21,100	16,100
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	6,500	‡	12,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,400	10,200
Reserves	‡	9,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	16,300	13,800
Nonmilitary students	12,400	8,700	13,800	20,100	19,900	32,100	37,400	21,600	20,800	19,600	16,600
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	11,700	8,600	12,900	18,900	18,900	25,900	31,000	22,300	20,700	18,800	14,500
Some postsecondary education	14,800	8,700	13,600	19,300	19,300	29,500	33,400	21,700	20,900	20,000	15,300
Bachelor's degree or higher	13,400	8,800	14,600	21,000	23,400	35,500	40,500	20,200	21,700	20,200	19,400
Total aid status											
No aid	11,000	6,900	10,300	17,400	14,900	24,800	31,200	15,800	16,300	12,500	10,700
Received aid	13,000	10,100	15,300	20,900	21,600	32,600	37,800	22,500	22,100	20,200	18,900
Grant status											
No grant	11,500	7,400	12,000	18,700	17,300	24,000	29,400	18,500	19,600	16,900	12,700
Received grant	12,900	10,000	15,100	21,000	21,500	33,700	39,300	22,700	21,900	20,500	19,100
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	12,000	8,100	11,600	18,600	18,000	29,600	34,800	18,100	17,600	13,900	12,600
Received loan	14,000	11,600	17,000	21,300	22,600	32,700	38,200	22,900	23,000	21,200	22,000

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Table 2.1-A.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married)

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S2.1-A.

Standard errors for table 2.1-A: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$580</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$2,320</b>	<b>\$520</b>	<b>\$530</b>	<b>\$1,090</b>	<b>\$490</b>	<b>\$460</b>	<b>\$100</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,260	120	220	200	3,830	520	460	1,140	770	390	140
Full-time/part-year	950	90	290	240	1,120	1,360	1,140	1,080	550	190	160
Part-time/full-year	600	80	170	160	3,750	910	990	1,830	670	1,130	100
Part-time/part-year	850	90	240	210	1,770	760	790	1,070	400	580	90
Housing											
On campus	†	520	440	270	320	690	580	†	†	1,370	300
Off campus	590	110	220	230	3,110	790	820	1,470	800	350	130
Living with parents	980	90	340	230	1,080	970	970	850	510	1,800	140
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	1,460	110	280	260	†	†	†	2,800	1,440	1,250	110
\$1,000–3,999	880	100	200	160	790	570	600	500	620	400	60
\$4,000–8,999	380	330	180	90	960	460	590	970	600	180	90
\$9,000 or more	1,690	1,320	350	220	3,690	580	520	820	710	240	200
Sex											
Male	1,030	130	290	250	3,230	700	890	2,280	1,000	780	160
Female	790	80	230	170	2,530	620	680	1,120	410	310	90
Race/ethnicity											
White	770	100	240	210	4,450	690	650	1,510	710	430	130
Black	2,270	140	390	350	2,750	980	1,710	1,410	890	430	200
Hispanic	1,390	140	480	290	1,840	2,050	1,500	980	760	510	240
Asian	†	300	450	510	†	2,410	1,450	1,940	2,030	2,700	500
American Indian	†	510	1,070	1,470	†	†	†	4,670	2,050	1,110	680
Pacific Islander	†	690	†	1,380	†	†	†	†	3,180	1,500	990
Two or more races	†	270	740	520	†	1,870	2,970	2,170	1,410	770	410

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Table S2.1-A.

Standard errors for table 2.1-A: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,190	\$150	\$380	\$280	\$4,090	\$780	\$1,010	\$1,180	\$1,290	\$1,040	\$230
19–23 years	510	100	270	210	3,270	660	590	1,040	590	680	130
24–29 years	1,800	140	310	290	2,450	960	1,850	1,200	760	580	170
30–39 years	1,080	150	380	290	2,460	920	1,070	1,410	660	490	150
40 years or older	1,700	150	320	320	2,050	930	1,180	1,270	820	590	180
Dependency status											
Dependent	610	110	310	210	4,230	630	530	990	750	480	140
Independent	720	100	210	190	1,560	570	930	1,160	510	510	110
Unmarried, no dependents	1,750	120	330	250	4,030	970	1,590	1,360	800	610	160
Married, no dependents	1,940	260	490	620	3,740	1,660	1,730	1,800	870	880	320
Unmarried with dependents	2,250	150	260	360	710	740	1,910	1,140	580	370	150
Married with dependents	1,190	150	380	340	1,170	1,020	1,480	1,580	870	870	200
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	1,430	150	390	290	5,040	1,300	1,760	1,270	790	860	250
\$20,000–39,999	1,140	160	590	300	2,970	890	1,390	960	970	820	260
\$40,000–59,999	†	170	420	330	3,250	850	1,790	1,760	1,340	1,410	280
\$60,000–79,999	†	240	430	290	3,710	1,450	1,550	1,880	1,460	1,390	330
\$80,000–99,999	†	280	550	390	†	1,460	1,510	1,750	1,990	1,690	360
\$100,000 or more	†	250	450	270	5,700	900	810	1,240	2,720	1,390	320
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	930	150	350	270	2,770	1,220	2,060	1,330	730	470	180
\$10,000–19,999	2,480	160	350	380	990	1,090	2,810	970	720	480	180
\$20,000–29,999	2,330	190	480	450	2,250	1,160	2,180	1,410	790	610	190
\$30,000–49,999	1,130	150	470	430	2,110	1,410	2,010	1,440	1,020	840	220
\$50,000 or more	1,440	210	350	370	1,880	880	1,070	1,340	1,050	1,120	260

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Table S2.1-A.

Standard errors for table 2.1-A: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$550	\$110	\$290	\$220	\$3,190	\$810	\$1,270	\$1,230	\$550	\$450	\$150
Middle 50 percent	1,110	80	270	200	1,610	540	740	1,090	560	460	110
Highest 25 percent	1,020	180	390	280	3,120	1,120	1,100	1,060	1,090	970	290
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	1,280	110	240	270	3,390	630	680	1,240	570	380	160
Worked part time	1,180	110	290	170	1,650	790	790	1,030	730	390	130
Worked full time	1,690	100	280	260	1,800	670	1,040	1,180	720	690	130
Military status											
Veterans	†	280	790	640	4,790	2,720	6,180	4,200	1,560	1,330	480
Military service members											
Active duty	†	320	†	1,290	†	†	†	†	†	3,000	850
Reserves	†	1,240	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,680	1,030
Nonmilitary students	590	80	230	190	2,250	480	530	1,080	460	280	90
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	750	90	270	240	1,340	610	1,240	1,080	580	450	110
Some postsecondary education	1,560	110	240	250	2,020	690	960	1,240	670	470	150
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,730	120	310	230	5,240	840	670	1,110	750	690	180
Total aid status											
No aid	980	150	360	370	2,520	1,810	1,380	1,290	840	750	200
Received aid	840	110	220	170	2,370	470	540	1,110	560	530	130
Grant status											
No grant	800	140	320	270	2,290	1,260	1,300	1,270	780	460	180
Received grant	870	110	230	180	2,620	480	620	1,140	580	610	130
Loan status											
No loan	690	100	290	260	3,170	1,190	980	1,210	620	1,190	150
Received loan	1,030	170	270	170	2,030	420	580	1,110	600	270	130

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 2.1-B.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18,600</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>	<b>\$20,100</b>	<b>\$24,200</b>	<b>\$29,300</b>	<b>\$40,100</b>	<b>\$46,500</b>	<b>\$29,900</b>	<b>\$29,700</b>	<b>\$29,000</b>	<b>\$26,400</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	14,400	22,200	25,500	31,500	42,600	49,200	‡	‡	39,100	34,500
Off campus	17,300	15,400	19,700	24,400	30,600	34,800	44,400	32,000	31,100	28,700	24,300
Living with parents	19,200	14,700	19,100	22,500	24,700	36,300	40,200	26,900	28,400	29,200	22,000
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	‡	14,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	14,600
\$1,000–3,999	18,100	14,500	16,300	19,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	14,900
\$4,000–8,999	16,200	17,300	19,900	20,600	21,100	23,800	21,400	22,600	22,200	20,100	20,100
\$9,000 or more	23,500	23,200	25,800	28,600	33,100	40,800	47,300	30,600	30,600	29,700	35,500
Sex											
Male	17,400	15,000	20,200	24,500	32,100	39,400	47,100	31,200	33,100	30,000	26,500
Female	19,800	15,100	20,100	24,000	27,400	40,600	46,000	29,500	27,800	28,500	26,400
Race/ethnicity <sup>1</sup>											
White	18,000	14,900	20,400	24,300	32,300	40,400	46,000	30,800	30,000	28,700	26,700
Black	‡	15,700	19,300	23,400	29,200	34,300	43,100	29,600	29,600	28,600	25,200
Hispanic	16,700	14,300	19,200	23,200	25,500	41,300	47,100	29,000	29,700	30,500	24,500
Asian	‡	16,300	20,900	26,500	‡	47,400	51,500	28,900	29,100	32,700	30,200
American Indian	‡	15,300	19,000	24,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	28,100	26,900	24,200
Pacific Islander	‡	15,400	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	29,500	26,700
Two or more races	‡	15,100	20,000	23,600	‡	41,500	47,400	33,100	28,500	29,300	26,800
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	13,900	20,200	24,500	29,800	41,700	48,100	28,800	32,500	35,500	27,400
19–23 years	16,500	14,500	20,300	24,300	30,900	41,200	47,300	29,400	30,100	32,000	27,300
24–29 years	19,500	16,300	19,200	23,700	27,400	34,900	40,600	30,200	30,200	29,000	24,000
30–39 years	19,200	16,200	20,100	23,200	31,700	31,600	33,600	30,900	28,000	27,400	23,300
40 years or older	20,600	16,100	19,300	23,100	25,400	28,700	35,700	30,100	28,200	27,700	23,600

See notes at end of table.



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Table 2.1-B.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>2</sup>											
Dependent	\$15,800	\$14,300	\$20,400	\$24,300	\$32,100	\$41,600	\$47,600	\$28,600	\$31,200	\$33,300	\$27,600
Independent <sup>3</sup>	19,800	16,100	19,400	23,700	27,300	33,000	39,200	30,500	28,900	28,200	23,700
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	16,400	19,400	23,700	31,200	36,100	41,800	31,100	30,700	28,700	24,400
Married, no dependents	‡	15,800	20,000	24,500	‡	30,900	‡	29,300	27,800	27,700	23,000
Unmarried with dependents	23,100	16,100	19,200	23,400	22,100	31,200	38,000	30,200	27,900	28,400	23,600
Married with dependents	18,700	15,800	19,200	23,600	24,800	30,300	36,600	30,500	28,700	27,500	22,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	13,900	18,700	22,800	32,900	38,600	45,000	27,900	29,200	32,400	24,100
\$20,000–39,999	‡	14,000	19,500	23,400	29,000	39,300	46,400	28,700	30,700	31,500	25,300
\$40,000–59,999	‡	14,000	20,000	23,500	28,200	39,700	46,500	29,300	30,400	33,100	26,000
\$60,000–79,999	‡	14,600	20,100	23,900	32,000	40,800	45,900	31,300	32,200	33,500	27,100
\$80,000–99,999	‡	14,400	20,600	24,400	‡	40,000	46,600	27,200	34,400	35,100	27,700
\$100,000 or more	‡	14,700	22,200	25,700	32,700	44,500	49,800	28,700	34,100	37,600	31,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	16,400	16,200	19,400	23,500	28,000	35,800	42,800	30,600	28,300	29,300	23,700
\$10,000–19,999	22,400	16,400	19,800	23,800	24,100	31,000	38,900	30,300	28,900	28,600	23,900
\$20,000–29,999	‡	16,100	19,100	24,000	‡	31,900	‡	30,600	29,500	27,600	23,200
\$30,000–49,999	‡	15,600	19,500	23,600	‡	31,200	‡	31,100	31,300	28,200	24,300
\$50,000 or more	‡	15,700	18,500	24,600	‡	30,900	‡	28,700	26,200	26,500	23,100
Income group <sup>5</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	15,800	14,800	18,900	23,200	29,900	38,000	45,400	29,900	29,100	30,300	24,200
Middle 50 percent	20,400	15,100	20,100	23,800	28,100	39,000	45,200	30,000	29,900	28,900	25,900
Highest 25 percent	‡	15,200	21,800	25,800	30,800	43,000	48,900	29,800	30,700	27,900	30,000

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.1-B.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE:** Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>6</sup>											
Did not work	\$18,300	\$15,200	\$20,700	\$25,200	\$31,400	\$41,400	\$48,100	\$30,300	\$29,800	\$29,400	\$28,600
Worked part time	18,100	14,800	20,000	23,400	26,100	39,400	45,800	29,100	29,400	30,000	25,100
Worked full time	20,700	15,200	18,700	23,300	27,500	34,500	36,700	30,700	30,100	28,300	23,400
Military status <sup>7</sup>											
Veterans	‡	17,200	21,000	25,900	‡	36,100	‡	33,200	34,600	30,500	26,400
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	23,600	24,400
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	23,200
Nonmilitary students	18,600	14,900	20,100	24,200	28,900	40,200	46,600	29,800	29,400	29,000	26,400
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>8</sup>											
High school diploma or less	17,300	15,000	19,500	23,300	27,100	36,200	44,000	30,000	29,100	28,300	23,800
Some postsecondary education	21,200	14,900	20,100	23,300	27,000	38,200	43,100	29,800	29,600	29,300	24,600
Bachelor's degree or higher	19,000	15,100	20,700	25,000	34,500	42,300	48,200	29,500	30,600	30,100	29,200
Total aid status											
No aid	17,900	15,000	21,100	25,700	‡	47,900	51,200	27,500	29,700	30,300	24,300
Received aid	18,900	15,100	20,000	24,000	29,000	39,500	46,000	30,100	29,700	29,000	26,800
Grant status											
No grant	18,500	15,100	21,100	25,300	30,500	42,600	49,000	29,400	31,600	28,400	24,800
Received grant	18,700	15,000	19,700	23,700	29,000	39,700	46,000	30,000	28,900	29,200	27,000
Loan status <sup>9</sup>											
No loan	18,400	14,700	19,400	24,500	29,900	42,800	48,900	27,100	29,100	28,600	23,700
Received loan	19,400	15,900	20,800	24,100	28,900	38,900	45,200	30,500	29,900	29,100	28,500

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.1-B.

**AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>2</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>3</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>4</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>5</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>7</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>8</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Full-time/full-year students represent 37.6 percent of all undergraduates attending only one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S2.1-B.

Standard errors for table 2.1-B: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,260</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$3,830</b>	<b>\$520</b>	<b>\$460</b>	<b>\$1,140</b>	<b>\$770</b>	<b>\$390</b>	<b>\$140</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	400	420	300	140	700	550	†	†	910	320
Off campus	830	180	240	240	5,190	960	760	1,380	1,180	260	200
Living with parents	1,440	130	390	270	1,120	790	890	910	700	1,180	190
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	†	280	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	280
\$1,000–3,999	2,890	120	320	330	†	†	†	†	†	†	110
\$4,000–8,999	610	310	200	100	1,450	780	1,080	2,450	1,160	2,240	110
\$9,000 or more	1,700	1,490	370	240	4,300	570	480	1,140	800	170	200
Sex											
Male	1,530	150	310	260	3,450	640	590	1,990	1,650	590	180
Female	1,630	130	230	180	4,540	560	610	1,150	590	310	160
Race/ethnicity											
White	1,060	150	250	220	5,430	640	470	1,480	1,050	450	170
Black	†	230	610	370	1,900	740	1,450	1,700	950	310	320
Hispanic	800	180	390	260	2,830	810	1,140	1,380	1,070	440	320
Asian	†	330	540	550	†	1,490	1,200	1,990	1,830	1,500	540
American Indian	†	620	700	1,730	†	†	†	†	1,840	1,860	1,050
Pacific Islander	†	940	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,290	1,610
Two or more races	†	360	650	460	†	1,390	1,170	2,260	1,610	890	590
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	150	370	270	4,910	770	480	1,420	1,780	740	240
19–23 years	830	130	250	230	4,240	610	540	1,260	950	450	160
24–29 years	3,140	170	330	320	4,080	920	2,370	1,340	1,020	450	290
30–39 years	1,190	290	520	400	4,780	1,450	2,250	1,380	960	700	310
40 years or older	1,520	260	710	620	2,670	1,030	2,670	1,600	1,220	350	320

See notes at end of table.

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Table S2.1-B.

Standard errors for table 2.1-B: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$700	\$130	\$260	\$220	\$4,870	\$610	\$500	\$1,060	\$1,310	\$430	\$150
Independent	1,580	170	300	240	3,310	560	1,290	1,240	710	410	220
Unmarried, no dependents	†	180	330	320	5,910	1,020	2,040	1,510	1,090	620	320
Married, no dependents	†	310	700	700	†	1,390	†	1,680	1,180	1,020	420
Unmarried with dependents	3,040	260	460	430	2,180	710	2,570	1,280	600	330	260
Married with dependents	1,860	220	470	590	2,700	1,290	2,380	1,480	1,140	640	370
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	160	340	310	7,810	1,090	1,000	1,120	1,190	620	310
\$20,000–39,999	†	190	560	270	2,790	790	1,100	1,300	1,340	740	330
\$40,000–59,999	†	220	510	310	3,550	680	750	2,430	1,260	910	350
\$60,000–79,999	†	230	370	290	4,030	830	1,230	2,300	1,910	1,380	390
\$80,000–99,999	†	260	330	360	†	850	1,080	2,250	2,120	2,230	340
\$100,000 or more	†	260	380	270	5,900	870	770	1,870	2,630	720	300
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	1,540	210	380	290	5,100	1,190	2,280	1,470	650	420	290
\$10,000–19,999	2,220	250	530	390	2,400	980	1,600	1,250	880	350	280
\$20,000–29,999	†	240	470	700	†	1,820	†	1,480	1,050	540	350
\$30,000–49,999	†	380	740	530	†	1,400	†	1,720	1,700	610	560
\$50,000 or more	†	350	830	780	†	1,400	†	1,460	1,530	980	460
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	780	140	230	250	5,130	700	1,020	1,340	710	400	200
Middle 50 percent	1,730	140	280	210	2,930	530	550	1,080	820	310	150
Highest 25 percent	†	240	330	270	4,620	850	820	1,210	1,510	910	310

See notes at end of table.

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Table S2.1-B.

Standard errors for table 2.1-B: AVERAGE TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE: Average total price of attendance for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$1,300	\$150	\$280	\$280	\$4,910	\$610	\$490	\$1,230	\$820	\$410	\$190
Worked part time	1,530	120	260	170	2,630	670	650	1,090	930	380	180
Worked full time	3,090	200	400	350	3,530	780	1,210	1,350	910	500	260
Military status											
Veterans	†	470	790	780	†	2,450	†	3,000	2,680	1,010	650
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,130	1,880
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,370
Nonmilitary students	1,290	120	220	210	3,860	530	470	1,130	690	300	130
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	770	150	260	240	2,410	580	710	1,010	820	330	190
Some postsecondary education	2,070	140	260	250	3,820	580	780	1,500	880	470	200
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,540	160	300	250	6,360	710	550	1,620	980	590	200
Total aid status											
No aid	1,230	220	380	430	†	1,760	1,800	1,790	1,420	1,750	340
Received aid	1,520	110	230	200	3,780	460	480	1,160	790	360	150
Grant status											
No grant	1,200	200	290	290	3,530	1,510	1,300	1,060	960	720	240
Received grant	1,510	120	240	210	4,270	450	490	1,210	760	350	160
Loan status											
No loan	1,430	130	280	300	6,310	1,120	810	2,010	1,120	1,450	220
Received loan	1,090	170	260	190	2,680	440	480	1,120	740	260	150

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 2.1-C.

**TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
<b>Total</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>25.7</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>24.5</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	21.7	29.9	38.7	9.7 !
2-year	44.7	36.2	17.5	1.6
4-year	11.7	19.4	40.4	28.5
Non-doctorate-granting	21.0	31.1	34.2	13.7
Doctorate-granting	6.8	13.3	43.6	36.2
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	‡	28.4	33.1	35.3
4-year	3.8	9.1	16.0	71.1
Non-doctorate-granting	4.4	10.2	17.0	68.4
Doctorate-granting	3.3	8.1	15.1	73.4
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	2.8 !	18.6	30.8	47.8
2-year	3.3 !	23.0	28.5	45.1
4-year	8.0	24.3	29.0	38.8
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	#	8.9	37.6	53.6
Full-time/part-year	18.1	42.4	26.1	13.4
Part-time/full-year	12.2	50.8	29.1	7.9
Part-time/part-year	73.0	19.1	6.4	1.5
Housing				
On campus	2.0	5.7	26.2	66.1
Off campus	26.7	27.9	25.9	19.5
Living with parents	27.3	29.9	26.5	16.3
Tuition and fees				
Less than \$1,000	71.5	22.5	5.6	0.4
\$1,000–3,999	28.1	48.0	22.1	1.9
\$4,000–8,999	0.2	23.3	59.0	17.5
\$9,000 or more	#	0.6	18.9	80.5
Sex				
Male	24.5	25.4	25.1	24.9
Female	22.9	25.9	27.0	24.2
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>				
White	23.6	24.3	26.6	25.4
Black	22.8	28.2	27.1	21.9
Hispanic	26.8	29.2	23.4	20.7
Asian	19.5	21.4	24.9	34.2
American Indian	26.9	28.6	26.6	17.9
Pacific Islander	22.1	29.5	28.1	20.3
Two or more races	17.8	25.9	29.3	27.1

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.1-C.

**TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	14.2	22.9	27.4	35.5
19–23 years	18.8	22.6	27.4	31.2
24–29 years	28.6	29.3	25.7	16.4
30–39 years	29.4	29.2	25.6	15.8
40 years or older	35.6	30.0	21.7	12.7
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>				
Dependent	16.7	21.6	27.6	34.0
Independent <sup>4</sup>	30.1	29.5	24.8	15.7
Unmarried, no dependents	29.6	28.8	25.0	16.6
Married, no dependents	34.7	28.6	23.7	13.0
Unmarried with dependents	26.2	30.4	26.1	17.4
Married with dependents	33.7	29.7	23.4	13.3
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	18.4	28.3	27.8	25.5
\$20,000–39,999	18.2	26.9	27.5	27.4
\$40,000–59,999	17.0	23.2	29.4	30.5
\$60,000–79,999	17.6	21.9	28.6	31.9
\$80,000–99,999	17.5	18.6	29.5	34.4
\$100,000 or more	13.8	14.8	25.6	45.8
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	24.4	29.4	27.3	18.8
\$10,000–19,999	24.1	30.9	27.1	17.9
\$20,000–29,999	30.4	30.3	23.9	15.5
\$30,000–49,999	35.1	28.4	23.5	13.1
\$50,000 or more	40.6	28.4	20.3	10.7
Income group <sup>6</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	21.5	29.1	27.3	22.2
Middle 50 percent	22.8	26.0	27.2	24.0
Highest 25 percent	27.5	21.5	22.9	28.0
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>				
Did not work	18.6	23.3	26.5	31.6
Worked part time	20.3	25.2	29.4	25.2
Worked full time	35.5	29.9	21.3	13.3
Military status <sup>8</sup>				
Veterans	21.1	29.1	25.4	24.5
Military service members				
Active duty	51.1	24.4	13.3	11.1
Reserves	32.0	28.3	17.5	22.1
Nonmilitary students	23.5	25.6	26.3	24.6
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>				
High school diploma or less	26.2	28.8	25.8	19.3
Some postsecondary education	25.5	27.0	26.4	21.1
Bachelor's degree or higher	19.7	21.6	26.5	32.1

See notes at end of table.



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.1-C.

**TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
Total aid status				
No aid	47.9	26.9	15.1	10.0
Received aid	13.4	25.2	30.8	30.6
Grant status				
No grant	37.5	26.8	20.3	15.3
Received grant	14.0	24.9	30.2	30.9
Loan status <sup>10</sup>				
No loan	36.7	30.0	20.0	13.4
Received loan	5.0	19.6	35.0	40.5

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates. Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S2.1-C.

Standard errors for table 2.1-C: TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.40</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>0.35</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	3.35	4.19	3.97	4.05
2-year	0.81	0.72	0.47	0.13
4-year	0.51	0.45	0.74	0.87
Non-doctorate-granting	1.10	1.09	1.15	1.00
Doctorate-granting	0.38	0.41	0.94	1.12
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	†	3.35	4.29	6.54
4-year	0.59	0.63	0.73	0.88
Non-doctorate-granting	0.78	0.80	1.06	1.16
Doctorate-granting	0.77	0.98	1.06	1.30
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	1.22	3.02	2.78	4.98
2-year	1.03	1.53	2.02	1.94
4-year	1.83	0.80	1.04	1.47
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	†	0.40	0.68	0.65
Full-time/part-year	0.74	0.89	0.61	0.58
Part-time/full-year	0.63	0.78	0.62	0.35
Part-time/part-year	0.90	0.81	0.29	0.17
Housing				
On campus	0.30	0.44	0.74	0.86
Off campus	0.61	0.53	0.42	0.47
Living with parents	0.71	0.56	0.52	0.45
Tuition and fees				
Less than \$1,000	1.25	0.96	0.64	0.10
\$1,000–3,999	0.59	0.61	0.51	0.13
\$4,000–8,999	0.05	0.71	0.68	0.51
\$9,000 or more	†	0.17	0.57	0.62
Sex				
Male	0.86	0.61	0.45	0.53
Female	0.36	0.38	0.35	0.33
Race/ethnicity				
White	0.57	0.41	0.39	0.49
Black	0.77	0.79	0.66	0.72
Hispanic	1.03	0.78	0.63	0.74
Asian	1.56	0.92	1.07	1.38
American Indian	3.31	2.88	2.32	1.87
Pacific Islander	4.50	4.23	3.37	2.65
Two or more races	1.41	1.48	1.49	1.27

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.1-C.

Standard errors for table 2.1-C: TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	0.72	0.63	0.70	0.72
19–23 years	0.47	0.43	0.47	0.50
24–29 years	1.00	0.85	0.59	0.50
30–39 years	0.85	0.83	0.72	0.50
40 years or older	1.17	0.96	0.66	0.56
Dependency status				
Dependent	0.48	0.42	0.50	0.54
Independent	0.67	0.62	0.34	0.35
Unmarried, no dependents	0.94	0.91	0.53	0.49
Married, no dependents	1.78	1.28	1.22	0.88
Unmarried with dependents	0.75	0.66	0.70	0.52
Married with dependents	1.22	0.88	0.65	0.60
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	0.87	0.90	0.80	0.82
\$20,000–39,999	0.80	0.81	0.79	0.81
\$40,000–59,999	0.94	0.94	0.96	0.92
\$60,000–79,999	1.01	0.90	0.99	0.99
\$80,000–99,999	1.58	1.09	1.18	1.09
\$100,000 or more	0.83	0.61	0.77	1.02
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	0.80	0.88	0.67	0.63
\$10,000–19,999	0.97	0.93	0.72	0.59
\$20,000–29,999	1.33	1.10	0.80	0.55
\$30,000–49,999	1.22	1.15	0.82	0.72
\$50,000 or more	1.89	1.06	0.98	0.63
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	0.60	0.65	0.54	0.49
Middle 50 percent	0.47	0.48	0.38	0.37
Highest 25 percent	1.19	0.54	0.64	0.77
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	0.59	0.49	0.38	0.54
Worked part time	0.60	0.47	0.47	0.46
Worked full time	0.79	0.65	0.48	0.40
Military status				
Veterans	1.81	1.51	1.25	1.77
Military service members				
Active duty	5.00	3.06	2.32	2.30
Reserves	5.93	4.79	3.57	4.37
Nonmilitary students	0.48	0.41	0.30	0.33
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	0.56	0.61	0.46	0.41
Some postsecondary education	0.69	0.60	0.42	0.45
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.66	0.39	0.48	0.58

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.1-C.

Standard errors for table 2.1-C: TOTAL PRICE OF ATTENDANCE DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to total price of attendance, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$7,000	\$7,000–12,999	\$13,000–21,999	\$22,000 or more
Total aid status				
No aid	1.34	0.71	0.63	0.44
Received aid	0.39	0.39	0.44	0.44
Grant status				
No grant	1.13	0.61	0.55	0.46
Received grant	0.44	0.41	0.44	0.44
Loan status				
No loan	0.84	0.47	0.43	0.37
Received loan	0.25	0.49	0.53	0.55

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.2-A.

TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,600</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>	<b>\$4,200</b>	<b>\$8,200</b>	<b>\$10,500</b>	<b>\$19,600</b>	<b>\$23,900</b>	<b>\$12,700</b>	<b>\$11,900</b>	<b>\$9,000</b>	<b>\$7,000</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	5,800	2,800	6,700	10,100	15,200	25,900	31,300	16,200	16,900	14,700	12,700
Full-time/part-year	2,400	1,600	3,500	6,300	7,200	12,200	13,900	11,700	9,700	6,100	5,600
Part-time/full-year	3,200	1,600	3,000	6,300	8,100 !	12,100	12,100	12,900	11,900	10,100	3,900
Part-time/part-year	1,600	800	1,600	3,000	6,600	4,800	5,800	9,200	6,200	4,400	1,800
Housing											
On campus	‡	2,600	7,600	10,200	13,300	26,800	30,900	‡	‡	17,100	17,900
Off campus	3,800	1,500	3,400	7,700	11,200	12,200	18,800	14,300	12,200	9,000	5,500
Living with parents	3,500	1,600	3,800	7,200	7,700	14,900	18,000	10,600	11,500	8,600	5,100
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	1,100	800	1,200	1,800	‡	1,800	1,800	3,100	2,200	1,600	1,000
\$7,000–12,999	2,400	1,800	2,800	3,800	5,300	4,500	4,200	6,200	5,100	4,200	2,600
\$13,000–21,999	4,700	2,600	5,300	6,900	8,300	8,800	8,700	10,000	9,600	7,700	5,900
\$22,000 or more	8,700	3,900	9,000	12,700	17,600	25,700	30,200	17,600	17,400	14,500	18,700
Sex											
Male	3,200	1,600	4,200	8,500	11,900	19,900	24,300	13,700	13,400	8,800	7,000
Female	4,000	1,500	4,200	8,000	9,800	19,400	23,600	12,400	11,000	9,100	7,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	3,500	1,600	4,500	8,400	11,200	20,100	23,700	12,800	11,800	8,900	7,300
Black	2,900 !	1,600	3,700	7,100	11,600	14,900	18,400	13,100	12,200	8,600	6,200
Hispanic	4,200	1,200	3,100	7,200	10,900	19,500	25,700	12,300	11,800	9,600	5,800
Asian	‡	1,800	4,700	10,700	‡	27,000	30,200	13,700	11,500	9,700	9,800
American Indian	‡	1,500	2,800	6,600	‡	‡	‡	9,800 !	9,700	7,700	5,200
Pacific Islander	‡	1,300	‡	8,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	14,100	10,200	6,500
Two or more races	‡	1,600	4,600	7,600	‡	22,500	24,600	13,300	11,500	10,700	7,700

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.2-A.

**TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$2,700	\$1,900	\$5,400	\$9,900	\$15,300	\$25,600	\$29,600	\$14,400	\$13,900	\$12,900	\$9,900
19–23 years	3,100	1,700	5,100	9,100	12,600	23,400	28,400	13,000	12,100	10,500	8,800
24–29 years	3,700	1,400	3,000	5,900	9,200	13,200	14,000	12,300	12,000	8,800	4,800
30–39 years	4,200	1,400	2,600	4,900	9,400	9,000	11,000	12,700	11,200	8,400	4,600
40 years or older	4,200	1,200	2,300	4,500	7,800	8,000	9,000	11,400	10,900	8,200	4,000
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	2,900	1,800	5,300	9,300	14,600	24,300	29,100	13,000	12,900	12,700	9,500
Independent <sup>5</sup>	4,000	1,400	2,800	5,700	9,000	10,700	12,500	12,600	11,400	8,400	4,700
Unmarried, no dependents	3,400	1,400	3,200	6,300	10,300	13,000	15,400	12,500	12,300	9,000	5,000
Married, no dependents	4,900	1,300	2,800	5,700	8,400	10,100	11,400	11,300	11,100	8,500	4,100
Unmarried with dependents	3,800	1,400	2,700	5,500	8,500	10,600	12,600	12,800	11,300	8,300	5,000
Married with dependents	4,300	1,300	2,500	4,600	8,000	8,400	8,900	12,700	10,300	8,000	4,100
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	2,600 !	1,700	4,300	8,200	14,400	19,300	26,600	13,100	12,000	11,600	7,300
\$20,000–39,999	2,600	1,800	4,800	8,700	14,800	21,600	28,300	12,900	12,200	12,000	8,000
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,900	5,200	8,900	12,500	23,400	28,000	13,100	13,200	14,100	8,800
\$60,000–79,999	‡	1,800	5,900	9,000	13,600	23,300	27,700	12,900	13,000	14,200	9,100
\$80,000–99,999	‡	1,800	5,400	9,300	‡	24,000	26,900	14,000	14,300	11,200	9,500
\$100,000 or more	‡	1,800	6,100	10,200	14,500	27,800	31,600	12,200	14,600	15,100	12,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	2,600	1,500	3,500	6,700	9,700	14,900	17,700	13,300	10,800	8,500	5,400
\$10,000–19,999	6,200	1,500	3,100	6,100	8,200	9,400	15,000	12,700	11,900	9,100	5,100
\$20,000–29,999	4,600	1,400	2,700	5,600	10,000	9,900	11,100	12,000	11,900	9,200	4,500
\$30,000–49,999	3,500	1,200	2,500	5,000	7,700	9,300	10,900	11,000	12,800	8,000	4,200
\$50,000 or more	4,400	1,200	2,200	4,300	8,400	8,800	8,400	11,000	9,900	7,400	3,600

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.2-A.

**TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$2,600	\$1,600	\$4,000	\$7,800	\$11,400	\$18,200	\$24,400	\$13,100	\$11,200	\$9,200	\$6,400
Middle 50 percent	4,400	1,600	4,300	8,100	10,000	19,000	23,600	12,600	12,300	9,300	6,900
Highest 25 percent	4,000	1,400	4,200	8,800	10,400	21,600	24,100	11,700	12,100	8,100	7,900
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	3,200	1,600	4,800	9,500	11,900	22,500	27,200	12,800	11,800	9,200	8,900
Worked part time	4,200	1,700	4,500	8,000	9,700	20,500	24,500	12,900	12,200	9,900	7,100
Worked full time	3,500	1,300	2,800	5,400	8,400	10,600	11,900	12,200	11,400	8,400	4,200
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	1,600	2,900	6,500	15,600	11,000	10,900	17,600	13,900	9,300	5,700
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	1,200	‡	3,900	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	4,500	3,500
Reserves	‡	1,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,800	4,100
Nonmilitary students	3,600	1,500	4,200	8,300	10,300	20,100	24,400	12,600	11,700	9,100	7,100
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	3,400	1,500	3,700	7,200	10,100	15,000	19,500	13,100	11,500	8,600	5,600
Some postsecondary education	4,800	1,500	4,100	7,600	9,900	18,000	21,200	12,500	11,600	9,300	6,100
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,600	1,600	4,700	9,000	12,000	22,800	26,700	11,800	12,500	9,500	9,100
Total aid status											
No aid	3,100	1,300	3,300	8,000	8,100	16,200	21,300	9,800	9,900	5,900	4,000
Received aid	3,900	1,700	4,600	8,300	11,100	20,100	24,400	13,100	12,300	9,300	8,300
Grant status											
No grant	3,200	1,400	3,800	8,100	9,000	14,600	19,000	10,800	11,700	7,700	5,000
Received grant	3,800	1,700	4,500	8,300	11,100	21,000	25,600	13,300	12,000	9,500	8,400
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	3,300	1,400	3,400	8,100	9,300	18,900	23,100	10,600	9,900	5,900	4,700
Received loan	4,900	2,100	5,300	8,300	11,800	20,000	24,500	13,400	13,000	10,000	10,300

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.2-A.

## TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12 —Continued

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: Tuition includes all tuition and fees. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.2-A.

Standard errors for table 2.2-A: TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$480</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$1,760</b>	<b>\$450</b>	<b>\$440</b>	<b>\$950</b>	<b>\$440</b>	<b>\$270</b>	<b>\$70</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	980	50	190	160	3,010	480	400	1,090	680	260	110
Full-time/part-year	510	40	180	160	1,120	940	1,020	990	500	130	120
Part-time/full-year	270	30	120	100	3,060	940	840	1,730	540	780	70
Part-time/part-year	370	30	70	80	1,640	530	610	1,150	280	290	40
Housing											
On campus	†	200	320	190	130	610	520	†	†	910	270
Off campus	490	30	120	150	2,180	580	670	1,240	650	200	90
Living with parents	670	30	180	140	1,250	790	790	760	420	1,080	90
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	160	30	40	50	†	260	280	350	330	120	20
\$7,000–12,999	400	40	80	50	710	240	280	370	250	110	30
\$13,000–21,999	630	50	110	40	1,220	350	290	580	380	120	50
\$22,000 or more	1,070	160	340	180	3,350	480	420	1,000	550	130	150
Sex											
Male	650	40	160	160	1,960	570	670	2,120	820	470	100
Female	490	30	160	110	1,990	540	530	860	370	170	70
Race/ethnicity											
White	540	30	150	130	3,320	580	510	1,310	600	260	90
Black	1,190	40	270	200	1,330	720	1,190	1,100	460	250	130
Hispanic	740	50	340	190	1,140	1,610	1,180	1,020	820	330	180
Asian	†	90	300	390	†	1,950	1,040	1,580	1,460	1,600	350
American Indian	†	140	350	850	†	†	†	4,220	1,690	740	420
Pacific Islander	†	140	†	840	†	†	†	†	2,040	1,030	630
Two or more races	†	70	300	310	†	1,280	2,160	1,490	930	620	310

See notes at end of table.

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Table S2.2-A.

Standard errors for table 2.2-A: TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			
	Less- than- 2-year	2-year	4-year non- doctorate- granting	4-year doctorate- granting	Less- than- 4-year	4-year non- doctorate- granting	4-year doctorate- granting	Less- than- 2-year	2-year	4-year	All institutions
Student characteristics											
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$760	\$40	\$220	\$180	\$3,120	\$640	\$740	\$1,000	\$960	\$540	\$160
19–23 years	490	30	180	150	2,140	560	490	880	510	390	90
24–29 years	750	40	120	130	1,990	840	1,260	1,020	500	320	110
30–39 years	450	30	120	150	1,740	680	810	1,140	520	280	90
40 years or older	930	50	100	130	1,560	630	840	1,310	740	380	100
Dependency status											
Dependent	640	40	200	140	2,900	530	450	850	630	280	100
Independent	490	30	90	90	1,410	470	670	1,020	430	290	70
Unmarried, no dependents	650	40	120	140	2,890	750	1,190	1,250	610	360	100
Married, no dependents	1,280	70	200	230	2,350	830	1,400	1,540	570	520	160
Unmarried with dependents	610	30	130	150	1,140	610	1,280	890	410	210	90
Married with dependents	830	40	100	140	1,040	630	950	1,340	700	460	110
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	1,120	50	300	180	2,280	1,050	1,220	1,040	690	520	180
\$20,000–39,999	630	50	370	190	1,730	660	1,170	790	730	530	200
\$40,000–59,999	†	50	260	230	2,020	720	1,360	1,160	920	780	210
\$60,000–79,999	†	60	250	190	3,160	1,120	1,080	1,520	1,090	1,000	230
\$80,000–99,999	†	80	270	260	†	1,170	1,150	1,540	1,480	1,120	250
\$100,000 or more	†	60	230	190	4,280	770	690	1,210	1,780	750	220
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	510	40	140	160	2,210	880	1,400	1,080	590	260	110
\$10,000–19,999	1,340	40	160	170	1,000	830	2,050	1,070	550	280	120
\$20,000–29,999	850	40	160	220	1,780	900	1,710	1,020	620	370	110
\$30,000–49,999	670	40	130	180	1,300	860	1,680	1,050	810	400	120
\$50,000 or more	590	50	140	140	1,320	550	630	1,430	610	580	120

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.2-A.

Standard errors for table 2.2-A: TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$480	\$40	\$200	\$140	\$2,180	\$670	\$920	\$960	\$480	\$280	\$100
Middle 50 percent	660	30	160	130	1,400	480	590	980	460	270	70
Highest 25 percent	430	40	180	170	2,220	870	860	1,130	730	530	170
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	620	40	170	180	2,360	560	570	1,020	510	240	110
Worked part time	640	30	180	100	1,520	620	620	910	570	210	90
Worked full time	890	30	110	130	1,630	470	670	1,060	490	370	70
Military status											
Veterans	†	60	210	290	3,350	1,540	3,840	4,500	1,100	890	300
Military service members											
Active duty	†	210	†	540	†	†	†	†	†	1,260	410
Reserves	†	180	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	970	500
Nonmilitary students	490	30	150	130	1,720	420	440	910	430	170	60
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	610	30	150	140	1,110	450	910	970	450	260	80
Some postsecondary education	800	30	140	150	1,760	520	700	1,090	470	290	90
Bachelor's degree or higher	540	40	180	160	3,560	700	550	920	590	440	130
Total aid status											
No aid	560	40	160	250	1,810	1,460	1,060	1,140	640	410	100
Received aid	560	40	160	110	1,840	410	450	980	470	300	80
Grant status											
No grant	470	40	150	170	1,550	1,010	1,010	1,130	590	300	100
Received grant	590	40	180	120	2,000	420	500	970	500	330	90
Loan status											
No loan	550	30	160	170	2,470	950	770	1,080	540	660	80
Received loan	550	50	170	110	1,480	360	490	950	460	160	100

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 2.2-B.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES:** Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,800</b>	<b>\$2,800</b>	<b>\$6,700</b>	<b>\$10,100</b>	<b>\$15,200</b>	<b>\$25,900</b>	<b>\$31,300</b>	<b>\$16,200</b>	<b>\$16,900</b>	<b>\$14,700</b>	<b>\$12,700</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	3,500	8,400	11,100	14,500	28,300	33,400	‡	‡	21,700	19,900
Off campus	5,300	2,800	5,900	10,000	16,800	20,700	29,300	18,000	18,100	14,000	10,500
Living with parents	6,800	2,700	6,200	9,100	10,400	22,500	26,900	13,600	15,900	15,900	9,100
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
\$7,000–12,999	‡	2,400	3,800	5,400	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,700
\$13,000–21,999	4,900	2,800	5,700	7,100	6,500	9,100	7,000	11,600	9,900	10,400	5,500
\$22,000 or more	8,900	4,500	9,200	12,800	17,600	26,700	32,100	16,900	18,000	15,300	19,400
Sex											
Male	5,100	2,900	6,700	10,400	16,800	25,500	31,900	18,200	19,300	15,400	12,800
Female	6,500	2,800	6,600	9,900	14,100	26,200	30,800	15,600	15,500	14,300	12,700
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	6,100	3,000	7,100	10,300	16,900	26,500	31,000	17,000	17,400	14,400	13,100
Black	‡	2,900	5,700	8,900	15,200	19,600	27,600	16,600	17,100	14,200	11,200
Hispanic	5,400	2,100	5,400	9,000	14,100	26,500	32,100	15,100	15,900	15,700	10,800
Asian	‡	3,600	7,000	12,600	‡	32,600	35,000	15,300	16,600	17,300	16,000
American Indian	‡	2,700	5,400	9,300	‡	‡	‡	‡	15,800	14,300	10,200
Pacific Islander	‡	2,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	15,300	12,500
Two or more races	‡	2,500	6,400	9,100	‡	27,100	32,100	16,800	16,700	15,300	12,800
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	2,800	6,800	10,500	16,400	27,600	32,400	17,300	19,400	19,400	13,900
19–23 years	5,600	2,900	7,100	10,400	16,700	27,100	32,200	16,600	17,400	17,400	13,700
24–29 years	4,800	2,700	5,400	8,500	13,300	20,200	25,100	16,000	17,000	14,700	9,700
30–39 years	6,600	2,600	5,000	8,300	17,100	16,500	18,000	16,100	15,600	13,400	9,200
40 years or older	7,300	2,700	4,400	7,500	11,100	15,200	22,100	14,800	15,400	13,300	9,600

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.2-B.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES:** Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$5,000	\$2,900	\$7,100	\$10,500	\$17,700	\$27,500	\$32,400	\$16,700	\$18,500	\$18,500	\$14,100
Independent <sup>4</sup>	6,100	2,700	5,300	8,600	13,300	18,500	23,900	16,000	16,000	13,900	9,600
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	2,800	5,700	8,900	16,600	21,600	25,800	16,400	18,000	14,800	10,200
Married, no dependents	‡	2,600	6,200	8,300	‡	16,900	‡	14,300	15,000	14,200	8,900
Unmarried with dependents	5,900	2,600	4,500	8,100	9,700	16,400	24,600	15,900	15,000	14,000	9,500
Married with dependents	6,900	2,700	5,000	8,000	11,600	16,200	20,000	16,300	15,500	12,900	8,800
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	2,700	5,900	9,200	16,800	24,500	29,900	16,700	17,600	18,100	11,100
\$20,000–39,999	‡	2,900	6,500	9,800	16,300	25,000	32,100	17,200	18,000	17,400	12,200
\$40,000–59,999	‡	2,900	6,900	9,800	15,300	26,000	32,100	17,400	18,000	18,400	12,900
\$60,000–79,999	‡	3,100	7,200	10,300	18,200	27,200	30,600	16,400	19,500	19,400	13,700
\$80,000–99,999	‡	2,900	7,400	10,300	‡	26,800	31,200	15,200	20,800	19,200	14,100
\$100,000 or more	‡	3,000	8,200	11,600	18,100	29,900	34,100	16,000	19,500	20,600	17,200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	4,400	2,700	5,500	8,800	14,200	21,600	26,100	16,600	15,200	14,700	9,600
\$10,000–19,999	8,700	2,600	5,100	8,400	10,300	16,700	25,300	15,700	16,000	14,600	9,700
\$20,000–29,999	‡	2,700	4,900	8,500	‡	16,900	‡	16,200	16,400	13,800	9,200
\$30,000–49,999	‡	2,800	5,000	7,900	‡	16,100	‡	15,500	18,600	13,600	10,000
\$50,000 or more	‡	2,800	5,700	8,300	‡	16,800	‡	12,600	14,500	12,300	9,100
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	4,500	2,700	5,800	9,300	15,500	23,600	30,000	16,700	16,600	15,600	10,700
Middle 50 percent	6,400	2,900	6,700	9,800	14,500	25,200	30,400	16,000	16,900	14,700	12,300
Highest 25 percent	‡	2,900	7,900	11,400	16,100	28,400	33,200	14,700	17,500	13,300	15,700

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 2.2-B.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$5,800	\$2,900	\$7,000	\$11,000	\$16,500	\$27,100	\$32,500	\$16,400	\$16,800	\$15,000	\$14,600
Worked part time	5,900	2,800	6,700	9,500	13,100	25,500	30,800	15,900	17,200	15,900	11,600
Worked full time	5,300 !	2,700	5,500	8,700	14,200	20,200	22,900	16,200	16,800	13,900	9,700
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	2,800	5,400	8,900	‡	20,200	‡	21,300	19,800	14,900	11,000
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	10,400	9,700
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	8,900
Nonmilitary students	5,800	2,800	6,700	10,100	14,900	26,000	31,400	16,000	16,700	14,700	12,800
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	5,500	2,700	5,900	9,100	14,200	22,500	29,400	16,500	16,600	14,300	10,400
Some postsecondary education	7,200	2,800	6,700	9,300	13,900	24,300	28,500	16,000	16,900	14,800	11,100
Bachelor's degree or higher	5,200	2,900	7,200	10,900	17,900	27,900	32,600	15,600	17,300	15,300	15,100
Total aid status											
No aid	5,900	3,100	7,400	12,100	‡	33,600	36,100	14,100	17,700	16,100	11,200
Received aid	5,800	2,700	6,500	9,800	15,100	25,300	30,700	16,300	16,800	14,600	13,000
Grant status											
No grant	6,000	3,100	7,500	11,300	15,200	28,300	33,900	15,600	18,900	14,800	11,400
Received grant	5,700	2,700	6,300	9,600	15,200	25,600	30,800	16,300	16,100	14,700	13,200
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	5,500	2,700	6,200	10,800	15,100 !	28,700	33,400	13,400	16,300	14,000	10,500
Received loan	7,000	3,100	7,000	9,700	15,300	24,700	30,200	16,800	17,100	14,800	14,400

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.2-B.

## AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S2.2-B.

Standard errors for table 2.2-B: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$980</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$3,010</b>	<b>\$480</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$1,090</b>	<b>\$680</b>	<b>\$260</b>	<b>\$110</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	300	360	230	20	630	520	†	†	610	290
Off campus	1,160	60	170	190	3,680	690	550	1,130	960	180	160
Living with parents	1,210	60	220	210	1,650	680	830	1,150	710	810	180
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
\$7,000–12,999	†	60	280	80	†	†	†	†	†	†	60
\$13,000–21,999	930	60	100	50	1,350	320	370	850	540	800	50
\$22,000 or more	1,230	190	340	190	3,400	500	410	1,180	690	130	170
Sex											
Male	1,120	60	230	190	2,840	600	490	2,080	1,250	390	150
Female	920	50	200	140	3,510	500	520	990	600	210	130
Race/ethnicity											
White	1,100	60	220	150	4,440	570	400	1,410	830	300	140
Black	†	80	340	250	1,220	740	1,200	1,160	880	250	240
Hispanic	1,340	80	440	190	1,990	800	940	1,690	1,420	320	290
Asian	†	190	440	500	†	1,280	990	1,640	1,360	940	490
American Indian	†	210	170	1,140	†	†	†	†	1,680	1,470	890
Pacific Islander	†	390	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,010	1,390
Two or more races	†	170	330	330	†	1,220	1,170	2,040	1,270	660	540
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	70	250	200	3,770	680	410	1,380	1,440	460	210
19–23 years	1,010	60	200	180	2,810	550	460	910	870	250	140
24–29 years	1,140	80	210	190	3,570	900	1,900	1,000	690	310	240
30–39 years	1,560	90	300	300	3,850	1,240	1,870	1,520	640	400	230
40 years or older	1,340	90	400	280	2,470	980	2,110	2,110	1,330	230	280

See notes at end of table.



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Table S2.2-B.

Standard errors for table 2.2-B: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$900	\$50	\$210	\$160	\$3,210	\$550	\$440	\$860	\$1,140	\$250	\$130
Independent	1,110	60	170	160	2,980	520	1,050	1,210	580	270	170
Unmarried, no dependents	†	90	210	210	4,940	900	1,680	1,640	920	340	260
Married, no dependents	†	140	490	380	†	1,230	†	1,920	1,050	650	360
Unmarried with dependents	960	70	290	280	2,140	850	2,170	980	590	160	220
Married with dependents	1,680	90	200	290	1,750	1,020	2,040	1,600	730	420	290
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	80	350	210	2,620	900	710	950	1,250	450	260
\$20,000–39,999	†	80	340	200	1,860	680	930	940	1,140	420	290
\$40,000–59,999	†	100	370	250	2,610	660	650	1,150	950	510	330
\$60,000–79,999	†	120	270	230	2,980	730	890	1,940	1,820	890	320
\$80,000–99,999	†	140	290	290	†	730	910	2,350	1,610	980	300
\$100,000 or more	†	100	310	220	4,850	780	630	1,410	2,020	510	270
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	1,200	90	210	210	4,380	1,100	1,790	1,220	730	280	240
\$10,000–19,999	1,620	80	350	260	2,220	1,050	1,490	1,480	750	210	260
\$20,000–29,999	†	100	280	390	†	1,360	†	1,240	640	280	300
\$30,000–49,999	†	120	390	300	†	1,240	†	1,660	1,340	440	470
\$50,000 or more	†	130	620	370	†	1,000	†	1,380	820	550	340
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	1,070	60	220	180	3,540	600	750	1,080	760	270	150
Middle 50 percent	1,130	60	220	150	2,590	510	490	1,120	650	210	140
Highest 25 percent	†	80	290	220	3,680	750	660	1,520	1,170	560	260

See notes at end of table.

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Table S2.2-B.

Standard errors for table 2.2-B: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$1,050	\$60	\$230	\$220	\$3,650	\$580	\$480	\$1,060	\$750	\$280	\$150
Worked part time	1,110	50	210	120	2,550	580	490	1,200	810	280	160
Worked full time	1,780	70	300	240	2,070	660	1,160	1,310	690	300	200
Military status											
Veterans	†	120	480	380	†	1,680	†	3,720	1,680	640	540
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,410	1,600
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,170
Nonmilitary students	1,010	50	180	160	2,990	480	400	1,040	660	220	110
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	1,200	60	190	160	2,230	480	660	1,130	740	240	160
Some postsecondary education	1,150	60	180	180	3,100	490	580	1,190	740	330	170
Bachelor's degree or higher	550	70	240	200	4,660	640	470	1,190	790	360	180
Total aid status											
No aid	860	80	330	370	†	1,620	1,630	1,620	1,300	960	290
Received aid	1,160	60	190	140	2,940	410	410	1,110	700	250	120
Grant status											
No grant	780	70	260	250	2,880	1,360	1,130	1,110	790	430	210
Received grant	1,180	60	200	150	3,260	410	430	1,140	720	240	130
Loan status											
No loan	1,110	50	220	240	5,310	1,000	700	2,790	1,150	940	180
Received loan	820	70	200	140	1,960	390	410	930	630	190	140

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 2.2-C.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES:** Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,400</b>	<b>\$1,200</b>	<b>\$2,600</b>	<b>\$5,300</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	<b>\$9,700</b>	<b>\$10,800</b>	<b>\$11,400</b>	<b>\$9,400</b>	<b>\$6,300</b>	<b>\$3,600</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	1,500	5,000	7,500	‡	18,200	16,700	‡	‡	12,400	9,900
Off campus	2,900	1,200	2,300	5,000	7,600	6,800	9,200	12,800	9,600	6,400	3,400
Living with parents	1,900	1,200	2,600	4,700	5,600	9,300	10,000	9,500	9,200	6,000	3,200
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	1,100	800	1,200	1,800	‡	1,800	1,800	3,100	2,200	1,600	1,000
\$7,000–12,999	2,400	1,600	2,700	3,700	5,300	4,500	4,200	6,200	5,100	4,200	2,600
\$13,000–21,999	4,400	2,200	4,500	6,400	9,000	8,800	9,000	9,800	9,600	7,300	6,300
\$22,000 or more	‡	2,100	6,700	12,300	17,300	20,100	20,200	18,400	16,500	12,300	15,400
Sex											
Male	2,000	1,200	2,600	5,500	7,200	10,100	11,100	11,900	10,300	6,100	3,500
Female	2,700	1,200	2,500	5,200	7,200	9,500	10,600	11,200	8,900	6,500	3,700
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	2,600	1,200	2,700	5,500	6,200	9,800	10,500	11,300	9,300	6,200	3,600
Black	‡	1,400	2,700	4,800	9,300	8,700	7,700	11,700	9,200	6,300	3,800
Hispanic	2,400	1,000	2,000	4,400	9,400	9,000	13,700	11,200	9,800	6,500	3,200
Asian	‡	1,300	3,500	7,100	‡	14,800	16,400	12,900	8,600	6,500	4,400
American Indian	‡	1,100	2,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	8,000	5,100	3,000
Pacific Islander	‡	1,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	10,900	7,100	3,400
Two or more races	‡	1,300	2,800	5,200	‡	13,000	‡	11,300	9,900	7,300	3,900
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	1,800	1,400	3,200	7,700	12,100	16,600	14,900	13,000	9,900	9,000	4,200
19–23 years	2,000	1,300	3,000	6,200	8,600	12,600	14,800	11,800	9,600	7,100	4,100
24–29 years	2,700	1,200	2,300	4,400	6,500	8,600	8,500	10,800	9,300	6,400	3,300
30–39 years	3,600	1,200	2,000	3,700	6,700	6,900	9,100	11,400	9,100	5,900	3,300
40 years or older	1,800	1,000	2,000	3,700	5,900	6,100	6,600	9,900	8,700	5,800	2,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.2-C.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES:** Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$1,900	\$1,300	\$3,200	\$6,500	\$9,200	\$13,500	\$15,100	\$11,600	\$9,700	\$8,800	\$4,200
Independent <sup>4</sup>	2,700	1,100	2,200	4,100	6,800	7,300	8,300	11,300	9,200	6,000	3,300
Unmarried, no dependents	2,300	1,100	2,400	4,500	5,900	8,000	10,000	11,000	9,600	6,500	3,300
Married, no dependents	‡	1,100	2,100	4,200	‡	7,500	8,100	10,400	9,600	6,200	2,900
Unmarried with dependents	2,900 !	1,200	2,200	4,000	8,100	7,800	8,300	11,500	9,500	5,800	3,600
Married with dependents	2,700	1,100	2,000	3,500	6,700	6,100	6,700	11,300	8,000	5,600	3,000
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	1,300	2,700	5,300	11,900	9,600	15,000	11,700	8,500	7,500	3,800
\$20,000–39,999	‡	1,300	3,100	5,600	‡	10,300	15,700	11,400	9,200	8,500	3,700
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,400	3,500	6,200	‡	14,300	12,700	11,500	10,700	9,900	4,000
\$60,000–79,999	‡	1,400	3,700	6,300	‡	12,100	16,400	11,500	10,000	11,100	4,200
\$80,000–99,999	‡	1,300	3,000	6,900	‡	12,600	11,600	13,600	9,900	8,200	4,100
\$100,000 or more	‡	1,300	3,300	7,100	‡	18,500	16,800	11,100	11,300	10,600	5,200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	1,800	1,200	2,500	4,600	7,300	9,500	11,300	11,900	9,100	6,000	3,800
\$10,000–19,999	3,300	1,200	2,300	4,400	7,200	6,300	9,100	11,400	9,600	6,400	3,500
\$20,000–29,999	‡	1,200	2,000	4,200	7,700	7,800	7,300	10,500	9,300	6,600	3,200
\$30,000–49,999	2,600	1,100	2,100	3,900	5,500	6,000	7,700	9,600	9,700	5,800	3,000
\$50,000 or more	‡	1,000	1,900	3,500	5,300	6,900	7,100	10,600	8,500	5,400	2,800
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	1,800	1,300	2,600	4,900	8,300	9,700	12,200	11,600	8,600	6,400	3,700
Middle 50 percent	2,800	1,200	2,700	5,500	7,200	9,400	11,200	11,300	9,900	6,500	3,600
Highest 25 percent	3,000	1,100	2,400	5,300	5,500	10,300	9,600	10,800	9,600	5,800	3,500

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.2-C.

**AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$2,400	\$1,300	\$3,000	\$6,200	\$7,200	\$11,600	\$13,200	\$11,300	\$9,500	\$6,500	\$4,300
Worked part time	2,500	1,300	2,700	5,500	7,400	11,000	10,800	11,700	9,500	6,800	3,600
Worked full time	2,400	1,100	2,100	4,000	7,000	6,600	7,700	11,000	8,700	6,000	2,900
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	1,300	2,200	4,400	‡	6,800	‡	14,800 !	10,600	5,800	3,500
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	1,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,200 !	2,500
Reserves	‡	800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	5,100	2,900
Nonmilitary students	2,400	1,200	2,600	5,400	7,200	10,000	11,100	11,300	9,300	6,500	3,600
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	2,500	1,200	2,500	4,600	7,800	8,200	10,100	11,700	9,100	6,200	3,400
Some postsecondary education	2,800	1,200	2,600	5,000	6,700	8,600	10,500	11,000	9,000	6,500	3,300
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,500	1,300	2,700	5,800	6,500	11,700	11,100	10,700	10,200	6,500	4,100
Total aid status											
No aid	1,600 !	1,100	2,200	5,100	6,000	7,100	10,700	9,300	8,000	4,600	2,400
Received aid	2,800	1,400	2,800	5,400	7,700	10,400	10,800	11,700	9,700	6,600	4,400
Grant status											
No grant	1,900	1,100	2,400	5,100	6,000	7,100	9,100	9,700	8,900	5,700	2,900
Received grant	2,700	1,300	2,800	5,500	7,800	11,200	12,000	11,900	9,600	6,600	4,300
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	2,000	1,100	2,300	5,200	6,400	9,000	10,000	10,000	7,900	4,400	2,500
Received loan	3,900	1,700	3,400	5,400	8,300	10,300	11,500	11,900	10,400	7,200	6,000

See notes at end of table.

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Table 2.2-C.

## AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Includes full-time/part-year, part-time/full-year, and part-time/part-year students. Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Students who were enrolled part time for any amount of time during the 9-month academic year, including those who were enrolled full time for part of the year, are included in the part-time/full-year or part-time/part-year categories. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S2.2-C.

Standard errors for table 2.2-C: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$1,040</b>	<b>\$690</b>	<b>\$630</b>	<b>\$950</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$60</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	110	440	210	†	1,170	1,830	†	†	1,040	440
Off campus	280	30	80	110	1,270	510	600	1,280	620	160	70
Living with parents	280	30	130	90	1,100	1,200	1,070	740	380	840	90
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	160	30	40	50	†	260	280	350	330	120	20
\$7,000–12,999	400	40	80	50	710	240	280	370	250	110	30
\$13,000–21,999	410	70	150	80	1,280	420	330	620	420	100	90
\$22,000 or more	†	280	1,110	390	4,240	1,320	1,010	900	510	260	330
Sex											
Male	220	40	110	140	870	700	840	1,970	740	400	80
Female	370	30	100	90	1,180	820	710	940	380	180	70
Race/ethnicity											
White	290	30	80	100	1,400	720	720	1,250	550	270	70
Black	†	40	290	180	1,210	830	810	1,080	420	220	100
Hispanic	650	50	190	170	1,180	1,640	1,490	1,050	680	290	140
Asian	†	60	270	400	†	3,560	2,000	2,230	1,760	1,340	270
American Indian	†	130	390	†	†	†	†	†	1,690	500	280
Pacific Islander	†	150	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,530	1,030	350
Two or more races	†	70	270	420	†	2,010	†	1,220	840	420	220
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	500	40	220	250	2,580	1,510	2,510	1,170	680	510	170
19–23 years	270	30	150	150	1,420	1,050	1,160	920	420	350	90
24–29 years	700	40	100	110	1,510	1,130	990	980	500	300	90
30–39 years	230	30	100	130	790	650	790	1,080	580	250	80
40 years or older	500	50	90	130	1,590	560	620	1,320	810	370	80

See notes at end of table.

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Table S2.2-C.

Standard errors for table 2.2-C: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$360	\$30	\$170	\$150	\$2,160	\$1,070	\$1,290	\$930	\$540	\$280	\$100
Independent	210	30	70	80	1,060	560	510	1,000	430	260	60
Unmarried, no dependents	550	40	100	110	1,380	840	920	1,100	590	290	80
Married, no dependents	†	60	130	230	†	910	1,220	1,630	580	480	130
Unmarried with dependents	960	40	110	130	1,090	690	950	930	510	200	80
Married with dependents	550	40	90	130	1,070	530	980	1,340	670	440	90
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	50	260	290	2,380	1,350	2,650	1,230	600	420	170
\$20,000–39,999	†	40	410	390	†	1,150	2,730	830	700	610	150
\$40,000–59,999	†	60	210	320	†	1,090	3,150	1,200	890	860	160
\$60,000–79,999	†	50	260	270	†	1,840	2,330	1,680	1,010	1,220	210
\$80,000–99,999	†	70	270	310	†	3,160	2,590	1,820	1,560	1,190	230
\$100,000 or more	†	50	140	250	†	1,910	1,640	1,400	1,990	690	220
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	390	40	130	150	1,380	1,190	1,320	1,060	590	230	100
\$10,000–19,999	640	40	100	170	1,030	720	1,770	1,090	590	290	100
\$20,000–29,999	†	40	170	220	1,520	1,010	1,280	980	710	350	100
\$30,000–49,999	530	40	110	190	1,010	690	1,050	950	900	340	70
\$50,000 or more	†	50	110	130	900	500	580	1,680	670	570	100
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	340	40	150	130	1,380	1,080	1,080	950	440	250	90
Middle 50 percent	420	30	110	120	1,020	550	910	1,000	420	250	60
Highest 25 percent	460	40	100	140	1,080	1,090	720	1,180	680	500	100

See notes at end of table.



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Table S2.2-C.

Standard errors for table 2.2-C: AVERAGE TUITION AND FEES: Average tuition and fees for part-time/part-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$390	\$40	\$150	\$170	\$930	\$1,170	\$1,140	\$1,010	\$500	\$210	\$110
Worked part time	450	30	110	110	1,200	750	840	980	570	170	70
Worked full time	520	30	80	120	1,690	470	540	1,030	460	350	60
Military status											
Veterans	†	60	180	300	†	1,660	†	4,730	1,130	730	210
Military service members											
Active duty	†	190	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,000	240
Reserves	†	130	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	920	430
Nonmilitary students	260	30	100	90	1,070	700	680	920	400	170	60
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	390	30	130	140	870	500	910	1,000	380	240	60
Some postsecondary education	490	30	100	130	1,330	800	720	1,060	450	300	70
Bachelor's degree or higher	630	30	100	150	1,800	1,200	1,090	900	640	410	110
Total aid status											
No aid	480	40	100	190	1,430	850	1,260	1,160	680	310	70
Received aid	290	30	110	90	1,010	810	630	980	400	270	80
Grant status											
No grant	400	40	90	120	1,280	630	860	1,150	550	250	70
Received grant	320	30	120	100	1,050	940	790	970	420	300	90
Loan status											
No loan	300	30	100	140	1,280	790	880	980	580	470	50
Received loan	460	40	130	90	1,050	740	730	990	360	160	110

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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**Table 2.2-D.**

**TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>24.8</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	20.6 !	43.8	24.8	10.7 !
2-year	42.8	52.3	4.8	0.2
4-year	5.4	26.6	44.3	23.7
Non-doctorate-granting	13.0	44.1	36.0	6.9
Doctorate-granting	1.5	17.5	48.6	32.5
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	#	17.7 !	39.3	43.0
4-year	1.0 !	8.5	13.5	76.9
Non-doctorate-granting	1.2 !	8.5	16.2	74.0
Doctorate-granting	0.9 !	8.4	11.1	79.5
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	‡	5.9 !	27.0	66.0
2-year	1.5 !	9.7	27.9	60.9
4-year	2.8	16.1	34.5	46.5
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	2.1	19.5	30.0	48.5
Full-time/part-year	12.3	39.4	28.2	20.1
Part-time/full-year	21.4	49.2	18.8	10.5
Part-time/part-year	52.3	36.6	7.9	3.2
Housing				
On campus	0.8	7.3	27.9	64.0
Off campus	22.7	35.8	21.5	19.9
Living with parents	23.2	38.7	20.8	17.3
Sex				
Male	19.8	34.1	21.8	24.3
Female	20.1	32.3	22.4	25.2
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>				
White	18.2	33.6	22.4	25.8
Black	17.4	36.3	23.0	23.4
Hispanic	29.7	30.6	19.9	19.8
Asian	18.8	25.0	22.7	33.6
American Indian	22.6	38.6	23.8	15.0
Pacific Islander	29.3	25.8	20.0	24.9
Two or more races	16.7	34.1	22.1	27.2
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	14.6	27.6	23.2	34.6
19–23 years	15.0	29.4	24.7	30.9
24–29 years	24.8	37.5	21.0	16.7
30–39 years	23.9	39.6	19.4	17.1
40 years or older	31.6	37.4	16.2	14.8

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 2.2-D.**

**TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>				
Dependent	13.6	27.9	25.3	33.3
Independent <sup>4</sup>	25.9	38.0	19.2	16.9
Unmarried, no dependents	25.4	37.0	20.3	17.3
Married, no dependents	29.3	37.7	19.4	13.7
Unmarried with dependents	23.8	37.8	18.5	19.9
Married with dependents	27.8	39.8	18.2	14.2
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	16.9	32.6	25.0	25.5
\$20,000–39,999	16.6	31.5	23.7	28.2
\$40,000–59,999	14.1	29.7	26.2	30.1
\$60,000–79,999	13.9	29.0	25.0	32.1
\$80,000–99,999	14.0	27.3	25.5	33.2
\$100,000 or more	9.2	21.6	26.1	43.1
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	22.2	36.6	21.1	20.2
\$10,000–19,999	21.8	38.6	20.5	19.1
\$20,000–29,999	26.5	39.1	17.5	16.9
\$30,000–49,999	28.5	38.3	18.5	14.7
\$50,000 or more	33.2	38.5	16.7	11.5
Income group <sup>6</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	19.8	34.5	22.7	23.0
Middle 50 percent	19.3	33.8	22.4	24.5
Highest 25 percent	21.5	30.3	21.0	27.2
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>				
Did not work	16.5	28.7	22.6	32.2
Worked part time	17.4	33.1	25.0	24.6
Worked full time	28.7	39.6	17.4	14.3
Military status <sup>8</sup>				
Veterans	18.6	41.3	18.7	21.3
Military service members				
Active duty	25.3	47.4	16.9	10.5
Reserves	27.3	41.0	18.5	13.2
Nonmilitary students	20.0	32.6	22.3	25.1
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>				
High school diploma or less	22.7	35.8	21.2	20.3
Some postsecondary education	22.3	35.2	21.3	21.2
Bachelor's degree or higher	15.1	29.2	23.9	31.8

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 2.2-D.**

**TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
Total aid status				
No aid	36.8	37.9	14.3	11.0
Received aid	12.9	31.1	25.4	30.6
Grant status				
No grant	28.7	36.5	19.0	15.8
Received grant	13.9	30.8	24.3	31.0
Loan status <sup>10</sup>				
No loan	31.0	39.6	16.0	13.4
Received loan	4.2	23.9	30.9	41.1

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates. Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.2-D.

Standard errors for table 2.2-D: TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>0.59</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.37</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	7.76	6.73	4.34	5.00
2-year	1.35	1.28	0.39	0.03
4-year	0.40	0.61	0.78	0.85
Non-doctorate-granting	1.03	1.41	1.75	1.01
Doctorate-granting	0.21	0.48	0.93	1.12
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	†	6.11	7.65	9.26
4-year	0.33	0.75	0.82	1.02
Non-doctorate-granting	0.54	1.11	1.32	1.62
Doctorate-granting	0.34	1.17	0.93	1.35
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	†	2.36	5.41	5.97
2-year	0.53	1.91	2.14	2.83
4-year	0.59	2.40	1.76	1.82
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	0.29	0.50	0.67	0.67
Full-time/part-year	0.77	1.05	0.80	0.83
Part-time/full-year	0.90	1.04	0.56	0.43
Part-time/part-year	1.38	1.36	0.45	0.27
Housing				
On campus	0.17	0.51	0.74	0.88
Off campus	0.78	0.72	0.46	0.51
Living with parents	0.87	0.89	0.57	0.55
Sex				
Male	0.77	0.72	0.46	0.50
Female	0.60	0.63	0.37	0.38
Race/ethnicity				
White	0.61	0.66	0.39	0.52
Black	0.79	0.98	0.72	0.77
Hispanic	1.28	1.02	0.86	0.79
Asian	1.38	1.16	0.95	1.36
American Indian	3.68	3.53	2.63	1.89
Pacific Islander	3.96	3.51	3.01	2.95
Two or more races	1.72	2.02	1.39	1.53
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	0.71	0.74	0.62	0.73
19–23 years	0.50	0.58	0.42	0.49
24–29 years	1.07	0.97	0.64	0.60
30–39 years	0.91	0.90	0.69	0.60
40 years or older	1.40	1.44	0.67	0.65

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table S2.2-D.**

**Standard errors for table 2.2-D: TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
Dependency status				
Dependent	0.47	0.55	0.44	0.52
Independent	0.83	0.82	0.42	0.42
Unmarried, no dependents	1.05	1.05	0.58	0.59
Married, no dependents	2.10	1.72	0.99	0.94
Unmarried with dependents	0.79	0.90	0.61	0.61
Married with dependents	1.18	1.09	0.73	0.67
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	1.01	1.00	0.88	0.80
\$20,000–39,999	0.80	0.90	0.75	0.90
\$40,000–59,999	0.96	1.01	0.86	0.91
\$60,000–79,999	0.83	1.01	0.90	1.02
\$80,000–99,999	1.38	1.28	0.99	1.15
\$100,000 or more	0.65	0.75	0.72	0.91
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	0.90	0.99	0.71	0.69
\$10,000–19,999	1.05	1.16	0.69	0.76
\$20,000–29,999	1.35	1.29	0.76	0.62
\$30,000–49,999	1.11	1.19	0.76	0.81
\$50,000 or more	1.75	1.35	0.77	0.67
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	0.78	0.73	0.56	0.51
Middle 50 percent	0.61	0.68	0.38	0.42
Highest 25 percent	1.05	0.77	0.50	0.69
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	0.71	0.66	0.43	0.54
Worked part time	0.63	0.69	0.48	0.50
Worked full time	0.83	0.85	0.42	0.46
Military status				
Veterans	1.42	2.08	1.32	1.60
Military service members				
Active duty	4.16	4.10	2.24	2.35
Reserves	5.49	5.74	3.73	3.24
Nonmilitary students	0.62	0.59	0.34	0.36
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	0.73	0.83	0.48	0.46
Some postsecondary education	0.78	0.74	0.39	0.49
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.64	0.52	0.47	0.56

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S2.2-D.

Standard errors for table 2.2-D: TUITION AND FEES DISTRIBUTION: Percentage distribution of undergraduates according to tuition and fees, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Less than \$1,000	\$1,000–3,999	\$4,000–8,999	\$9,000 or more
Total aid status				
No aid	1.34	1.06	0.43	0.44
Received aid	0.49	0.57	0.41	0.46
Grant status				
No grant	1.10	0.85	0.46	0.47
Received grant	0.56	0.59	0.43	0.45
Loan status				
No loan	0.98	0.82	0.38	0.36
Received loan	0.29	0.52	0.49	0.58

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.1-A.**

**TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>70.7</b>	<b>59.1</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>41.8</b>	<b>8.9</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	69.9	64.6	0.9!	21.7	‡
2-year	57.0	50.5	1.9	17.6	3.6
4-year	73.9	58.3	5.9	50.0	10.4
Non-doctorate-granting	68.5	55.3	5.3	39.4	8.1
Doctorate-granting	76.8	59.9	6.2	55.5	11.7
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	80.2	71.4	‡	49.9	13.1
4-year	86.1	76.3	24.6	62.3	15.6
Non-doctorate-granting	87.4	78.1	24.4	64.0	16.1
Doctorate-granting	84.9	74.7	24.8	60.7	15.2
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	88.5	77.5	0.3!	76.0	7.2
2-year	82.2	64.7	2.6	64.3	15.1
4-year	90.4	70.7	1.1	75.3	14.1
More than one institution	73.5	58.8	5.7	48.7	11.2
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>					
Full-time/full-year	84.4	72.4	11.9	56.4	13.2
Full-time/part-year	73.2	58.6	3.2	45.0	9.2
Part-time/full-year	69.3	58.4	2.5	35.8	5.2
Part-time/part-year	47.9	38.5	1.2	20.7	4.6
Housing <sup>5</sup>					
On campus	85.3	74.5	23.0	62.5	18.3
Off campus	68.1	56.1	3.1	39.0	7.9
Living with parents	68.3	57.7	3.6	36.4	6.2
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>					
Less than \$7,000	40.1	35.1	0.3	8.7	2.7
\$7,000–12,999	69.0	57.3	1.9	31.4	5.3
\$13,000–21,999	82.9	68.2	4.7	55.1	8.5
\$22,000 or more	87.9	74.4	16.8	67.9	18.1
Sex					
Male	68.4	55.1	6.0	38.9	11.4
Female	72.5	62.1	5.9	44.0	6.9
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>					
White	68.1	54.5	6.0	41.8	9.5
Black	81.0	71.4	5.1	52.0	8.9
Hispanic	72.3	64.0	5.3	35.5	7.1
Asian	60.8	53.0	9.0	28.2	6.0
American Indian	76.3	67.6	4.7	42.1	9.1
Pacific Islander	68.3	55.1	4.5!	37.8	11.2
Two or more races	74.8	63.9	7.2	46.0	10.9

See notes at end of table.



# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.1-A.**

**TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	77.2	69.0	10.5	43.0	11.8
19–23 years	71.1	59.3	8.7	42.4	9.7
24–29 years	70.4	59.0	2.4	41.6	7.4
30–39 years	71.7	58.6	1.8	44.5	7.5
40 years or older	63.3	50.9	1.3	35.3	7.1
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>					
Dependent	71.6	59.6	9.8	43.2	10.6
Independent <sup>9</sup>	69.9	58.6	2.3	40.5	7.2
Unmarried, no dependents	68.3	55.3	3.3	41.6	6.8
Married, no dependents	56.2	36.9	2.0	31.6	8.0
Unmarried with dependents	78.8	73.2	1.9	47.1	4.8
Married with dependents	67.3	54.9	1.2	34.8	10.4
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	88.3	87.0	10.7	45.3	7.3
\$20,000–39,999	81.5	79.1	11.6	42.6	8.0
\$40,000–59,999	79.7	72.1	11.2	50.8	11.9
\$60,000–79,999	65.7	48.3	9.9	45.8	11.5
\$80,000–99,999	61.6	40.4	9.3	43.4	13.0
\$100,000 or more	59.5	40.2	7.6	37.5	12.1
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	78.6	73.5	4.4	46.7	5.0
\$10,000–19,999	77.0	71.2	2.3	46.9	6.3
\$20,000–29,999	71.4	56.6	1.8	42.3	8.7
\$30,000–49,999	65.5	48.7	0.8	36.8	8.6
\$50,000 or more	51.8	32.3	0.6	26.2	9.4
Income group <sup>11</sup>					
Lowest 25 percent	82.1	78.8	7.8	45.0	6.1
Middle 50 percent	72.0	59.9	6.0	44.8	9.4
Highest 25 percent	56.6	37.8	3.9	32.5	10.6
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>					
Did not work	74.4	64.2	9.6	44.3	10.4
Worked part time	71.3	59.4	5.4	43.6	8.6
Worked full time	64.6	51.2	1.3	35.7	7.0
Military status <sup>13</sup>					
Veterans	85.0	51.8	2.3	31.4	58.9
Military service members					
Active duty	81.1	47.9	‡	8.5	53.5
Reserves	87.1	56.9	‡	24.4	68.3
Nonmilitary students	70.0	59.5	6.1	42.5	6.3
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>					
High school diploma or less	75.6	65.6	4.6	44.6	7.6
Some postsecondary education	70.5	58.9	5.5	42.4	9.5
Bachelor's degree or higher	65.8	52.3	7.5	39.0	9.8

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.1-A.**

**TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	83.6	8.4	59.1	12.5
Grant status					
No grant	28.4	†	1.6	23.2	8.0
Received grant	100.0	100.0	8.9	54.7	9.4
Loan status <sup>3</sup>					
No loan	49.7	46.0	2.9	†	5.6
Received loan	100.0	77.3	10.1	100.0	13.4

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Any grants includes grants, scholarships, or tuition waivers from federal, state, institutional, or private sources, including employers.

<sup>3</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> The total price of attendance includes tuition and fees, books and supplies, housing, meals, transportation, and personal or miscellaneous expenses.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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**Table S3.1-A.**

**Standard errors for table 3.1-A: TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.45</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0.19</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	3.03	3.11	0.32	1.97	†
2-year	1.05	0.80	0.15	0.28	0.24
4-year	0.56	0.51	0.24	0.26	0.38
Non-doctorate-granting	0.85	0.75	0.45	0.54	0.68
Doctorate-granting	0.56	0.60	0.30	0.28	0.39
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	3.58	4.51	†	1.89	2.04
4-year	0.62	0.85	0.76	0.42	0.66
Non-doctorate-granting	0.99	1.19	1.00	0.61	0.85
Doctorate-granting	0.79	1.24	1.16	0.67	0.97
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	1.10	1.11	0.10	0.50	0.89
2-year	2.01	1.54	0.34	0.96	1.58
4-year	0.85	1.40	0.14	0.40	0.70
More than one institution	0.75	0.84	0.30	1.03	0.40
Attendance status					
Full-time/full-year	0.36	0.41	0.25	0.53	0.29
Full-time/part-year	1.33	1.16	0.24	0.85	0.52
Part-time/full-year	0.75	0.78	0.17	0.77	0.23
Part-time/part-year	1.94	1.55	0.16	1.11	0.31
Housing					
On campus	0.52	0.59	0.63	0.66	0.53
Off campus	0.88	0.69	0.15	0.40	0.30
Living with parents	0.74	0.69	0.19	0.54	0.26
Price of attendance					
Less than \$7,000	1.85	1.60	0.09	0.57	0.29
\$7,000–12,999	0.69	0.64	0.16	0.53	0.32
\$13,000–21,999	0.47	0.55	0.20	0.62	0.31
\$22,000 or more	0.35	0.46	0.44	0.54	0.44
Sex					
Male	0.72	0.57	0.22	0.35	0.31
Female	0.53	0.46	0.15	0.22	0.18
Race/ethnicity					
White	0.59	0.47	0.17	0.34	0.26
Black	0.81	0.72	0.27	0.84	0.46
Hispanic	0.85	0.81	0.30	0.83	0.34
Asian	1.64	1.49	0.66	1.11	0.55
American Indian	3.13	3.18	1.15	3.00	1.80
Pacific Islander	3.58	3.32	1.46	3.28	1.97
Two or more races	1.48	1.59	0.68	1.46	0.78

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.1-A.

Standard errors for table 3.1-A: TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	0.83	0.81	0.36	0.75	0.43
19–23 years	0.50	0.43	0.23	0.31	0.22
24–29 years	1.05	0.89	0.18	0.68	0.38
30–39 years	0.89	0.81	0.19	0.64	0.43
40 years or older	1.26	1.15	0.17	0.76	0.50
Dependency status					
Dependent	0.49	0.44	0.22	0.32	0.24
Independent	0.81	0.67	0.10	0.33	0.26
Unmarried, no dependents	0.92	0.79	0.22	0.61	0.35
Married, no dependents	1.96	1.37	0.35	1.41	0.82
Unmarried with dependents	0.78	0.86	0.19	0.76	0.32
Married with dependents	1.07	0.95	0.15	0.77	0.59
Dependency status and income level in 2010					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	0.68	0.67	0.56	0.83	0.39
\$20,000–39,999	0.88	0.92	0.54	0.80	0.39
\$40,000–59,999	0.89	0.97	0.53	0.97	0.57
\$60,000–79,999	1.06	1.00	0.59	1.02	0.53
\$80,000–99,999	1.29	1.17	0.65	0.89	0.65
\$100,000 or more	0.79	0.74	0.37	0.63	0.43
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	0.72	0.76	0.25	0.72	0.28
\$10,000–19,999	1.09	1.14	0.23	0.86	0.40
\$20,000–29,999	1.14	1.14	0.24	0.90	0.62
\$30,000–49,999	1.23	1.17	0.13	0.91	0.71
\$50,000 or more	1.73	1.08	0.12	1.25	0.68
Income group					
Lowest 25 percent	0.60	0.58	0.28	0.46	0.23
Middle 50 percent	0.52	0.47	0.18	0.28	0.25
Highest 25 percent	1.00	0.69	0.22	0.63	0.39
Worked while enrolled					
Did not work	0.76	0.62	0.27	0.33	0.33
Worked part time	0.53	0.49	0.20	0.39	0.27
Worked full time	0.86	0.73	0.11	0.49	0.32
Military status					
Veterans	1.39	1.81	0.41	1.24	1.57
Military service members					
Active duty	3.44	6.87	†	2.06	5.06
Reserves	4.00	5.36	†	4.08	5.44
Nonmilitary students	0.56	0.45	0.14	0.15	0.15
Highest education attained by either parent					
High school diploma or less	0.70	0.61	0.19	0.37	0.27
Some postsecondary education	0.84	0.71	0.23	0.47	0.29
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.58	0.51	0.23	0.37	0.27

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.1-A.

Standard errors for table 3.1-A: TYPE OF AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving various types of aid, by selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	0.26	0.19	0.38	0.25
Grant status					
No grant	0.73	†	0.12	0.59	0.32
Received grant	†	†	0.21	0.45	0.21
Loan status					
No loan	0.90	0.85	0.15	†	0.24
Received loan	†	0.39	0.25	†	0.30

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.1-B.**

**AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,800</b>	<b>\$6,200</b>	<b>\$2,300</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$9,800</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	5,400	3,800	‡	5,100	2,700
2-year	4,700	3,200	2,700	4,700	5,100
4-year	11,200	6,200	2,300	7,100	9,600
Non-doctorate-granting	8,800	4,900	2,000	6,600	7,400
Doctorate-granting	12,400	6,800	2,400	7,300	10,500
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	11,500	5,300	2,700	7,300	12,300
4-year	22,500	14,900	2,100	8,500	14,000
Non-doctorate-granting	21,100	13,500	1,900	8,400	12,400
Doctorate-granting	23,800	16,100	2,300	8,600	15,400
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	10,000	4,100	‡	6,700	7,700
2-year	10,600	3,800	3,600	7,200	10,100
4-year	11,600	4,000	3,100	8,300	9,500
More than one institution	11,100	5,900	2,100	7,100	9,500
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>					
Full-time/full-year	15,500	9,200	2,200	8,100	12,000
Full-time/part-year	7,900	4,100	2,000	5,900	7,400
Part-time/full-year	7,500	3,800	2,700	7,000	7,300
Part-time/part-year	4,500	2,200	2,400	5,000	5,600
Housing <sup>5</sup>					
On campus	20,500	13,200	2,100	7,500	13,300
Off campus	9,100	4,700	2,500	7,200	8,500
Living with parents	8,600	4,900	2,500	6,800	8,300
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>					
Less than \$7,000	2,400	1,800	1,300	2,900	2,100
\$7,000–12,999	5,200	3,200	2,300	4,800	4,200
\$13,000–21,999	9,800	5,100	2,500	7,100	6,900
\$22,000 or more	19,900	11,600	2,200	8,800	14,100
Sex					
Male	11,000	6,300	2,400	7,100	9,800
Female	10,600	6,100	2,200	7,200	9,700
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>					
White	11,000	6,300	2,200	7,200	9,900
Black	10,500	5,400	2,300	7,100	8,800
Hispanic	9,700	5,800	2,500	6,900	10,000
Asian	11,900	8,400	2,300	7,000	10,700
American Indian	9,800	5,800	2,100	6,500	8,100
Pacific Islander	11,200	6,900	‡	7,300	8,900
Two or more races	12,100	6,800	2,100	7,400	10,200

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.1-B.**

**AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	\$13,500	\$8,800	\$2,000	\$6,300	\$12,200
19–23 years	12,100	7,600	2,300	6,800	11,000
24–29 years	8,900	4,100	2,600	7,600	7,900
30–39 years	8,800	3,900	2,300	7,700	6,800
40 years or older	8,000	3,600	2,600	7,700	7,000
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>					
Dependent	13,000	8,300	2,200	6,700	11,600
Independent <sup>9</sup>	8,600	4,100	2,500	7,600	7,300
Unmarried, no dependents	9,300	4,400	2,200	7,800	8,400
Married, no dependents	8,300	4,000	2,900	8,000	7,700
Unmarried with dependents	8,500	4,100	2,900	7,200	6,600
Married with dependents	7,900	3,700	2,600	7,500	6,500
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	11,800	7,900	2,100	5,900	8,100
\$20,000–39,999	12,500	8,500	2,200	6,100	8,000
\$40,000–59,999	12,900	7,600	2,200	6,500	10,600
\$60,000–79,999	12,900	8,000	2,200	6,800	11,000
\$80,000–99,999	13,300	8,400	2,100	7,100	11,700
\$100,000 or more	14,200	9,200	2,400	7,400	14,700
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	9,400	4,800	2,300	7,300	7,700
\$10,000–19,999	9,100	4,100	2,700	7,500	7,500
\$20,000–29,999	8,400	3,700	2,800	7,500	7,600
\$30,000–49,999	8,000	3,600	3,000	7,800	7,200
\$50,000 or more	7,200	2,800	2,700	8,200	6,700
Income group <sup>11</sup>					
Lowest 25 percent	10,800	6,600	2,200	6,700	8,000
Middle 50 percent	10,800	5,900	2,300	7,200	9,400
Highest 25 percent	10,800	6,200	2,400	7,700	11,400
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>					
Did not work	12,300	7,300	2,300	7,100	10,600
Worked part time	11,000	6,300	2,200	7,100	10,000
Worked full time	7,900	3,800	2,400	7,200	7,600
Military status <sup>13</sup>					
Veterans	11,600	4,100	2,300	7,700	9,000
Military service members					
Active duty	5,600	3,400	‡	6,600	4,400
Reserves	9,700	3,200	‡	6,400	7,400
Nonmilitary students	10,800	6,300	2,300	7,100	10,600
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>					
High school diploma or less	9,600	5,300	2,300	6,900	8,000
Some postsecondary education	10,700	5,800	2,300	7,200	9,700
Bachelor's degree or higher	12,300	7,600	2,300	7,300	11,100

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-B.

**AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of aid			
		Any grants <sup>2</sup>	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>3</sup>	Any other type of aid
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	10,800	6,200	2,300	7,100	9,800
Grant status					
No grant	8,600	†	2,700	7,100	9,400
Received grant	11,200	6,200	2,200	7,100	10,000
Loan status <sup>2</sup>					
No loan	5,800	5,200	2,500	†	7,300
Received loan	14,200	7,000	2,200	7,100	11,200

† Not applicable.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid and student loans from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Includes Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>2</sup> Any grants includes grants, scholarships, or tuition waivers from federal, state, institutional, or private sources, including employers.

<sup>3</sup> Any loans includes federal, state, institutional, and private (alternative) loans to students. Does not include Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous nor at the same institution, and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Students who were enrolled part time for any amount of time during the 9-month academic year, including those who were enrolled full time for part of the year, are included in the part-time/full-year or part-time/part-year categories.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.1-B.

Standard errors for table 3.1-B: AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$190</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	380	220	†	540	590
2-year	70	40	140	50	300
4-year	100	70	70	40	210
Non-doctorate-granting	160	120	100	80	340
Doctorate-granting	120	90	80	50	240
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	1,550	910	450	360	2,840
4-year	290	260	60	110	580
Non-doctorate-granting	360	310	120	130	440
Doctorate-granting	420	390	70	170	1,020
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	300	170	†	120	1,080
2-year	240	90	500	140	520
4-year	220	80	190	50	570
More than one institution	190	140	90	70	330
Attendance status					
Full-time/full-year	110	90	50	50	220
Full-time/part-year	130	90	130	70	380
Part-time/full-year	100	50	130	70	340
Part-time/part-year	90	60	220	80	350
Housing					
On campus	230	230	60	60	310
Off campus	100	60	80	50	280
Living with parents	120	80	80	70	320
Price of attendance					
Less than \$7,000	40	40	150	70	150
\$7,000–12,999	50	40	170	60	180
\$13,000–21,999	70	40	80	40	160
\$22,000 or more	160	140	50	70	270
Sex					
Male	120	90	60	50	230
Female	90	60	50	40	230
Race/ethnicity					
White	110	80	60	40	230
Black	150	90	90	70	370
Hispanic	190	140	90	80	500
Asian	400	330	100	220	780
American Indian	620	430	370	320	990
Pacific Islander	950	830	†	390	1,640
Two or more races	330	260	140	190	560

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.1-B.

Standard errors for table 3.1-B: AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	\$170	\$130	\$50	\$60	\$250
19–23 years	120	90	50	50	240
24–29 years	140	90	140	70	410
30–39 years	120	70	140	90	360
40 years or older	130	80	250	100	410
Dependency status					
Dependent	110	90	50	40	220
Independent	90	50	80	50	260
Unmarried, no dependents	140	90	100	70	430
Married, no dependents	250	230	470	170	680
Unmarried with dependents	130	60	190	80	480
Married with dependents	150	90	250	90	370
Dependency status and income level in 2010					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	200	170	90	80	540
\$20,000–39,999	230	180	90	80	330
\$40,000–59,999	270	200	100	100	390
\$60,000–79,999	300	280	90	110	410
\$80,000–99,999	320	300	80	130	450
\$100,000 or more	240	220	90	120	410
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	150	90	100	80	570
\$10,000–19,999	140	80	160	90	580
\$20,000–29,999	140	90	370	100	570
\$30,000–49,999	170	120	370	110	450
\$50,000 or more	150	110	480	130	430
Income group					
Lowest 25 percent	130	90	60	60	390
Middle 50 percent	100	70	50	40	220
Highest 25 percent	160	150	100	70	340
Worked while enrolled					
Did not work	130	100	50	50	270
Worked part time	120	80	50	50	250
Worked full time	120	70	180	70	370
Military status					
Veterans	310	150	300	200	310
Military service members					
Active duty	600	490	†	730	480
Reserves	980	420	†	520	1,130
Nonmilitary students	90	60	40	30	210
Highest education attained by either parent					
High school diploma or less	110	80	60	40	250
Some postsecondary education	140	90	70	70	300
Bachelor's degree or higher	130	110	50	60	280

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.1-B.

Standard errors for table 3.1-B: AMOUNT OF AID: Average amount of aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any aid	Type of aid			
		Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any other type of aid
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	80	60	40	30	190
Grant status					
No grant	120	†	130	80	300
Received grant	90	60	40	30	220
Loan status					
No loan	90	80	100	†	290
Received loan	90	80	40	30	200

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.1-C.

**AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>69.9</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>68.5</b>	<b>76.8</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>87.4</b>	<b>84.9</b>	<b>88.5</b>	<b>82.2</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>70.7</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	71.2	75.7	83.6	84.0	89.9	93.0	90.1	95.8	89.2	96.7	84.4
Full-time/part-year	68.1	63.7	67.1	70.9	75.3	87.5	78.0	85.3	76.5	85.1	73.2
Part-time/full-year	81.8	62.7	71.5	74.1	73.3	82.9	82.6	91.6	92.1	93.6	69.3
Part-time/part-year	57.6 !	40.1	41.4	49.8	55.7 !	64.2	66.7	83.5	77.6	87.7	47.9
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	76.0	83.2	82.1	98.9	91.9	87.1	‡	‡	89.1	85.3
Off campus	67.6	56.4	65.8	73.2	76.4	79.7	79.9	90.0	81.4	91.0	68.1
Living with parents	72.2	57.3	66.4	77.4	90.3	88.2	87.7	86.5	82.7	89.0	68.3
Tuition and fees <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$1,000	44.0	45.7	38.5	33.5	‡	‡	‡	77.9 !	68.3	72.3	45.5
\$1,000–3,999	80.6	65.1	67.0	63.3	64.0	63.3	70.3	72.5	74.1	82.2	66.2
\$4,000–8,999	72.3	68.9	79.8	81.9	76.8	83.4	77.7	84.9	78.6	87.5	80.9
\$9,000 or more	70.4 !	39.5	75.1	78.5	89.9	92.0	87.4	91.6	85.4	96.4	86.9
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	49.9 !	39.3	36.2	36.1	‡	41.2	64.1	44.2	54.6	70.0	40.1
\$7,000–12,999	80.2	68.2	68.2	63.8	62.9	70.8	67.9	79.9	66.5	81.3	69.0
\$13,000–21,999	73.9	76.8	84.2	83.3	91.3	88.7	76.6	88.9	85.3	95.2	82.9
\$22,000 or more	66.6	80.3	79.0	81.5	90.5	92.5	89.4	94.3	90.2	96.6	87.9
Sex											
Male	67.0	54.2	65.8	75.0	77.0	88.0	82.6	92.5	86.0	89.6	68.4
Female	72.1	59.2	70.6	78.4	81.8	87.0	86.7	87.3	80.2	90.8	72.5
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	71.4	52.3	66.9	74.8	83.6	86.2	84.6	84.9	79.4	89.4	68.1
Black	45.1 !	70.9	77.7	87.6	88.2	94.1	89.2	92.3	81.0	91.2	81.0
Hispanic	74.1	59.9	70.5	82.0	75.8	87.4	90.6	89.9	89.0	93.1	72.3
Asian	‡	49.4	53.8	63.9	‡	80.6	75.1	82.5	71.7	82.6	60.8
American Indian	‡	61.4	72.0	85.2	‡	‡	‡	96.6	87.3	90.7	76.3
Pacific Islander	‡	57.5	‡	78.8	‡	‡	‡	‡	87.8	86.3	68.3
Two or more races	‡	61.0	76.7	83.1	‡	94.5	81.8	90.5	86.1	96.5	74.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-C.

**AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	66.9	62.5	79.1	85.2	94.9	94.1	88.6	87.4	83.1	89.7	77.2
19–23 years	74.0	56.0	70.9	76.8	82.0	89.2	86.0	88.3	80.0	88.3	71.1
24–29 years	72.6	59.8	63.4	74.5	78.9	85.6	81.5	91.0	82.6	91.5	70.4
30–39 years	87.1	59.1	64.6	74.9	79.4	79.5	84.5	89.8	87.3	90.9	71.7
40 years or older	45.4	50.0	58.7	64.5	73.9	78.3	76.5	81.5	81.4	90.1	63.3
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	72.3	55.0	72.0	78.0	84.2	89.9	86.8	86.3	79.1	89.2	71.6
Independent <sup>6</sup>	68.7	58.3	64.3	74.0	78.6	82.7	80.6	89.4	83.7	90.5	69.9
Unmarried, no dependents	60.0	55.1	63.7	75.7	75.6	83.4	83.7	91.0	86.7	90.7	68.3
Married, no dependents	61.7	41.4	56.8	68.2	63.3 !	74.3	68.0	72.6	70.8	86.1	56.2
Unmarried with dependents	75.3	70.2	74.3	79.9	87.7	91.7	87.6	92.2	83.3	91.3	78.8
Married with dependents	74.6	56.0	60.0	68.1	76.7	75.9	76.1	83.3	85.1	90.5	67.3
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	95.3	81.8	90.4	94.9	99.8	93.8	91.7	91.8	84.1	92.3	88.3
\$20,000–39,999	82.8	69.9	83.1	89.7	93.7	98.3	90.8	91.1	81.3	92.1	81.5
\$40,000–59,999	‡	62.7	78.5	90.7	96.2	98.3	95.3	94.4	90.8	91.0	79.7
\$60,000–79,999	‡	42.4	69.1	76.4	83.0	89.4	87.5	82.4	79.8	87.1	65.7
\$80,000–99,999	‡	35.5	63.8	72.0	‡	86.8	83.6	71.2	80.6	78.7	61.6
\$100,000 or more	‡	28.0	54.7	66.0	64.7	83.7	82.3	57.6	55.7	82.2	59.5
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	68.3	70.6	76.2	80.5	85.4	96.2	78.6	93.4	87.3	90.9	78.6
\$10,000–19,999	82.9	66.8	73.3	81.8	84.9	84.4	86.7	91.2	82.5	93.1	77.0
\$20,000–29,999	64.8 !	60.5	64.3	71.1	76.6	85.5	88.8	92.1	84.3	94.2	71.4
\$30,000–49,999	80.2	52.2	59.5	70.9	61.9	77.8	82.8	76.5	82.0	91.1	65.5
\$50,000 or more	47.6 !	36.3	45.3	58.7	67.3	69.3	74.3	68.4	72.7	82.9	51.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-C.

**AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	77.5	74.2	82.4	88.4	88.3	96.0	85.5	92.7	85.4	90.3	81.9
Middle 50 percent	68.6	57.5	70.1	78.9	83.2	89.5	89.2	88.3	83.6	92.7	71.7
Highest 25 percent	58.0	35.4	51.3	64.8	61.2	78.5	78.8	69.6	68.0	84.7	56.2
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	71.2	62.2	72.4	76.3	84.4	90.0	83.3	90.4	81.7	90.2	74.4
Worked part time	67.1	56.9	71.5	78.9	78.6	88.2	87.8	85.5	80.5	92.5	71.3
Worked full time	71.9	51.7	58.4	72.1	71.8	79.4	83.2	88.6	85.8	89.5	64.6
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	73.8	82.2	92.8	100.0	88.3	92.8	96.5	98.2	93.9	85.0
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	63.8	‡	87.8	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	97.4	81.1
Reserves	‡	76.0	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	99.1	87.1
Nonmilitary students	69.6	56.2	67.9	76.4	79.1	87.5	84.6	88.3	81.1	89.7	70.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	75.7	63.7	73.9	85.3	86.6	89.4	88.6	92.3	86.0	90.9	75.6
Some postsecondary education	71.6	56.0	71.5	80.6	71.3	88.6	86.1	86.1	79.7	91.6	70.5
Bachelor's degree or higher	59.2	47.3	61.2	71.2	77.2	85.4	83.3	81.2	75.0	88.0	65.8
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Grant status											
No grant	14.8	13.1	29.5	42.2	30.6	42.5	40.4	49.0	49.5	67.1	28.4
Received grant	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	61.5	47.8	47.9	47.9	60.4	65.0	61.6	52.3	50.1	61.0	49.7
Received loan	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-C.

**AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month." Additional definitions added depending on how the variable is aggregated/disaggregated.

<sup>2</sup> Tuition includes all tuition and fees. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: Any aid includes all types of financial aid and student loans from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Includes Direct PLUS Loans to parents. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.1-C.

Standard errors for table 3.1-C: AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.03</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>3.58</b>	<b>0.99</b>	<b>0.79</b>	<b>1.10</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>0.56</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	4.64	1.10	0.98	0.51	4.24	0.68	0.84	0.77	1.53	0.47	0.36
Full-time/part-year	6.50	2.24	2.79	1.49	5.76	2.90	3.36	1.96	3.48	1.58	1.33
Part-time/full-year	11.40	1.13	1.83	1.19	13.61	3.31	3.75	3.88	2.67	1.03	0.75
Part-time/part-year	21.34	2.43	2.72	2.70	19.11	4.97	4.49	2.49	4.70	2.09	1.94
Housing											
On campus	†	5.29	1.97	0.78	0.26	0.83	1.24	†	†	3.15	0.52
Off campus	7.83	1.38	1.27	0.89	5.08	2.75	2.08	1.03	2.56	0.92	0.88
Living with parents	5.13	1.03	1.36	0.96	7.37	1.86	1.96	2.83	2.57	1.38	0.74
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	12.04	1.93	3.04	6.96	†	†	†	36.60	10.24	7.18	1.89
\$1,000–3,999	6.70	0.70	1.61	1.93	12.52	5.64	5.37	7.55	5.31	3.97	0.68
\$4,000–8,999	4.30	2.58	1.10	0.50	10.81	2.67	4.26	3.16	4.09	1.39	0.44
\$9,000 or more	22.29	9.19	3.11	0.84	4.27	0.72	0.92	1.65	2.08	0.58	0.40
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	15.68	2.03	2.84	3.27	†	8.89	9.63	10.83	11.80	7.71	1.85
\$7,000–12,999	5.35	0.69	1.50	1.57	8.02	4.52	6.55	4.29	5.57	2.50	0.69
\$13,000–21,999	3.68	1.29	0.99	0.61	4.33	2.37	3.78	2.61	2.34	0.57	0.47
\$22,000 or more	18.19	3.22	1.57	0.71	4.56	0.70	0.83	0.85	1.28	0.71	0.35
Sex											
Male	5.99	1.34	1.38	0.73	5.78	1.14	1.68	1.73	2.18	1.10	0.72
Female	6.26	1.00	0.94	0.77	3.62	1.31	1.10	1.28	2.51	0.93	0.53
Race/ethnicity											
White	2.46	1.08	1.26	0.68	3.07	1.16	1.15	1.71	2.96	0.64	0.59
Black	21.49	1.57	2.36	1.09	7.02	2.00	3.43	2.09	2.98	1.45	0.81
Hispanic	12.59	1.58	1.93	1.42	11.66	3.16	2.58	2.06	2.17	1.12	0.85
Asian	†	2.81	3.54	2.13	†	5.02	3.61	7.99	10.89	4.65	1.64
American Indian	†	7.17	6.32	5.22	†	†	†	10.27	12.49	4.70	3.13
Pacific Islander	†	7.62	†	6.59	†	†	†	†	13.38	7.79	3.58
Two or more races	†	2.85	4.53	2.41	†	2.72	6.53	5.96	8.99	1.89	1.48

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.1-C.

Standard errors for table 3.1-C: AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	8.50	1.52	1.83	0.84	4.38	0.87	1.76	4.25	4.00	2.62	0.83
19–23 years	5.71	1.14	1.06	0.60	5.19	1.10	1.22	1.37	2.29	1.87	0.50
24–29 years	12.32	1.76	2.09	1.34	7.10	3.50	4.38	1.60	3.31	1.12	1.05
30–39 years	5.43	1.46	3.15	2.05	7.35	3.99	4.43	2.58	2.45	0.95	0.89
40 years or older	9.27	1.94	2.94	2.57	5.97	4.12	5.26	3.37	3.89	1.30	1.26
Dependency status											
Dependent	7.66	1.09	0.95	0.56	4.89	0.99	1.08	1.72	3.05	1.95	0.49
Independent	4.73	1.28	1.54	1.10	4.23	2.26	2.10	1.13	1.98	0.82	0.81
Unmarried, no dependents	7.25	1.55	1.85	1.18	9.07	3.11	3.33	2.67	2.10	1.32	0.92
Married, no dependents	11.49	2.70	4.32	3.15	19.25	5.90	8.75	7.61	7.50	2.32	1.96
Unmarried with dependents	11.78	1.32	2.63	1.89	5.16	2.82	4.20	1.25	2.90	1.55	0.78
Married with dependents	10.70	1.58	3.30	2.46	10.82	5.79	4.85	3.27	2.86	1.23	1.07
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	3.53	1.46	1.74	0.79	0.39	2.20	3.45	2.72	3.46	2.17	0.68
\$20,000–39,999	10.87	1.90	1.94	1.11	9.07	0.51	2.82	3.68	4.68	3.21	0.88
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.95	1.89	1.02	4.66	0.85	2.84	3.43	4.06	3.85	0.89
\$60,000–79,999	†	2.18	2.81	1.42	8.90	3.56	3.47	6.00	6.19	4.74	1.06
\$80,000–99,999	†	2.41	3.21	1.72	†	4.05	3.55	10.06	8.51	5.84	1.29
\$100,000 or more	†	1.61	2.29	1.04	11.28	1.90	1.54	6.69	9.05	4.75	0.79
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	13.16	1.42	2.26	1.41	3.94	1.77	5.28	1.45	2.04	1.20	0.72
\$10,000–19,999	9.42	1.94	2.75	1.75	5.45	4.33	7.78	2.11	3.30	1.21	1.09
\$20,000–29,999	21.96	1.96	3.47	2.87	9.48	4.13	4.16	1.86	4.87	1.08	1.14
\$30,000–49,999	10.28	2.02	3.95	2.70	11.07	6.20	5.56	6.12	4.52	1.40	1.23
\$50,000 or more	14.45	1.94	3.26	2.63	11.60	5.22	5.25	7.93	7.17	2.20	1.73

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.1-C.

Standard errors for table 3.1-C: AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	8.68	1.28	1.32	0.81	3.54	1.00	2.29	1.60	1.37	1.14	0.67
Middle 50 percent	6.96	1.05	1.20	0.75	4.59	1.18	1.29	0.99	2.50	0.93	0.58
Highest 25 percent	9.15	1.48	2.10	1.12	7.29	2.28	1.95	4.48	6.48	1.81	1.09
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	5.20	1.73	1.23	0.77	3.95	0.97	1.37	1.22	1.91	0.96	0.76
Worked part time	6.91	0.97	1.12	0.74	5.81	1.58	1.72	1.51	3.76	1.05	0.53
Worked full time	9.08	1.27	2.27	1.54	6.71	2.70	3.28	2.05	2.74	1.05	0.86
Military status											
Veterans	†	2.69	4.83	1.66	†	6.11	8.22	4.29	2.49	1.63	1.39
Military service members											
Active duty	†	7.26	†	2.50	†	†	†	†	†	2.29	3.44
Reserves	†	9.59	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.54	4.00
Nonmilitary students	2.94	1.07	0.85	0.57	3.89	0.95	0.81	1.11	2.18	0.91	0.56
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	5.41	1.35	1.37	0.88	5.04	1.84	2.15	0.99	1.63	0.94	0.70
Some postsecondary education	8.51	1.42	1.78	0.99	5.90	2.39	2.29	2.03	3.14	1.10	0.84
Bachelor's degree or higher	11.44	1.09	1.47	0.81	6.06	1.41	1.35	3.17	4.68	1.69	0.58
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Grant status											
No grant	4.42	0.91	1.43	0.88	6.18	2.61	2.74	4.23	4.38	1.69	0.73
Received grant	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Loan status											
No loan	3.94	1.16	1.23	1.15	6.89	2.60	2.13	4.57	4.98	3.86	0.90
Received loan	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.1-D.

**AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,400</b>	<b>\$4,700</b>	<b>\$8,800</b>	<b>\$12,400</b>	<b>\$11,500</b>	<b>\$21,100</b>	<b>\$23,800</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>\$10,600</b>	<b>\$11,600</b>	<b>\$10,800</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	7,300	6,800	11,800	14,200	16,300	26,100	29,300	12,200	13,300	16,300	15,500
Full-time/part-year	4,400	4,300	6,400	8,300	7,300	12,800	14,700	9,700	9,500	9,000	7,900
Part-time/full-year	5,500	4,800	7,000	10,700	10,100	13,800	13,500	9,300	10,300	12,300	7,500
Part-time/part-year	2,400	2,900	4,100	5,900	3,500	8,100	6,400	6,800	6,500	7,100	4,500
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	7,000	13,200	14,800	21,100	26,800	29,200	‡	‡	23,500	20,500
Off campus	5,000	4,800	7,800	11,400	11,000	14,900	20,200	10,200	11,300	11,500	9,100
Living with parents	5,700	4,600	7,900	11,300	10,900	16,500	18,200	9,800	9,900	11,100	8,600
Tuition and fees <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$1,000	2,700	3,100	3,300	3,000	‡	‡	‡	10,900 !	6,600 !	2,900	3,200
\$1,000–3,999	4,600	5,400	6,300	7,200	7,200	7,500	5,600	5,800	5,800	5,700	5,800
\$4,000–8,999	7,700	7,300	11,100	11,600	6,900	10,700	10,100	8,200	8,000	8,900	10,400
\$9,000 or more	7,500	‡	15,300	15,900	16,300	24,300	27,200	11,000	12,500	15,500	19,300
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	2,100	2,300	2,400	2,900	‡	2,600	‡	‡	2,300	2,500	2,400
\$7,000–12,999	4,100	4,800	5,800	6,100	5,000	6,600	5,800	6,600	5,300	5,900	5,200
\$13,000–21,999	7,500	7,300	10,300	11,100	8,000	11,100	10,100	9,500	9,600	10,500	9,800
\$22,000 or more	7,200	11,400	15,000	16,500	18,400	25,700	28,300	11,700	13,600	16,600	19,900
Sex											
Male	5,400	4,800	8,800	12,300	13,900	21,300	24,000	10,800	12,400	11,700	11,000
Female	5,500	4,700	8,700	12,400	10,300	20,900	23,600	9,800	9,600	11,400	10,600
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	5,200	4,900	9,100	11,700	11,600	20,500	23,000	10,100	10,800	11,500	11,000
Black	6,600	5,000	9,200	14,600	12,800	20,300	22,200	9,900	10,000	11,100	10,500
Hispanic	5,500	4,100	7,400	12,500	11,200	23,500	27,500	10,000	10,700	12,400	9,700
Asian	‡	4,300	8,300	12,500	‡	24,700	25,900	8,800	11,500	10,800	11,900
American Indian	‡	5,200	7,100	14,400	‡	‡	‡	11,800	8,600	10,200	9,800
Pacific Islander	‡	4,900	‡	11,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	13,400	13,500	11,200
Two or more races	‡	5,000	10,000	13,100	‡	25,000	24,100	10,200	13,600	13,000	12,100

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-D.

**AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$4,200	\$4,400	\$10,400	\$13,800	\$15,700	\$26,400	\$29,000	\$10,400	\$12,900	\$15,400	\$13,500
19–23 years	4,100	4,400	9,000	12,500	13,100	23,700	27,100	10,200	10,800	13,000	12,100
24–29 years	6,200	4,900	8,100	11,700	11,200	15,600	14,700	9,500	10,500	11,300	8,900
30–39 years	6,800	5,300	8,500	11,000	9,200	13,000	13,400	10,100	10,400	10,900	8,800
40 years or older	6,300	5,000	6,800	9,700	8,900	10,700	11,200	10,300	9,600	10,900	8,000
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	3,600	4,300	9,400	12,700	15,700	24,600	27,800	10,400	11,600	15,100	13,000
Independent <sup>6</sup>	6,400	5,000	8,000	11,500	9,700	13,800	14,100	9,900	10,200	11,000	8,600
Unmarried, no dependents	5,700	4,900	8,700	12,300	11,500	16,200	16,500	9,700	10,100	11,500	9,300
Married, no dependents	‡	4,500	6,900	10,200	8,100	15,400	12,500	11,100	11,900	10,200	8,300
Unmarried with dependents	8,700	5,300	7,700	12,300	9,200	13,100	12,900	9,900	9,800	11,200	8,500
Married with dependents	5,800	4,800	7,700	9,400	8,700	10,600	12,100	9,800	10,400	10,500	7,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	5,100	9,500	14,900	17,500	25,300	30,900	10,100	10,600	14,200	11,800
\$20,000–39,999	4,200	4,700	9,500	14,500	17,900	26,200	31,000	10,400	12,000	14,700	12,500
\$40,000–59,999	‡	3,700	9,200	13,600	15,300	26,400	30,200	10,800	12,400	17,900	12,900
\$60,000–79,999	‡	3,500	9,300	11,400	13,800	25,000	27,700	10,500	11,800	14,500	12,900
\$80,000–99,999	‡	3,500	8,700	11,700	‡	24,000	27,600	11,800	12,900	13,200	13,300
\$100,000 or more	‡	3,600	9,600	11,200	12,700	22,900	24,800	10,700	11,900	16,700	14,200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	6,300	5,400	9,000	13,400	10,000	17,400	21,700	9,800	9,200	11,000	9,400
\$10,000–19,999	6,200	5,300	9,100	12,000	9,200	13,900	14,600	10,400	10,100	12,100	9,100
\$20,000–29,999	8,800	4,900	7,700	10,900	11,100	13,000	11,800	9,500	11,700	11,700	8,400
\$30,000–49,999	6,300	4,500	7,000	10,200	8,800	11,700	12,600	9,400	11,700	10,200	8,000
\$50,000 or more	‡	4,000	5,500	8,000	8,700	10,800	9,100	9,300	10,800	9,800	7,200

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-D.

**AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$4,700	\$5,200	\$9,300	\$14,500	\$12,500	\$22,600	\$29,100	\$9,900	\$9,700	\$11,700	\$10,700
Middle 50 percent	6,900	4,600	8,800	12,200	11,300	21,500	24,400	10,100	11,200	11,900	10,800
Highest 25 percent	4,100	3,900	7,900	10,600	9,800	19,200	19,800	9,700	11,000	10,300	10,800
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	5,100	5,200	9,700	13,500	13,000	23,800	26,100	10,200	10,500	11,400	12,300
Worked part time	5,400	4,700	8,900	12,100	10,400	21,200	25,000	9,800	10,800	12,600	11,000
Worked full time	6,300	4,200	6,900	9,700	9,000	12,700	13,000	9,800	10,700	11,100	7,900
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	7,600	9,300	13,900	17,800	14,700	15,300	15,000	15,300	14,400	11,600
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	4,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	4,800	5,600
Reserves	‡	7,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	9,100	9,700
Nonmilitary students	5,400	4,600	8,700	12,300	11,100	21,400	24,200	9,900	10,200	11,500	10,800
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	5,100	4,800	8,400	12,700	10,100	18,700	23,000	10,100	10,200	11,100	9,600
Some postsecondary education	6,000	4,900	9,200	13,100	11,300	21,600	23,900	10,600	10,800	12,000	10,700
Bachelor's degree or higher	6,000	4,400	8,700	11,800	14,300	22,200	24,100	9,600	11,500	12,200	12,300
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	5,400	4,700	8,800	12,400	11,500	21,100	23,800	10,000	10,600	11,600	10,800
Grant status											
No grant	4,300	4,800	7,800	10,200	11,100	10,200	11,500	8,500	10,500	9,600	8,600
Received grant	5,500	4,700	9,000	13,000	11,500	22,400	25,500	10,200	10,700	12,100	11,200
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	4,000	3,500	4,900	7,900	6,900	14,200	16,800	5,300	5,800	6,400	5,800
Received loan	8,600	7,500	11,600	14,100	14,200	23,600	26,600	10,800	12,000	12,600	14,200

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.1-D.

**AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Tuition includes all tuition and fees. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: Any aid includes all types of financial aid and student loans from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Includes Direct PLUS Loans to parents. Average aid amounts are calculated only for students receiving any aid. Those not receiving any aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in the average. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.1-D.

Standard errors for table 3.1-D: AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$380</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$1,550</b>	<b>\$360</b>	<b>\$420</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,070	130	250	130	2,400	400	470	660	410	270	110
Full-time/part-year	750	120	360	250	890	1,070	1,150	290	390	110	130
Part-time/full-year	470	100	190	200	2,210	740	900	570	630	700	100
Part-time/part-year	450	100	310	220	710	1,020	670	390	360	400	90
Housing											
On campus	†	390	410	190	330	530	620	†	†	1,250	230
Off campus	840	90	170	150	1,980	590	780	340	450	250	100
Living with parents	590	100	260	170	1,010	680	740	420	260	1,040	120
Tuition and fees											
Less than \$1,000	230	80	310	730	†	†	†	4,280	2,010	810	80
\$1,000–3,999	470	100	170	150	890	780	460	740	810	310	70
\$4,000–8,999	640	240	210	110	1,000	580	740	500	360	210	90
\$9,000 or more	1,410	†	650	200	2,380	420	490	340	350	200	160
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	470	60	140	160	†	560	†	†	360	200	40
\$7,000–12,999	490	60	130	140	490	410	500	520	280	170	50
\$13,000–21,999	860	130	170	90	1,000	360	370	300	300	160	70
\$22,000 or more	1,730	670	520	190	2,510	390	480	520	340	230	160
Sex											
Male	830	90	250	160	2,250	590	900	600	500	460	120
Female	660	90	180	140	1,640	450	550	330	230	120	90
Race/ethnicity											
White	480	80	210	140	2,770	460	560	600	380	220	110
Black	1,900	140	350	260	2,310	870	1,410	360	520	210	150
Hispanic	910	130	410	320	1,430	1,850	1,370	490	530	400	190
Asian	†	200	510	380	†	2,010	1,810	860	1,180	1,750	400
American Indian	†	590	700	1,490	†	†	†	2,130	1,040	880	620
Pacific Islander	†	710	†	2,070	†	†	†	†	2,780	1,660	950
Two or more races	†	220	780	530	†	1,660	2,710	690	1,530	500	330

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.1-D.

Standard errors for table 3.1-D: AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$350	\$120	\$440	\$240	\$2,600	\$720	\$800	\$500	\$870	\$760	\$170
19–23 years	640	90	210	150	2,350	470	590	370	270	460	120
24–29 years	890	140	280	220	1,800	840	1,490	360	550	320	140
30–39 years	660	130	370	370	1,590	770	1,140	420	530	240	120
40 years or older	1,080	140	420	410	1,570	780	990	680	570	360	130
Dependency status											
Dependent	660	90	260	150	2,810	460	490	500	340	400	110
Independent	240	90	150	170	1,140	510	700	290	300	240	90
Unmarried, no dependents	860	120	260	240	2,350	1,050	1,280	300	530	380	140
Married, no dependents	†	250	410	540	1,820	1,850	1,900	1,590	840	720	250
Unmarried with dependents	510	140	310	350	630	650	1,590	280	390	210	130
Married with dependents	760	140	400	380	1,250	850	1,130	460	630	460	150
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	110	390	300	4,930	1,230	1,830	600	460	720	200
\$20,000–39,999	†	120	480	270	2,700	1,000	1,500	540	600	630	230
\$40,000–59,999	†	130	400	300	2,890	1,020	1,550	870	850	1,200	270
\$60,000–79,999	†	160	620	300	2,380	1,050	1,590	1,350	1,220	1,180	300
\$80,000–99,999	†	180	470	330	†	920	1,370	1,340	1,170	1,520	320
\$100,000 or more	†	190	490	250	2,880	570	880	1,450	1,660	1,280	240
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	940	130	320	310	1,670	1,010	2,280	350	360	270	150
\$10,000–19,999	960	150	390	370	1,150	1,220	1,710	430	500	320	140
\$20,000–29,999	1,100	170	380	480	1,960	1,300	1,580	490	730	320	140
\$30,000–49,999	†	160	380	440	1,720	1,020	1,540	550	740	450	170
\$50,000 or more	†	180	440	390	970	670	740	370	860	580	150

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.1-D.

Standard errors for table 3.1-D: AMOUNT OF AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of total aid received by undergraduates who received any aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$960	\$100	\$270	\$210	\$2,240	\$810	\$1,410	\$370	\$300	\$300	\$130
Middle 50 percent	510	90	200	140	1,330	450	640	310	340	240	100
Highest 25 percent	320	120	360	220	1,540	600	860	460	690	490	170
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	760	90	250	180	2,090	510	600	360	320	250	130
Worked part time	550	90	210	160	1,190	570	830	380	400	330	120
Worked full time	900	100	210	220	1,360	570	860	350	430	370	120
Military status											
Veterans	†	340	880	740	4,010	1,740	4,370	2,040	950	690	310
Military service members											
Active duty	†	430	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,000	600
Reserves	†	1,810	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,120	980
Nonmilitary students	390	70	170	120	1,490	360	430	270	210	120	90
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	560	90	230	200	910	560	1,100	280	310	220	110
Some postsecondary education	600	110	250	210	1,760	710	1,050	470	500	290	140
Bachelor's degree or higher	840	110	230	160	3,480	480	560	460	480	430	130
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	380	70	160	120	1,550	360	420	300	240	220	80
Grant status											
No grant	590	170	290	180	2,630	560	1,210	750	570	280	120
Received grant	420	70	180	130	1,650	370	460	290	270	280	90
Loan status											
No loan	420	60	160	180	1,800	800	850	650	520	820	90
Received loan	790	130	230	130	1,830	390	560	280	240	100	90

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-A.

**TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal aid					
	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>57.3</b>	<b>41.5</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>40.2</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	61.9	56.7	‡	20.1	‡	1.1 !
2-year	43.6	37.9	1.8	16.7	0.1	2.9
4-year	60.5	38.3	5.3	48.0	7.0	3.0
Non-doctorate-granting	56.5	40.7	4.9	37.5	4.1	3.2
Doctorate-granting	62.6	37.0	5.5	53.5	8.5	2.8
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	67.5	53.0	‡	46.6	7.0	3.6 !
4-year	67.4	36.1	21.4	59.7	11.9	3.2
Non-doctorate-granting	69.6	39.6	20.9	61.4	11.8	3.7
Doctorate-granting	65.5	33.0	21.7	58.1	12.0	2.7
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	86.7	75.9	0.2 !	74.5	4.6	1.7
2-year	75.5	60.6	2.3	61.3	7.4	6.2
4-year	79.5	63.0	1.1	73.4	3.5	10.1
More than one institution	59.9	39.6	5.0	47.1	5.9	4.9
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>						
Full-time/full-year	71.4	47.4	10.5	55.2	9.1	3.6
Full-time/part-year	59.2	45.4	2.6	42.4	2.6	5.5
Part-time/full-year	58.0	45.7	2.3	34.7	1.9	2.7
Part-time/part-year	32.6	25.5	1.1	18.8	0.7	3.5
Housing <sup>5</sup>						
On campus	69.0	35.5	19.9	60.9	16.5	1.2
Off campus	54.7	42.1	2.9	37.4	2.5	4.7
Living with parents	56.0	43.2	3.3	34.9	2.6	3.0
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>						
Less than \$7,000	24.0	21.9	0.3	7.0	‡	2.3
\$7,000–12,999	56.1	46.2	1.8	29.5	0.6	3.9
\$13,000–21,999	70.7	51.6	4.3	53.6	4.0	3.7
\$22,000 or more	75.4	45.3	14.7	66.5	13.0	4.6
Sex						
Male	53.0	36.7	5.3	37.2	4.7	6.0
Female	60.6	45.1	5.2	42.4	4.4	2.0
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>						
White	53.1	33.7	5.3	40.1	4.9	3.9
Black	73.0	62.1	4.8	50.7	4.3	4.0
Hispanic	60.0	50.1	4.7	34.1	3.3	3.4
Asian	45.1	33.4	7.5	26.8	3.6	2.0
American Indian	66.1	55.3	4.5	41.0	3.3	5.5
Pacific Islander	54.5	39.3	3.9 !	37.2	6.3	4.2 !
Two or more races	61.0	45.7	6.2	44.1	5.7	4.6

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-A.

**TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	62.7	41.2	9.5	42.4	10.6	1.0
19–23 years	57.5	37.4	7.7	40.5	7.6	1.8
24–29 years	58.3	49.1	2.2	39.9	†	6.7
30–39 years	59.8	48.7	1.7	43.3	†	6.7
40 years or older	47.5	37.5	1.2	33.9	†	5.6
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>						
Dependent	57.7	34.9	8.6	41.4	9.3	1.1
Independent <sup>9</sup>	57.0	47.7	2.1	39.0	†	6.3
Unmarried, no dependents	55.8	44.0	3.0	39.6	†	5.9
Married, no dependents	38.5	21.3	1.9	30.0	†	7.1
Unmarried with dependents	70.2	66.5	1.8	46.1	†	4.2
Married with dependents	50.5	41.7	1.1	33.4	†	9.2
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	83.2	82.1	9.9	44.1	6.1	0.9
\$20,000–39,999	73.8	70.9	10.5	41.4	6.5	1.2
\$40,000–59,999	69.2	54.7	9.9	49.7	10.4	1.3
\$60,000–79,999	49.0	14.2	9.1	43.7	10.1	1.0
\$80,000–99,999	44.3	2.7	8.5	40.9	11.6	1.0
\$100,000 or more	38.0	0.7	5.9	35.3	10.9	0.9
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	70.1	66.5	4.1	45.1	†	4.1
\$10,000–19,999	68.9	65.5	1.9	45.6	†	5.5
\$20,000–29,999	58.3	45.7	1.6	40.6	†	7.6
\$30,000–49,999	48.8	34.0	0.8	35.1	†	7.6
\$50,000 or more	30.4	13.7	0.5	25.2	†	8.5
Income group <sup>11</sup>						
Lowest 25 percent	75.1	72.6	7.3	43.6	2.9	2.6
Middle 50 percent	59.1	41.8	5.3	43.1	4.9	3.9
Highest 25 percent	35.8	9.6	3.1	30.9	5.4	4.6
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>						
Did not work	61.6	45.4	8.7	42.9	5.8	3.7
Worked part time	58.6	40.9	4.7	41.7	5.5	2.6
Worked full time	49.2	36.6	1.1	34.1	1.2	5.3
Military status <sup>13</sup>						
Veterans	47.6	38.7	2.0	30.0	†	58.5
Military service members						
Active duty	23.3	20.5	‡	7.8	†	46.9
Reserves	43.6	37.5	‡	22.9	‡	58.8
Nonmilitary students	58.0	41.8	5.4	40.9	4.7	1.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>						
High school diploma or less	65.8	54.6	4.2	43.2	3.0	3.9
Some postsecondary education	57.7	42.6	5.0	40.9	4.6	4.3
Bachelor's degree or higher	48.5	27.2	6.5	37.0	6.0	3.4

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-A.

**TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	81.1	58.7	7.4	56.8	6.4	5.3
Grant status						
No grant	21.5	†	1.4	20.7	3.1	4.4
Received grant	82.1	70.2	7.9	53.7	5.5	3.3
Loan status <sup>15</sup>						
No loan	28.8	27.5	2.5	†	0.2	4.6
Received loan	97.0	60.9	9.2	96.2	10.5	2.5

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents of dependent undergraduates. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>2</sup> Federal loans includes Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans, Perkins Loans, and other loans to students. Excludes Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

<sup>3</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, includes federal aid received at any institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.2-A.

Standard errors for table 3.2-A: TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal aid					
	Any federal aid	Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>0.12</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	2.80	2.99	†	1.74	†	0.50
2-year	0.95	0.74	0.15	0.22	0.02	0.19
4-year	0.39	0.31	0.22	0.23	0.30	0.21
Non-doctorate-granting	0.77	0.65	0.37	0.50	0.43	0.40
Doctorate-granting	0.34	0.28	0.29	0.25	0.36	0.22
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	2.22	2.07	†	0.89	1.65	1.38
4-year	0.66	0.41	0.65	0.37	0.50	0.48
Non-doctorate-granting	1.03	0.62	0.86	0.52	0.62	0.57
Doctorate-granting	0.74	0.59	1.03	0.57	0.79	0.63
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	1.00	1.09	0.10	0.49	0.64	0.37
2-year	1.97	1.41	0.33	0.71	0.84	1.05
4-year	0.82	0.95	0.14	0.20	0.30	0.57
More than one institution	1.03	0.81	0.27	1.07	0.31	0.37
Attendance status						
Full-time/full-year	0.54	0.50	0.24	0.54	0.23	0.14
Full-time/part-year	1.51	1.33	0.22	0.87	0.20	0.36
Part-time/full-year	0.85	0.79	0.18	0.77	0.13	0.18
Part-time/part-year	2.04	1.56	0.15	1.04	0.11	0.28
Housing						
On campus	0.60	0.60	0.55	0.64	0.48	0.14
Off campus	0.82	0.67	0.14	0.38	0.13	0.23
Living with parents	0.79	0.65	0.18	0.53	0.14	0.24
Price of attendance						
Less than \$7,000	1.86	1.67	0.08	0.50	†	0.25
\$7,000–12,999	0.69	0.60	0.16	0.53	0.06	0.29
\$13,000–21,999	0.58	0.63	0.19	0.60	0.22	0.19
\$22,000 or more	0.46	0.48	0.37	0.56	0.37	0.26
Sex						
Male	0.71	0.55	0.21	0.35	0.16	0.24
Female	0.46	0.36	0.14	0.23	0.13	0.10
Race/ethnicity						
White	0.51	0.38	0.16	0.32	0.16	0.17
Black	0.83	0.80	0.26	0.82	0.25	0.30
Hispanic	0.93	0.81	0.26	0.84	0.20	0.27
Asian	1.42	1.22	0.58	1.06	0.42	0.32
American Indian	3.11	3.10	1.14	2.95	0.96	1.55
Pacific Islander	3.62	3.23	1.29	3.21	1.42	1.27
Two or more races	1.47	1.45	0.61	1.40	0.59	0.53

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-A.

Standard errors for table 3.2-A: TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal aid					
	Any federal aid	Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	0.86	0.66	0.33	0.74	0.39	0.13
19–23 years	0.39	0.31	0.22	0.28	0.20	0.10
24–29 years	1.02	0.83	0.18	0.64	†	0.36
30–39 years	0.86	0.76	0.18	0.64	†	0.40
40 years or older	1.36	1.18	0.15	0.78	†	0.43
Dependency status						
Dependent	0.39	0.30	0.21	0.29	0.22	0.07
Independent	0.83	0.68	0.10	0.30	†	0.22
Unmarried, no dependents	0.85	0.69	0.20	0.59	†	0.31
Married, no dependents	1.82	1.25	0.34	1.41	†	0.72
Unmarried with dependents	0.89	0.92	0.19	0.78	†	0.27
Married with dependents	1.20	1.00	0.15	0.72	†	0.55
Dependency status and income level in 2010						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	0.81	0.78	0.53	0.83	0.37	0.16
\$20,000–39,999	0.92	0.92	0.49	0.82	0.37	0.17
\$40,000–59,999	0.97	0.91	0.53	0.99	0.56	0.25
\$60,000–79,999	1.07	0.62	0.57	0.97	0.51	0.16
\$80,000–99,999	0.92	0.28	0.63	0.86	0.61	0.18
\$100,000 or more	0.62	0.09	0.34	0.59	0.41	0.13
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	0.76	0.76	0.25	0.73	†	0.25
\$10,000–19,999	1.07	1.12	0.21	0.87	†	0.37
\$20,000–29,999	1.35	1.20	0.23	0.91	†	0.56
\$30,000–49,999	1.16	0.98	0.13	0.92	†	0.65
\$50,000 or more	1.48	0.75	0.12	1.14	†	0.63
Income group						
Lowest 25 percent	0.62	0.57	0.27	0.49	0.14	0.16
Middle 50 percent	0.49	0.42	0.17	0.27	0.15	0.15
Highest 25 percent	0.77	0.35	0.20	0.58	0.23	0.30
Worked while enrolled						
Did not work	0.67	0.52	0.25	0.32	0.17	0.22
Worked part time	0.48	0.42	0.19	0.36	0.21	0.15
Worked full time	0.80	0.60	0.10	0.45	0.09	0.30
Military status						
Veterans	1.81	1.68	0.36	1.21	†	1.58
Military service members						
Active duty	2.76	2.51	†	1.65	†	4.58
Reserves	4.79	4.37	†	3.89	†	5.31
Nonmilitary students	0.49	0.35	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.05
Highest education attained by either parent						
High school diploma or less	0.73	0.60	0.17	0.36	0.12	0.21
Some postsecondary education	0.72	0.61	0.22	0.43	0.19	0.24
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.47	0.34	0.21	0.34	0.20	0.17

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-A.

Standard errors for table 3.2-A: TYPE OF FEDERAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal aid					
	Any federal aid	Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	0.31	0.27	0.18	0.39	0.16	0.16
Grant status						
No grant	0.54	†	0.11	0.52	0.13	0.24
Received grant	0.35	0.36	0.20	0.47	0.15	0.13
Loan status						
No loan	0.77	0.75	0.13	†	0.03	0.19
Received loan	0.15	0.41	0.24	0.17	0.27	0.13

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-B.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,200</b>	<b>\$3,500</b>	<b>\$2,200</b>	<b>\$6,500</b>	<b>\$12,100</b>	<b>\$7,500</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	5,000	3,600	‡	5,200	‡	‡
2-year	4,600	3,000	2,700	4,700	5,700	5,600
4-year	9,200	3,900	2,200	6,600	11,100	6,800
Non-doctorate-granting	7,600	3,600	2,000	6,200	9,600	5,600
Doctorate-granting	9,900	4,000	2,300	6,700	11,500	7,500
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	8,800	3,700	2,800	6,400	12,200	15,700
4-year	11,700	4,000	2,000	7,100	14,900	9,700
Non-doctorate-granting	11,300	4,000	1,800	7,000	13,300	9,800
Doctorate-granting	12,100	4,000	2,200	7,200	16,200	9,500
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	8,900	3,800	‡	6,100	6,300	11,600
2-year	8,900	3,400	3,700	6,400	8,900	11,900
4-year	10,200	3,400	3,200	7,400	12,500	8,500
More than one institution	8,800	3,700	2,000	6,500	11,200	7,500
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>						
Full-time/full-year	10,500	4,600	2,200	7,100	12,800	10,100
Full-time/part-year	6,500	2,900	2,000	5,400	9,100	6,800
Part-time/full-year	6,900	3,000	2,700	6,800	11,200	5,700
Part-time/part-year	4,600	1,900	2,400	4,900	7,800	5,300
Housing <sup>5</sup>						
On campus	11,500	4,300	2,000	6,300	13,200	11,900
Off campus	7,800	3,400	2,400	6,700	11,600	7,400
Living with parents	7,200	3,400	2,600	6,300	10,600	7,100
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>						
Less than \$7,000	2,500	1,800	1,300	2,800	‡	2,200
\$7,000–12,999	4,900	2,900	2,400	4,600	4,100	4,400
\$13,000–21,999	8,500	3,900	2,500	6,700	7,700	6,500
\$22,000 or more	12,100	4,500	2,200	7,500	14,100	13,600
Sex						
Male	8,200	3,500	2,300	6,400	12,200	8,100
Female	8,200	3,500	2,200	6,500	12,000	6,100
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>						
White	8,400	3,400	2,200	6,400	12,300	7,600
Black	8,400	3,500	2,300	6,700	11,400	6,800
Hispanic	7,500	3,600	2,400	6,400	11,600	8,200
Asian	8,100	4,000	2,200	6,200	13,500	6,500
American Indian	7,400	3,600	2,000	6,000	9,300	7,500
Pacific Islander	8,500	3,600	‡	6,900	9,500	9,000
Two or more races	8,900	3,600	1,900	6,600	12,500	7,700

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.2-B.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	\$8,700	\$4,000	\$2,000	\$5,400	\$12,700	\$8,200
19–23 years	8,500	3,700	2,200	6,000	11,900	6,900
24–29 years	7,700	3,300	2,600	7,100	†	8,100
30–39 years	8,100	3,300	2,300	7,300	†	7,100
40 years or older	7,800	3,200	2,600	7,300	†	7,700
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>						
Dependent	8,700	3,800	2,100	5,800	12,100	6,600
Independent <sup>9</sup>	7,700	3,300	2,500	7,100	†	7,700
Unmarried, no dependents	7,900	3,300	2,200	7,300	†	8,900
Married, no dependents	7,700	3,000	2,900	7,600	†	7,800
Unmarried with dependents	7,800	3,400	2,800	6,800	†	7,100
Married with dependents	7,500	3,200	2,700	7,200	†	6,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	8,100	4,400	2,100	5,600	8,000	4,800
\$20,000–39,999	8,300	4,200	2,100	5,700	8,600	5,400
\$40,000–59,999	8,200	2,600	2,100	5,800	11,200	6,100
\$60,000–79,999	8,600	1,900	2,100	5,900	11,600	7,200
\$80,000–99,999	9,200	2,100	2,100	5,900	12,200	6,200
\$100,000 or more	10,400	3,400	2,300	6,000	15,200	8,700
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	8,000	3,700	2,300	6,800	†	8,100
\$10,000–19,999	7,800	3,200	2,800	7,100	†	8,000
\$20,000–29,999	7,500	3,200	2,900	7,100	†	8,000
\$30,000–49,999	7,500	3,100	3,100	7,400	†	7,500
\$50,000 or more	7,400	2,000	2,700	7,800	†	7,000
Income group <sup>11</sup>						
Lowest 25 percent	8,100	4,100	2,200	6,200	8,300	7,500
Middle 50 percent	8,100	3,200	2,200	6,500	11,400	7,600
Highest 25 percent	9,000	2,300	2,300	6,800	15,400	7,300
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>						
Did not work	8,600	3,700	2,300	6,300	12,600	8,200
Worked part time	8,300	3,600	2,100	6,400	11,600	7,200
Worked full time	7,300	3,100	2,400	6,800	11,500	7,000
Military status <sup>13</sup>						
Veterans	7,600	3,500	2,200	7,400	†	8,900
Military service members						
Active duty	4,600	2,800	‡	6,100	†	3,900
Reserves	5,900	2,900	‡	6,200	‡	6,200
Nonmilitary students	8,300	3,500	2,200	6,400	12,100	6,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>						
High school diploma or less	7,700	3,500	2,300	6,400	9,900	6,800
Some postsecondary education	8,400	3,500	2,200	6,600	11,700	7,900
Bachelor's degree or higher	8,900	3,600	2,200	6,500	13,400	7,600

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-B.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of federal aid				Veterans' benefits <sup>3</sup>
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans <sup>2</sup>	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	8,200	3,500	2,200	6,500	12,100	7,500
Grant status						
No grant	8,200	‡	2,600	6,400	13,100	7,200
Received grant	8,200	3,500	2,200	6,500	11,700	7,700
Loan status <sup>15</sup>						
No loan	3,400	3,200	2,500	‡	14,500	7,100
Received loan	10,200	3,700	2,100	6,500	12,000	8,500

† Not applicable.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents of dependent undergraduates. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>2</sup> Federal loans includes Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans, Perkins Loans, and other loans to students. Excludes Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

<sup>3</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. For students attending more than one institution, includes federal aid received at any institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.2-B.

Standard errors for table 3.2-B: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$240</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	270	200	†	560	†	†
2-year	80	50	150	50	390	350
4-year	80	30	70	20	230	380
Non-doctorate-granting	120	50	100	60	400	530
Doctorate-granting	90	30	80	30	250	470
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	590	130	500	180	3,380	3,300
4-year	180	50	40	40	550	1,150
Non-doctorate-granting	200	60	70	50	510	880
Doctorate-granting	280	70	60	70	940	2,430
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	150	120	†	40	730	2,690
2-year	200	70	530	60	480	920
4-year	90	50	200	20	520	610
More than one institution	110	50	70	60	360	470
Attendance status						
Full-time/full-year	60	20	40	30	250	380
Full-time/part-year	80	30	150	70	580	400
Part-time/full-year	80	30	140	60	580	390
Part-time/part-year	80	30	230	80	810	440
Housing						
On campus	140	40	40	40	300	1,420
Off campus	90	40	80	30	440	290
Living with parents	90	40	80	40	450	480
Price of attendance						
Less than \$7,000	50	40	160	70	†	170
\$7,000–12,999	50	30	180	60	250	210
\$13,000–21,999	60	20	80	40	160	320
\$22,000 or more	110	30	40	40	290	510
Sex						
Male	80	30	50	30	280	300
Female	80	30	40	30	290	280
Race/ethnicity						
White	80	30	50	30	260	320
Black	140	40	90	60	510	450
Hispanic	120	40	90	60	650	630
Asian	210	80	110	110	1,010	900
American Indian	380	160	370	250	940	1,490
Pacific Islander	560	170	†	390	2,580	2,140
Two or more races	220	70	120	120	700	860

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-B.

Standard errors for table 3.2-B: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	\$110	\$40	\$50	\$40	\$260	\$910
19–23 years	90	30	40	30	260	510
24–29 years	100	40	140	50	†	420
30–39 years	120	50	140	70	†	360
40 years or older	140	50	280	100	†	500
Dependency status						
Dependent	80	30	40	20	220	490
Independent	90	40	90	30	†	250
Unmarried, no dependents	90	40	100	50	†	460
Married, no dependents	180	90	480	160	†	660
Unmarried with dependents	140	50	180	70	†	540
Married with dependents	130	50	270	70	†	380
Dependency status and income level in 2010						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	110	40	90	70	430	1,290
\$20,000–39,999	120	40	60	60	380	710
\$40,000–59,999	150	40	80	60	400	1,250
\$60,000–79,999	180	60	90	60	420	1,280
\$80,000–99,999	220	150	90	60	490	980
\$100,000 or more	200	350	100	40	390	1,450
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	130	40	100	60	†	610
\$10,000–19,999	120	40	190	70	†	650
\$20,000–29,999	120	60	360	90	†	610
\$30,000–49,999	130	50	380	100	†	500
\$50,000 or more	140	60	540	110	†	430
Income group						
Lowest 25 percent	100	40	60	40	380	590
Middle 50 percent	70	30	40	20	270	300
Highest 25 percent	140	50	110	50	400	380
Worked while enrolled						
Did not work	100	40	50	30	290	390
Worked part time	90	30	50	30	300	370
Worked full time	100	40	190	50	680	400
Military status						
Veterans	190	80	220	160	†	310
Military service members						
Active duty	460	240	†	700	†	300
Reserves	590	220	†	540	†	920
Nonmilitary students	80	30	40	20	220	330
Highest education attained by either parent						
High school diploma or less	90	40	60	30	290	300
Some postsecondary education	100	40	60	40	340	380
Bachelor's degree or higher	90	30	50	40	330	380

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-B.

Standard errors for table 3.2-B: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of federal aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal aid	Type of federal aid				
		Federal grants	Federal work-study	Federal loans	Direct PLUS Loans to parents	Veterans' benefits
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	80	30	40	20	220	240
Grant status						
No grant	110	†	130	50	360	340
Received grant	80	30	40	20	250	310
Loan status						
No loan	50	50	80	†	1,730	280
Received loan	60	20	40	20	220	450

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-C.

FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>61.9</b>	<b>43.6</b>	<b>56.5</b>	<b>62.6</b>	<b>67.5</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>65.5</b>	<b>86.7</b>	<b>75.5</b>	<b>79.5</b>	<b>57.3</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	68.0	62.4	71.8	70.3	73.9	77.0	72.9	94.9	84.5	91.5	71.4
Full-time/part-year	54.0	49.8	53.5	51.9	65.6	69.9	58.1	82.6	66.8	72.4	59.2
Part-time/full-year	73.0	51.1	61.5	63.0	50.5 !	66.9	69.5	90.7	89.4	86.0	58.0
Part-time/part-year	56.6 !	25.7	28.5	34.7	51.4 !	36.3	31.0	81.9	74.9	69.2	32.6
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	60.8	71.9	66.6	94.4	74.1	67.4	‡	‡	86.2	69.0
Off campus	55.6	42.8	52.4	57.5	61.8	61.2	62.4	87.6	73.9	81.2	54.7
Living with parents	68.6	44.3	55.9	66.4	82.9	71.4	66.2	85.5	76.9	75.3	56.0
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	24.7	21.5	17.6	‡	14.1 !	‡	40.3	50.3	31.0	24.0
\$7,000–12,999	73.1	56.2	56.5	48.1	48.5	49.7	41.4	76.5	54.5	66.5	56.1
\$13,000–21,999	69.5	63.6	73.4	69.7	79.5	71.1	58.6	87.6	80.2	88.0	70.7
\$22,000 or more	59.6 !	69.5	67.6	67.8	77.3	75.8	72.3	92.8	85.2	91.3	75.4
Sex											
Male	55.4	39.5	52.4	59.6	63.2	69.6	61.9	89.9	77.5	71.5	53.0
Female	66.9	46.8	59.6	65.2	69.7	69.7	68.3	85.7	74.5	84.8	60.6
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	62.5	38.8	53.4	57.5	65.6	66.1	62.3	82.4	70.2	77.9	53.1
Black	36.9 !	61.4	69.5	82.6	85.2	89.7	76.3	89.6	76.9	82.4	73.0
Hispanic	68.3	44.1	61.2	71.4	70.2	75.2	80.6	89.3	85.9	82.1	60.0
Asian	‡	33.1	42.5	52.3	‡	44.8	53.5	81.7	64.4	65.7	45.1
American Indian	‡	50.8	64.2	75.7	‡	‡	‡	96.6	67.8	76.1	66.1
Pacific Islander	‡	38.2	‡	70.7	‡	‡	‡	‡	87.8	71.2	54.5
Two or more races	‡	48.5	63.5	68.7	‡	71.0	62.7	90.5	81.1	88.0	61.0

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-C.

FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	58.9	48.2	66.7	68.5	76.7	76.3	70.9	85.8	78.5	86.9	62.7
19–23 years	61.1	43.6	58.6	61.9	69.8	71.1	66.2	86.3	74.7	80.4	57.5
24–29 years	71.7	45.3	53.1	65.5	69.9	69.5	62.0	90.1	77.5	81.1	58.3
30–39 years	81.7	47.1	53.8	61.6	69.9	68.3	67.6	87.5	78.3	78.9	59.8
40 years or older	35.8 !	34.7	43.7	46.1	52.0	53.8	55.0	79.0	69.9	77.0	47.5
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	59.4	42.3	60.1	62.7	68.0	71.8	67.9	84.8	73.9	84.5	57.7
Independent <sup>6</sup>	63.0	44.4	52.3	62.2	67.3	65.4	60.2	87.5	76.3	78.8	57.0
Unmarried, no dependents	53.7	41.5	53.1	65.6	60.7	65.3	63.6	88.1	76.7	81.6	55.8
Married, no dependents	41.8 !	22.9	39.1	52.5	42.7 !	57.8	51.0	71.3	54.2	67.0	38.5
Unmarried with dependents	74.0	59.8	64.9	73.9	80.4	80.7	60.6	91.0	80.9	85.3	70.2
Married with dependents	71.2	39.3	46.5	49.7	69.1	52.6	59.0	80.2	74.0	70.0	50.5
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	61.6	76.3	87.3	90.1	99.2	86.7	82.0	90.7	82.5	90.3	83.2
\$20,000–39,999	80.6	60.9	75.3	83.3	88.4	92.2	79.4	91.1	80.5	90.0	73.8
\$40,000–59,999	‡	48.2	69.7	81.8	94.6	91.1	88.2	91.9	86.8	89.1	69.2
\$60,000–79,999	‡	25.2	52.4	59.5	62.7	68.1	71.0	82.0	62.3	83.9	49.0
\$80,000–99,999	‡	18.3	46.0	52.7	‡	71.8	64.9	71.2	76.5	70.1	44.3
\$100,000 or more	‡	12.0	37.6	43.3	30.0 !	54.1	53.4	50.7	46.6	64.2	38.0
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	66.1	60.5	66.2	73.9	78.8	80.3	64.8	91.4	82.9	87.1	70.1
\$10,000–19,999	72.6	57.9	66.5	73.0	75.7	72.7	71.9	89.2	80.1	85.9	68.9
\$20,000–29,999	62.7 !	45.6	55.3	61.5	60.5	68.8	69.0	92.1	75.9	82.6	58.3
\$30,000–49,999	79.3	34.3	44.1	55.9	46.7	65.7	55.2	73.2	64.6	75.7	48.8
\$50,000 or more	‡	16.5	26.7	36.1	47.4	43.2	49.5	65.1	52.9	56.1	30.4

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-C.

**FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	66.1	65.6	76.6	82.9	82.3	85.9	76.1	90.9	81.7	86.5	75.1
Middle 50 percent	64.5	43.6	57.8	65.7	70.8	74.4	71.7	86.9	77.4	83.3	59.1
Highest 25 percent	48.5	17.3	33.7	42.1	37.8	51.5	51.6	64.7	51.6	61.6	35.8
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	57.8	50.3	60.4	61.7	71.5	71.7	64.8	88.4	76.8	82.5	61.6
Worked part time	62.7	44.2	59.9	65.6	66.3	72.0	68.5	84.0	74.1	85.3	58.6
Worked full time	71.0	36.1	45.8	55.5	59.0	59.8	60.5	86.7	74.1	74.8	49.2
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	36.2	45.3	57.7	65.1	37.1	40.3 !	71.3	69.0	57.6	47.6
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	14.7	‡	46.6	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	22.5 !	23.3
Reserves	‡	37.9	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	58.4	43.6
Nonmilitary students	61.8	44.1	57.2	62.8	67.3	71.2	66.8	87.0	76.1	83.7	58.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	65.1	52.9	64.8	76.6	81.8	81.5	75.8	91.3	79.5	80.9	65.8
Some postsecondary education	67.7	41.8	59.6	69.5	52.7	72.3	72.9	84.9	73.1	79.6	57.7
Bachelor's degree or higher	52.5	31.5	46.2	52.8	58.9	61.8	59.0	76.9	66.3	75.6	48.5
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	88.5	76.5	82.5	81.4	84.2	79.6	77.1	97.9	91.9	88.0	81.1
Grant status											
No grant	‡	8.8	22.7	35.8	21.0	27.4	29.4	43.0	36.8	48.4	21.5
Received grant	90.1	77.7	83.8	80.5	86.1	81.5	77.7	99.4	96.7	92.5	82.1
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	52.6	32.3	30.8	19.8	38.0	21.9	17.5	47.2	36.8	23.0	28.8
Received loan	95.3	96.6	96.0	96.8	97.1	96.4	96.6	99.2	97.0	98.2	97.0

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.2-C.

## FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: Federal aid includes all federal grants, college work-study awards, Direct Loans to students and Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates. Excludes Veterans' benefits, education tax credits, and tax deduction benefits. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.2-C.

Standard errors for table 3.2-C: FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.80</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>2.22</b>	<b>1.03</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.50</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	4.78	1.31	1.45	0.53	5.49	1.18	1.00	0.82	2.05	0.51	0.54
Full-time/part-year	8.81	2.64	3.42	1.64	6.10	4.13	3.94	1.92	3.95	1.65	1.51
Part-time/full-year	18.87	1.28	2.08	1.21	18.67	3.86	3.82	3.64	3.08	2.62	0.85
Part-time/part-year	21.40	2.39	2.75	2.37	19.87	4.85	4.81	2.33	4.47	6.06	2.04
Housing											
On campus	†	5.56	2.10	0.82	1.85	1.42	1.40	†	†	3.74	0.60
Off campus	6.50	1.25	1.32	0.70	5.21	3.40	2.14	1.35	2.62	1.78	0.82
Living with parents	5.47	0.95	1.46	0.90	9.56	2.43	2.36	2.94	2.81	5.37	0.79
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	1.97	2.59	2.22	†	5.30	†	10.45	11.40	7.43	1.86
\$7,000–12,999	7.81	0.63	1.67	1.54	5.36	5.75	9.27	4.50	5.22	2.00	0.69
\$13,000–21,999	4.46	1.45	1.54	0.71	5.62	3.56	4.30	2.88	2.35	0.72	0.58
\$22,000 or more	18.77	3.49	1.78	0.84	7.15	1.05	1.02	0.92	1.48	1.17	0.46
Sex											
Male	6.42	1.25	1.30	0.60	4.19	1.71	1.88	1.75	2.59	2.47	0.71
Female	6.55	0.88	0.96	0.70	3.48	1.46	1.46	1.27	2.59	0.65	0.46
Race/ethnicity											
White	3.99	0.98	1.19	0.49	2.87	1.36	1.40	1.99	2.74	1.45	0.51
Black	13.01	1.57	2.69	1.27	7.80	2.14	3.88	2.01	3.22	1.15	0.83
Hispanic	12.97	1.57	1.80	1.50	9.55	4.49	3.18	2.10	2.29	1.63	0.93
Asian	†	2.25	3.62	2.26	†	5.90	4.61	7.95	12.60	4.94	1.42
American Indian	†	6.33	7.41	5.55	†	†	†	10.27	16.66	5.59	3.11
Pacific Islander	†	6.20	†	7.52	†	†	†	†	13.38	7.19	3.62
Two or more races	†	2.48	4.77	2.82	†	6.02	7.85	5.96	9.24	4.76	1.47

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Table S3.2-C.

Standard errors for table 3.2-C: FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	10.08	1.65	1.85	1.04	8.52	1.57	2.43	4.50	4.69	2.87	0.86
19–23 years	5.21	0.91	1.01	0.48	4.45	1.26	1.33	1.53	2.58	1.45	0.39
24–29 years	12.42	1.69	1.67	1.37	9.11	4.19	4.94	1.74	3.56	1.74	1.02
30–39 years	6.78	1.45	2.98	2.14	5.78	4.03	5.48	2.64	2.56	1.43	0.86
40 years or older	10.83	1.73	3.78	2.84	7.35	6.00	6.75	3.05	4.27	2.78	1.36
Dependency status											
Dependent	6.78	0.90	0.94	0.47	6.37	1.20	1.21	1.73	3.64	2.00	0.39
Independent	4.31	1.28	1.48	1.04	3.26	2.82	2.70	1.03	1.61	1.03	0.83
Unmarried, no dependents	6.12	1.39	1.78	1.24	10.66	3.97	4.49	2.90	2.92	2.28	0.85
Married, no dependents	15.44	2.21	3.18	3.03	13.96	6.76	7.88	7.82	7.90	4.06	1.82
Unmarried with dependents	11.39	1.53	2.66	2.23	5.28	4.13	6.55	1.23	2.71	1.69	0.89
Married with dependents	10.60	1.51	3.34	2.27	9.18	5.40	5.43	3.18	3.82	3.36	1.20
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	17.36	1.55	1.99	1.09	1.17	2.77	4.50	2.62	3.12	1.90	0.81
\$20,000–39,999	13.03	1.71	2.15	1.18	11.56	1.96	4.17	3.68	4.63	3.29	0.92
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.73	2.09	1.30	6.63	2.18	4.31	4.37	4.87	4.53	0.97
\$60,000–79,999	†	1.79	3.27	1.44	13.15	3.98	3.94	5.98	9.34	5.00	1.07
\$80,000–99,999	†	1.42	3.23	1.39	†	4.05	4.21	10.06	8.78	7.76	0.92
\$100,000 or more	†	1.07	1.92	0.85	9.84	2.06	2.11	6.97	8.56	5.53	0.62
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	13.33	1.48	2.79	1.59	6.91	3.97	5.51	1.52	1.92	1.12	0.76
\$10,000–19,999	9.92	1.86	2.98	1.90	6.57	5.22	7.62	2.30	3.06	1.40	1.07
\$20,000–29,999	21.35	2.20	3.50	2.96	7.68	6.29	7.96	1.86	4.83	2.05	1.35
\$30,000–49,999	10.67	1.71	3.59	2.94	9.94	5.91	8.25	5.15	6.56	2.00	1.16
\$50,000 or more	†	1.40	2.87	2.44	10.77	5.48	5.83	7.19	6.77	4.32	1.48

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Table S3.2-C.

Standard errors for table 3.2-C: FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	11.14	1.30	1.45	0.83	6.08	2.21	2.58	1.50	1.68	1.12	0.62
Middle 50 percent	8.05	0.94	1.28	0.63	3.36	1.63	1.69	1.06	2.65	1.20	0.49
Highest 25 percent	9.25	1.09	1.74	0.89	3.76	2.03	1.94	3.87	5.84	3.36	0.77
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	6.27	1.56	1.41	0.60	3.55	1.30	1.72	1.06	1.79	0.71	0.67
Worked part time	6.70	0.86	0.99	0.64	4.39	1.65	1.99	1.49	3.63	1.53	0.48
Worked full time	9.90	1.17	1.96	1.46	7.25	3.11	3.87	2.14	3.76	1.56	0.80
Military status											
Veterans	†	2.67	6.18	3.42	15.81	9.49	14.03	10.17	5.95	3.55	1.81
Military service members											
Active duty	†	2.72	†	6.85	†	†	†	†	†	8.04	2.76
Reserves	†	9.22	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	10.67	4.79
Nonmilitary students	2.80	0.99	0.74	0.35	2.60	0.98	0.83	1.06	2.04	0.60	0.49
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	2.96	1.32	1.31	0.92	5.40	2.45	2.85	1.03	1.76	1.23	0.73
Some postsecondary education	9.08	1.21	1.93	1.10	6.71	1.99	2.49	1.96	3.20	1.10	0.72
Bachelor's degree or higher	10.41	0.85	1.30	0.66	4.76	1.47	1.34	2.94	4.23	2.00	0.47
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	2.86	0.71	0.93	0.44	3.30	1.06	0.96	0.45	1.11	1.46	0.31
Grant status											
No grant	†	0.55	1.11	0.73	4.44	2.29	2.83	3.71	3.30	1.36	0.54
Received grant	3.03	0.86	0.98	0.48	3.84	1.04	1.19	0.20	0.77	1.92	0.35
Loan status											
No loan	3.06	1.03	1.30	0.56	4.24	2.48	1.43	4.07	4.99	3.04	0.77
Received loan	4.29	0.49	0.67	0.27	1.70	0.67	0.78	0.25	0.86	0.30	0.15

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-D.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$4,600</b>	<b>\$7,600</b>	<b>\$9,900</b>	<b>\$8,800</b>	<b>\$11,300</b>	<b>\$12,100</b>	<b>\$8,900</b>	<b>\$8,900</b>	<b>\$10,200</b>	<b>\$8,200</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	6,300	6,200	9,600	10,800	11,700	12,600	13,400	10,700	11,200	13,400	10,500
Full-time/part-year	4,400	3,900	5,500	7,100	6,400	8,100	8,100	8,600	7,800	8,000	6,500
Part-time/full-year	5,100	4,600	6,500	9,700	8,900	10,200	11,200	8,300	8,800	11,000	6,900
Part-time/part-year	‡	2,900	4,300	6,100	3,300	7,200	7,000	6,000	5,900	6,900	4,600
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	5,600	10,100	11,100	11,700	12,300	12,700	‡	‡	19,800	11,500
Off campus	5,200	4,600	7,200	9,800	8,500	10,300	12,400	9,000	9,200	10,100	7,800
Living with parents	4,800	4,500	7,000	9,000	8,800	10,300	10,700	8,800	8,600	9,900	7,200
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	2,300	2,500	2,600	3,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,000	2,800	2,500
\$7,000–12,999	3,700	4,500	5,300	6,100	4,600	5,800	6,000	6,200	4,800	5,600	4,900
\$13,000–21,999	6,500	6,600	9,000	9,400	7,100	9,100	8,400	8,500	8,400	9,600	8,500
\$22,000 or more	6,700 !	7,000	10,900	11,900	12,500	12,400	13,100	10,200	10,900	13,200	12,100
Sex											
Male	5,100	4,500	7,700	9,800	9,700	11,500	11,800	9,200	9,500	10,100	8,200
Female	5,000	4,600	7,600	10,000	8,400	11,100	12,300	8,800	8,600	10,200	8,200
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	4,800	4,800	8,100	9,900	8,800	10,900	11,400	8,700	8,900	10,200	8,400
Black	‡	4,600	8,000	11,200	9,500	12,400	13,400	8,900	8,700	10,100	8,400
Hispanic	5,100	4,000	6,000	8,900	8,900	11,900	13,200	9,200	9,100	10,400	7,500
Asian	‡	4,600	6,200	8,800	‡	10,600	12,200	8,200	9,200	9,600	8,100
American Indian	‡	4,700	6,400	9,500	‡	‡	‡	9,500	7,100	9,600	7,400
Pacific Islander	‡	4,400	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	10,400	12,200	8,500
Two or more races	‡	4,700	8,500	10,500	‡	12,000	13,800	9,300	9,700	10,900	8,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-D.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$3,600	\$4,000	\$7,800	\$10,100	\$11,500	\$11,800	\$13,700	\$9,200	\$11,500	\$13,200	\$8,700
19–23 years	4,200	4,100	7,500	9,800	10,300	11,800	12,500	9,100	9,500	11,300	8,500
24–29 years	5,200	4,700	7,500	10,000	7,900	11,000	9,800	8,700	8,200	9,500	7,700
30–39 years	6,400	5,300	8,400	10,300	7,100	9,600	11,200	8,900	8,600	9,900	8,100
40 years or older	5,600 !	5,200	7,200	10,300	7,100	9,300	10,100	8,500	7,900	10,000	7,800
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	3,600	4,000	7,700	9,800	12,300	11,800	12,800	9,300	10,500	13,000	8,700
Independent <sup>6</sup>	5,700	4,900	7,600	10,100	7,400	10,200	10,300	8,800	8,200	9,700	7,700
Unmarried, no dependents	4,300	4,800	7,900	10,200	7,100	10,900	10,700	8,500	7,600	9,400	7,900
Married, no dependents	‡	4,900	7,300	9,200	‡	9,900	9,100	8,300	7,900	9,300	7,700
Unmarried with dependents	8,300	5,000	7,400	11,000	7,600	10,300	11,300	9,000	8,600	10,000	7,800
Married with dependents	5,000	4,900	7,600	9,300	7,200	8,900	9,400	8,600	8,400	9,700	7,500
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	3,500 !	4,400	7,500	10,400	11,700	12,300	13,400	9,200	9,400	12,000	8,100
\$20,000–39,999	3,800	4,100	7,400	10,000	14,200	12,900	13,100	9,200	10,300	12,600	8,300
\$40,000–59,999	‡	3,300	6,700	9,300	10,100	11,300	13,200	9,400	10,900	15,500	8,200
\$60,000–79,999	‡	3,600	7,700	8,800	12,200	11,600	12,300	9,400	11,600	12,400	8,600
\$80,000–99,999	‡	4,000	7,200	9,500	‡	11,100	12,400	10,100	11,300	11,600	9,200
\$100,000 or more	‡	4,300	9,300	10,200	12,200	11,600	12,700	9,400	12,100	15,700	10,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	5,200	5,200	8,100	10,900	7,000	11,200	12,100	8,700	8,000	9,600	8,000
\$10,000–19,999	5,500 !	4,800	8,200	10,100	7,100	10,300	11,100	9,200	8,200	10,300	7,800
\$20,000–29,999	8,100	4,800	7,200	9,400	8,800	9,400	9,600	8,600	8,800	10,100	7,500
\$30,000–49,999	6,100	4,700	7,000	9,400	7,900	9,300	9,500	8,700	8,700	9,200	7,500
\$50,000 or more	‡	4,500	6,300	8,800	7,600	9,500	8,700	7,800	7,800	9,200	7,400

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-D.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$4,400	\$4,700	\$7,600	\$10,500	\$8,800	\$12,000	\$13,400	\$8,800	\$8,600	\$10,200	\$8,100
Middle 50 percent	6,200	4,400	7,500	9,500	8,600	11,100	12,000	9,000	9,200	10,400	8,100
Highest 25 percent	3,600	4,500	8,200	10,000	9,100	10,800	11,400	8,500	9,000	9,500	9,000
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	4,900	4,800	8,100	10,300	9,100	11,800	12,200	9,100	8,700	10,200	8,600
Worked part time	4,900	4,600	7,700	9,800	8,500	11,300	12,700	8,700	9,600	10,800	8,300
Worked full time	5,700	4,200	6,700	9,300	8,000	9,500	10,200	8,600	8,700	9,900	7,300
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	4,900	7,500	9,400	‡	10,600	‡	8,600	6,600	8,800	7,600
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	4,200	4,600
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,600	5,900
Nonmilitary students	5,000	4,600	7,600	9,900	8,800	11,300	12,100	8,900	9,100	10,400	8,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	5,000	4,500	7,300	9,700	7,800	11,200	11,800	9,000	8,700	10,000	7,700
Some postsecondary education	5,300	4,600	7,900	10,300	9,600	12,200	12,600	9,300	9,300	10,500	8,400
Bachelor's degree or higher	4,900	4,600	7,900	9,800	10,100	11,000	12,000	8,500	9,100	10,500	8,900
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	5,000	4,600	7,600	9,900	8,800	11,300	12,100	8,900	8,900	10,200	8,200
Grant status											
No grant	‡	4,500	7,500	9,700	10,100	9,200	10,700	7,600	8,700	8,400	8,200
Received grant	5,100	4,600	7,700	10,000	8,600	11,500	12,300	9,100	9,000	10,600	8,200
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	3,500	3,100	3,700	4,500	3,300	4,600	5,300	3,400	2,600	2,500	3,400
Received loan	8,100	6,800	9,600	10,800	10,900	12,100	12,900	9,700	10,300	10,800	10,200

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-D.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: Federal aid includes all federal grants, college work-study awards, Federal Loans to students and Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates. Excludes Veterans' benefits, education tax credits, and tax deduction benefits. Average aid amounts are calculated only for students receiving federal aid. Those not receiving federal aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in the average. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S3.2-D.

Standard errors for table 3.2-D: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$270</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$590</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$280</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,060	90	150	120	810	210	340	460	300	190	60
Full-time/part-year	730	80	270	190	520	640	590	170	260	160	80
Part-time/full-year	720	80	200	160	1,870	450	610	340	530	440	80
Part-time/part-year	†	90	390	230	610	660	750	380	310	240	80
Housing											
On campus	†	320	260	150	270	250	420	†	†	1,380	140
Off campus	700	100	150	130	760	400	520	190	330	150	90
Living with parents	730	100	210	110	690	310	400	320	220	390	90
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	300	50	170	280	†	†	†	†	340	280	50
\$7,000–12,999	380	60	130	140	630	460	670	470	230	190	50
\$13,000–21,999	580	120	160	80	570	280	340	270	260	170	60
\$22,000 or more	2,120	270	360	180	960	230	330	320	230	190	110
Sex											
Male	810	80	170	120	1,160	310	410	340	320	180	80
Female	500	100	150	110	680	250	390	170	220	110	80
Race/ethnicity											
White	310	100	150	110	1,050	210	370	280	250	150	80
Black	†	150	360	160	1,170	530	720	350	410	160	140
Hispanic	1,170	90	220	170	670	880	630	400	460	250	120
Asian	†	200	460	260	†	1,000	1,070	710	1,010	1,150	210
American Indian	†	390	650	870	†	†	†	1,380	920	780	380
Pacific Islander	†	480	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,660	820	560
Two or more races	†	180	690	430	†	1,000	1,290	650	1,240	390	220

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Table S3.2-D.

Standard errors for table 3.2-D: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$450	\$80	\$250	\$210	\$1,430	\$340	\$420	\$390	\$640	\$620	\$110
19–23 years	460	80	180	120	1,720	280	430	200	230	330	90
24–29 years	660	130	270	160	550	470	700	280	330	130	100
30–39 years	850	150	360	260	630	340	670	350	390	110	120
40 years or older	2,400	160	390	420	1,070	410	600	500	500	190	140
Dependency status											
Dependent	370	70	180	120	2,040	260	380	300	300	390	80
Independent	380	110	160	110	290	260	320	200	240	80	90
Unmarried, no dependents	510	120	220	170	810	480	530	210	260	130	90
Married, no dependents	†	230	310	400	†	820	670	420	490	590	180
Unmarried with dependents	530	160	380	280	630	390	790	210	300	160	140
Married with dependents	660	140	360	290	850	380	620	350	490	170	130
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	1,070	90	290	180	2,340	570	810	450	450	550	110
\$20,000–39,999	720	100	310	180	2,630	490	620	360	510	680	120
\$40,000–59,999	†	100	370	200	1,790	430	740	630	720	1,020	150
\$60,000–79,999	†	130	420	270	1,660	550	760	1,310	610	1,080	180
\$80,000–99,999	†	160	330	310	†	500	990	1,080	810	1,370	220
\$100,000 or more	†	190	480	260	3,460	480	810	840	1,270	890	200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	560	140	290	220	590	480	840	230	330	180	130
\$10,000–19,999	2,040	130	330	240	800	680	890	330	300	200	120
\$20,000–29,999	1,190	130	350	320	1,010	570	1,020	520	350	180	120
\$30,000–49,999	1,260	170	410	300	1,070	640	580	460	480	190	130
\$50,000 or more	†	180	480	320	870	410	520	290	480	160	140

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Table S3.2-D.

Standard errors for table 3.2-D: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of federal aid received by undergraduates who received any federal aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$430	\$100	\$210	\$130	\$650	\$390	\$410	\$210	\$270	\$220	\$100
Middle 50 percent	790	90	130	100	680	220	360	170	230	120	70
Highest 25 percent	360	140	370	220	1,000	400	630	300	560	160	140
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	720	100	170	120	810	280	380	220	260	190	100
Worked part time	430	90	160	130	590	300	530	220	300	180	90
Worked full time	850	100	190	160	1,020	360	630	240	320	130	100
Military status											
Veterans	†	240	580	470	†	1,310	†	600	540	430	190
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	940	460
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	860	590
Nonmilitary students	260	80	120	90	610	200	290	150	200	100	80
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	350	90	200	130	420	260	480	170	320	140	90
Some postsecondary education	700	110	200	140	960	270	550	270	290	180	100
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,050	90	190	160	1,840	260	380	280	280	200	90
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	270	80	120	90	590	200	280	150	200	90	80
Grant status											
No grant	†	110	270	190	2,450	490	1,020	610	370	200	110
Received grant	270	90	140	90	550	220	260	170	250	130	80
Loan status											
No loan	260	50	90	90	370	420	610	280	150	200	50
Received loan	960	110	150	100	830	180	290	160	160	70	60

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-E.

**PELL GRANTS AND DIRECT LOANS: Percentage of undergraduates receiving Pell Grants and Direct Loans, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
<b>Total</b>	<b>41.3</b>	<b>40.1</b>	<b>35.9</b>	<b>33.5</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	56.2	20.1	16.8	15.4
2-year	37.7	16.7	14.6	11.3
4-year	38.0	47.9	41.0	39.5
Non-doctorate-granting	40.5	37.4	31.9	29.9
Doctorate-granting	36.7	53.4	45.8	44.5
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	53.0	46.6	44.2	40.9
4-year	35.8	59.5	52.5	52.9
Non-doctorate-granting	39.3	61.3	54.1	54.6
Doctorate-granting	32.7	57.8	51.1	51.4
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	75.5	74.5	73.1	68.1
2-year	60.1	61.3	58.9	55.0
4-year	63.0	73.1	71.4	68.8
More than one institution	39.4	47.0	41.7	39.0
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	47.1	55.1	48.7	47.0
Full-time/part-year	45.1	42.4	38.9	35.8
Part-time/full-year	45.6	34.7	31.4	27.7
Part-time/part-year	25.4	18.7	16.6	15.0
Housing <sup>2</sup>				
On campus	35.0	60.6	51.7	52.9
Off campus	41.9	37.3	33.9	31.4
Living with parents	43.1	34.8	31.3	28.1
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>				
Less than \$7,000	21.7	6.9	5.3	4.6
\$7,000–12,999	46.0	29.5	26.0	21.7
\$13,000–21,999	51.5	53.6	48.3	45.1
\$22,000 or more	44.9	66.3	60.1	59.4
Sex				
Male	36.5	37.1	32.7	31.0
Female	44.8	42.4	38.3	35.5
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>				
White	33.5	40.0	34.5	33.7
Black	61.9	50.7	48.0	44.2
Hispanic	50.0	34.0	31.6	27.0
Asian	33.3	26.6	24.8	19.3
American Indian	54.0	41.0	37.2	31.4
Pacific Islander	39.3	37.2	34.1	29.9
Two or more races	45.2	44.0	39.9	37.0

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-E.

**PELL GRANTS AND DIRECT LOANS: Percentage of undergraduates receiving Pell Grants and Direct Loans, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	40.9	42.3	36.3	35.7
19–23 years	37.1	40.4	34.5	33.4
24–29 years	48.9	39.9	38.5	32.1
30–39 years	48.5	43.2	40.6	37.5
40 years or older	37.3	33.8	31.2	29.7
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent	34.7	41.3	34.6	34.6
Independent <sup>6</sup>	47.5	39.0	37.1	32.6
Unmarried, no dependents	43.9	39.6	37.7	32.4
Married, no dependents	21.1	29.9	26.0	25.3
Unmarried with dependents	66.2	46.0	44.9	39.0
Married with dependents	41.5	33.4	31.4	28.1
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	82.0	44.1	43.7	33.0
\$20,000–39,999	70.8	41.3	40.8	31.3
\$40,000–59,999	54.4	49.6	48.7	39.1
\$60,000–79,999	13.8	43.6	39.9	37.4
\$80,000–99,999	2.4	40.7	32.1	36.9
\$100,000 or more	0.5	35.3	17.8	33.2
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	66.3	45.0	43.8	37.1
\$10,000–19,999	65.2	45.6	44.3	37.5
\$20,000–29,999	45.4	40.5	39.3	33.6
\$30,000–49,999	33.9	35.0	33.7	29.5
\$50,000 or more	13.4	25.1	20.5	22.2
Income group <sup>8</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	72.5	43.5	42.7	34.5
Middle 50 percent	41.6	43.0	40.4	35.8
Highest 25 percent	9.4	30.9	20.0	28.1
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>				
Did not work	45.2	42.8	38.6	35.9
Worked part time	40.6	41.7	36.4	34.3
Worked full time	36.4	34.1	31.0	29.0
Military status <sup>10</sup>				
Veterans	38.1	29.9	28.3	24.8
Military service members				
Active duty	20.5	7.5	7.2	5.2
Reserves	37.5	22.9	22.0	17.3
Nonmilitary students	41.6	40.8	36.4	34.2

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-E.

**PELL GRANTS AND DIRECT LOANS: Percentage of undergraduates receiving Pell Grants and Direct Loans, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>				
High school diploma or less	54.4	43.1	40.3	35.8
Some postsecondary education	42.4	40.8	37.2	34.3
Bachelor's degree or higher	27.0	36.9	30.7	31.2
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	58.4	56.7	50.7	47.4
Grant status				
No grant	†	20.7	15.2	18.4
Received grant	69.8	53.6	50.2	44.0
Loan status <sup>12</sup>				
No loan	27.3	†	†	†
Received loan	60.6	96.0	85.8	80.2

† Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

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<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

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<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

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NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, includes federal aid received at any institution. Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans are available to undergraduate and graduate students. More information is available at <http://www.direct.ed.gov/about.html>. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

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Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>#</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	3.01	1.74	0.44	0.39
2-year	0.73	0.22	0.11	0.10
4-year	0.31	0.23	0.11	0.12
Non-doctorate-granting	0.64	0.49	0.23	0.26
Doctorate-granting	0.27	0.25	0.13	0.12
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	2.07	0.89	0.58	0.68
4-year	0.41	0.35	0.21	0.22
Non-doctorate-granting	0.63	0.52	0.29	0.25
Doctorate-granting	0.58	0.55	0.33	0.35
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	1.08	0.48	0.12	0.14
2-year	1.42	0.71	0.26	0.27
4-year	0.94	0.18	0.13	0.11
More than one institution	0.81	1.06	1.01	1.06
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	0.50	0.54	0.50	0.56
Full-time/part-year	1.34	0.87	0.79	0.82
Part-time/full-year	0.79	0.77	0.75	0.70
Part-time/part-year	1.54	1.04	0.84	0.85
Housing				
On campus	0.60	0.65	0.62	0.65
Off campus	0.66	0.38	0.35	0.35
Living with parents	0.65	0.53	0.49	0.48
Price of attendance				
Less than \$7,000	1.65	0.50	0.35	0.39
\$7,000–12,999	0.60	0.53	0.49	0.48
\$13,000–21,999	0.63	0.60	0.60	0.56
\$22,000 or more	0.47	0.56	0.53	0.63
Sex				
Male	0.55	0.34	0.29	0.28
Female	0.36	0.23	0.22	0.21
Race/ethnicity				
White	0.38	0.31	0.27	0.26
Black	0.81	0.82	0.82	0.80
Hispanic	0.81	0.83	0.79	0.71
Asian	1.22	1.04	1.01	0.90
American Indian	3.12	2.95	2.75	2.77
Pacific Islander	3.23	3.21	2.89	3.10
Two or more races	1.46	1.40	1.37	1.24

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Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	0.65	0.74	0.68	0.64
19–23 years	0.30	0.28	0.26	0.26
24–29 years	0.83	0.63	0.60	0.54
30–39 years	0.76	0.64	0.61	0.63
40 years or older	1.18	0.78	0.70	0.68
Dependency status				
Dependent	0.30	0.29	0.25	0.27
Independent	0.67	0.30	0.24	0.25
Unmarried, no dependents	0.68	0.58	0.54	0.54
Married, no dependents	1.25	1.41	1.34	1.27
Unmarried with dependents	0.92	0.78	0.77	0.71
Married with dependents	0.99	0.72	0.68	0.64
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	0.78	0.83	0.84	0.78
\$20,000–39,999	0.92	0.82	0.83	0.70
\$40,000–59,999	0.91	1.00	1.00	0.96
\$60,000–79,999	0.60	0.97	0.94	0.90
\$80,000–99,999	0.28	0.86	0.82	0.76
\$100,000 or more	0.08	0.59	0.47	0.59
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	0.75	0.73	0.73	0.63
\$10,000–19,999	1.11	0.87	0.87	0.78
\$20,000–29,999	1.18	0.90	0.86	0.83
\$30,000–49,999	0.99	0.92	0.88	0.83
\$50,000 or more	0.74	1.13	0.88	1.02
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	0.58	0.49	0.50	0.44
Middle 50 percent	0.42	0.27	0.25	0.24
Highest 25 percent	0.34	0.58	0.44	0.52
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	0.52	0.32	0.29	0.29
Worked part time	0.42	0.36	0.36	0.32
Worked full time	0.60	0.45	0.39	0.39
Military status				
Veterans	1.68	1.21	1.16	1.10
Military service members				
Active duty	2.51	1.60	1.58	1.20
Reserves	4.37	3.89	3.84	3.28
Nonmilitary students	0.35	0.12	0.06	0.05

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Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	0.59	0.35	0.36	0.32
Some postsecondary education	0.62	0.43	0.39	0.36
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.34	0.34	0.32	0.29
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	0.27	0.39	0.40	0.37
Grant status				
No grant	†	0.52	0.37	0.46
Received grant	0.35	0.47	0.46	0.46
Loan status				
No loan	0.74	†	†	†
Received loan	0.41	0.18	0.28	0.26

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-F.

**AVERAGE PELL GRANT AND DIRECT LOAN AMOUNT:** Average amount of aid in Pell Grants and Direct Loans received by undergraduates who received Pell Grants and Direct Loans, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,400</b>	<b>\$6,400</b>	<b>\$3,500</b>	<b>\$3,900</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	3,500	5,200	2,800	3,800
2-year	3,000	4,700	2,800	3,300
4-year	3,800	6,500	3,800	3,900
Non-doctorate-granting	3,600	6,200	3,600	3,900
Doctorate-granting	3,900	6,600	3,900	3,900
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	3,600	6,400	3,100	3,900
4-year	3,700	6,900	3,900	3,900
Non-doctorate-granting	3,700	6,900	3,800	3,900
Doctorate-granting	3,700	6,900	4,000	3,800
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	3,600	6,100	2,800	3,700
2-year	3,400	6,400	3,000	3,900
4-year	3,400	7,400	3,300	4,500
More than one institution	3,600	6,400	3,500	4,000
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	4,400	7,000	3,900	4,100
Full-time/part-year	2,800	5,300	2,700	3,400
Part-time/full-year	3,000	6,700	3,500	4,400
Part-time/part-year	1,800	4,900	2,500	3,400
Housing <sup>2</sup>				
On campus	4,100	6,100	3,700	3,300
Off campus	3,300	6,600	3,400	4,200
Living with parents	3,300	6,200	3,400	3,900
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>				
Less than \$7,000	1,800	2,800	1,800	2,100
\$7,000–12,999	2,800	4,600	2,600	3,100
\$13,000–21,999	3,800	6,700	3,500	4,100
\$22,000 or more	4,200	7,300	3,900	4,200
Sex				
Male	3,400	6,300	3,500	3,900
Female	3,400	6,400	3,500	4,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>				
White	3,300	6,300	3,500	3,900
Black	3,400	6,600	3,300	4,000
Hispanic	3,500	6,300	3,400	3,900
Asian	3,800	6,100	3,800	3,500
American Indian	3,400	5,900	3,200	3,900
Pacific Islander	3,500	6,800	3,500	4,400
Two or more races	3,500	6,500	3,500	3,900

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Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	\$3,800	\$5,200	\$3,100	\$3,000
19–23 years	3,600	5,900	3,600	3,400
24–29 years	3,200	7,100	3,400	4,700
30–39 years	3,300	7,300	3,300	4,800
40 years or older	3,100	7,300	3,300	4,800
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent	3,700	5,700	3,600	3,200
Independent <sup>6</sup>	3,300	7,100	3,300	4,600
Unmarried, no dependents	3,200	7,200	3,500	4,800
Married, no dependents	3,000	7,500	3,500	5,300
Unmarried with dependents	3,400	6,700	3,200	4,300
Married with dependents	3,100	7,100	3,400	4,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	4,200	5,400	3,500	2,600
\$20,000–39,999	4,000	5,600	3,600	2,700
\$40,000–59,999	2,500	5,700	3,700	2,500
\$60,000–79,999	1,800	5,700	3,700	2,700
\$80,000–99,999	2,000	5,800	3,600	3,300
\$100,000 or more	3,400	6,000	3,500	4,500
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	3,600	6,700	3,200	4,300
\$10,000–19,999	3,100	7,000	3,400	4,600
\$20,000–29,999	3,100	7,000	3,400	4,500
\$30,000–49,999	3,100	7,400	3,400	4,800
\$50,000 or more	1,900	7,800	3,500	5,500
Income group <sup>8</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	3,900	6,100	3,400	3,500
Middle 50 percent	3,100	6,400	3,500	3,700
Highest 25 percent	2,300	6,700	3,500	4,900
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>				
Did not work	3,600	6,200	3,400	3,700
Worked part time	3,500	6,300	3,600	3,900
Worked full time	3,000	6,700	3,300	4,400
Military status <sup>10</sup>				
Veterans	3,400	7,400	3,500	4,900
Military service members				
Active duty	2,700	6,300	3,100	4,700
Reserves	2,800	6,100	3,200	4,100
Nonmilitary students	3,400	6,400	3,500	3,900

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			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>				
High school diploma or less	\$3,400	\$6,400	\$3,300	\$3,900
Some postsecondary education	3,400	6,500	3,500	3,900
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,500	6,300	3,600	3,900
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	3,400	6,400	3,500	3,900
Grant status				
No grant	†	6,400	3,400	4,400
Received grant	3,400	6,400	3,500	3,800
Loan status <sup>12</sup>				
No loan	3,200	†	†	†
Received loan	3,600	6,400	3,500	3,900

† Not applicable.

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Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Total	\$30	\$10	#	#
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	160	560	40	70
2-year	50	50	10	20
4-year	30	20	10	10
Non-doctorate-granting	50	60	10	20
Doctorate-granting	30	30	10	10
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	120	180	20	40
4-year	40	40	10	20
Non-doctorate-granting	50	50	10	20
Doctorate-granting	70	60	10	20
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	50	40	#	10
2-year	70	60	#	10
4-year	50	20	#	10
More than one institution	50	60	30	50
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	20	20	10	20
Full-time/part-year	30	70	40	40
Part-time/full-year	30	60	30	40
Part-time/part-year	30	70	40	70
Housing				
On campus	40	40	20	40
Off campus	30	30	20	20
Living with parents	40	40	20	30
Price of attendance				
Less than \$7,000	40	70	50	80
\$7,000–12,999	30	60	30	50
\$13,000–21,999	20	40	20	30
\$22,000 or more	20	30	20	20
Sex				
Male	30	30	10	20
Female	30	20	10	20
Race/ethnicity				
White	30	20	10	20
Black	40	60	20	40
Hispanic	40	60	30	50
Asian	80	110	70	100
American Indian	120	240	110	200
Pacific Islander	160	400	150	360
Two or more races	70	110	60	80

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Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	\$40	\$30	\$20	\$30
19–23 years	30	20	10	20
24–29 years	40	50	20	40
30–39 years	40	70	20	40
40 years or older	50	100	40	60
Dependency status				
Dependent	20	20	10	20
Independent	40	30	10	20
Unmarried, no dependents	40	50	20	40
Married, no dependents	90	160	60	120
Unmarried with dependents	40	70	20	50
Married with dependents	50	70	30	60
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	30	60	30	50
\$20,000–39,999	40	60	30	50
\$40,000–59,999	30	60	30	40
\$60,000–79,999	60	60	40	50
\$80,000–99,999	160	60	40	60
\$100,000 or more	450	40	40	50
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	40	60	20	40
\$10,000–19,999	40	70	30	50
\$20,000–29,999	60	80	40	60
\$30,000–49,999	50	100	40	70
\$50,000 or more	60	110	50	90
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	30	40	20	30
Middle 50 percent	30	20	10	20
Highest 25 percent	50	50	30	40
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	40	30	10	20
Worked part time	30	30	20	20
Worked full time	40	50	20	30
Military status				
Veterans	70	170	70	120
Military service members				
Active duty	240	700	350	490
Reserves	210	530	280	460
Nonmilitary students	30	20	#	#

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-F.

Standard errors for table 3.2-F: AVERAGE PELL GRANT AND DIRECT LOAN AMOUNT: Average amount of aid in Pell Grants and Direct Loans received by undergraduates who received Pell Grants and Direct Loans, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Pell Grant	Direct Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loans	Type of Direct Loan	
			Direct Subsidized Loans	Direct Unsubsidized Loans
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	\$30	\$30	\$10	\$20
Some postsecondary education	40	40	20	30
Bachelor's degree or higher	30	30	20	30
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	30	10	#	#
Grant status				
No grant	†	50	30	40
Received grant	30	20	10	10
Loan status				
No loan	40	†	†	†
Received loan	20	10	#	#

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-G.

**FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
<b>Total</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.3</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	#	‡
2-year	4.9	3.3	#	1.8
4-year	10.7	5.1	2.8	5.3
Non-doctorate-granting	9.0	4.3	1.6	4.9
Doctorate-granting	11.6	5.5	3.4	5.5
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	22.1	18.0	‡	‡
4-year	28.8	10.1	7.5	21.4
Non-doctorate-granting	29.0	11.8	5.4	20.9
Doctorate-granting	28.7	8.6	9.4	21.7
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	22.1	21.9	‡	0.2 !
2-year	21.2	19.1	0.4 !	2.3
4-year	13.4	10.8	2.7	1.1
More than one institution	10.1	4.5	2.7	5.0
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	18.9	9.0	4.2	10.5
Full-time/part-year	9.4	6.8	1.0	2.6
Part-time/full-year	7.4	4.7	1.2	2.3
Part-time/part-year	3.6	2.4	0.5	1.1
Housing <sup>2</sup>				
On campus	27.5	9.9	7.9	19.9
Off campus	9.0	5.9	1.3	2.9
Living with parents	8.8	5.6	1.1	3.3
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>				
Less than \$7,000	1.7	1.4	0.1 !	0.3
\$7,000–12,999	6.2	4.4	0.5	1.8
\$13,000–21,999	12.2	7.6	2.0	4.3
\$22,000 or more	25.2	11.7	5.9	14.7
Sex				
Male	10.6	5.4	2.2	5.3
Female	11.8	6.8	2.1	5.2
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>				
White	10.5	5.1	2.3	5.3
Black	13.3	9.1	1.9	4.8
Hispanic	11.3	7.1	1.6	4.7
Asian	12.4	5.8	2.1	7.5
American Indian	13.9	9.1	1.4 !	4.5
Pacific Islander	9.1	5.8	1.0 !	3.9 !
Two or more races	13.7	7.5	3.9	6.2

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.2-G.

**FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	16.5	7.9	4.8	9.5
19–23 years	13.0	5.8	2.6	7.7
24–29 years	9.0	6.5	1.3	2.2
30–39 years	9.4	7.3	1.5	1.7
40 years or older	5.8	4.4	0.6	1.2
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent	13.7	5.7	3.1	8.6
Independent <sup>6</sup>	8.9	6.7	1.2	2.1
Unmarried, no dependents	8.8	5.6	1.5	3.0
Married, no dependents	4.2	2.0	0.6	1.9
Unmarried with dependents	12.7	10.7	1.3	1.8
Married with dependents	6.6	5.4	0.9	1.1
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	22.8	15.6	4.3	9.9
\$20,000–39,999	19.9	11.7	4.6	10.5
\$40,000–59,999	15.7	6.6	4.4	9.9
\$60,000–79,999	11.6	1.9	3.7	9.1
\$80,000–99,999	10.1	0.3	2.5	8.5
\$100,000 or more	6.4	0.1 !	1.0	5.9
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	14.9	11.0	1.9	4.1
\$10,000–19,999	10.8	8.5	1.4	1.9
\$20,000–29,999	8.6	6.6	1.3	1.6
\$30,000–49,999	4.8	3.5	0.9	0.8
\$50,000 or more	1.5	0.8	0.2	0.5
Income group <sup>8</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	18.7	12.9	3.1	7.3
Middle 50 percent	11.2	5.6	2.4	5.3
Highest 25 percent	4.0	0.6	0.6	3.1
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>				
Did not work	15.9	7.9	2.9	8.7
Worked part time	10.7	6.0	2.2	4.7
Worked full time	5.5	4.1	1.0	1.1
Military status <sup>10</sup>				
Veterans	7.3	5.1	0.8	2.0
Military service members				
Active duty	3.1 !	2.0 !	‡	‡
Reserves	4.7 !	3.5 !	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	11.5	6.3	2.2	5.4
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>				
High school diploma or less	12.0	8.1	1.9	4.2
Some postsecondary education	11.1	6.4	2.3	5.0
Bachelor's degree or higher	10.7	4.1	2.4	6.5

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-G.

**FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal campus-based aid			
	Any federal campus-based aid	Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	16.0	8.8	3.0	7.4
Grant status				
No grant	1.7	†	0.4	1.4
Received grant	17.9	10.5	3.4	7.9
Loan status <sup>12</sup>				
No loan	4.7	2.7	†	2.5
Received loan	20.4	11.1	5.1	9.2

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, includes aid received at the NPSAS institution but may not include aid received at other institutions. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.2-G.

Standard errors for table 3.2-G: FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.13</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†
2-year	0.24	0.17	†	0.15
4-year	0.34	0.26	0.16	0.22
Non-doctorate-granting	0.56	0.35	0.22	0.37
Doctorate-granting	0.42	0.32	0.22	0.29
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	5.41	4.36	†	†
4-year	0.64	0.45	0.43	0.65
Non-doctorate-granting	0.94	0.64	0.48	0.86
Doctorate-granting	1.01	0.65	0.68	1.03
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	2.64	2.60	†	0.10
2-year	1.90	1.89	0.19	0.33
4-year	0.86	0.67	0.61	0.14
More than one institution	0.39	0.25	0.21	0.27
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	0.31	0.24	0.18	0.24
Full-time/part-year	0.50	0.42	0.13	0.22
Part-time/full-year	0.31	0.24	0.13	0.18
Part-time/part-year	0.31	0.22	0.10	0.15
Housing				
On campus	0.62	0.46	0.39	0.55
Off campus	0.29	0.23	0.12	0.14
Living with parents	0.33	0.26	0.10	0.18
Price of attendance				
Less than \$7,000	0.19	0.17	0.03	0.08
\$7,000–12,999	0.31	0.25	0.09	0.16
\$13,000–21,999	0.38	0.32	0.15	0.19
\$22,000 or more	0.44	0.35	0.28	0.37
Sex				
Male	0.28	0.19	0.13	0.21
Female	0.25	0.20	0.10	0.14
Race/ethnicity				
White	0.24	0.17	0.11	0.16
Black	0.47	0.47	0.17	0.26
Hispanic	0.43	0.31	0.17	0.26
Asian	0.66	0.44	0.28	0.58
American Indian	2.00	1.64	0.58	1.14
Pacific Islander	1.82	1.26	0.52	1.29
Two or more races	0.89	0.68	0.56	0.61

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-G.

Standard errors for table 3.2-G: FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics:  
2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	0.42	0.29	0.24	0.33
19–23 years	0.27	0.18	0.13	0.22
24–29 years	0.37	0.31	0.16	0.18
30–39 years	0.40	0.36	0.17	0.18
40 years or older	0.37	0.33	0.12	0.15
Dependency status				
Dependent	0.25	0.18	0.13	0.21
Independent	0.26	0.22	0.11	0.10
Unmarried, no dependents	0.35	0.25	0.16	0.20
Married, no dependents	0.43	0.25	0.12	0.34
Unmarried with dependents	0.51	0.47	0.17	0.19
Married with dependents	0.38	0.36	0.13	0.15
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	0.78	0.63	0.34	0.53
\$20,000–39,999	0.65	0.52	0.31	0.49
\$40,000–59,999	0.73	0.54	0.40	0.53
\$60,000–79,999	0.62	0.25	0.33	0.57
\$80,000–99,999	0.63	0.07	0.30	0.63
\$100,000 or more	0.34	0.03	0.13	0.34
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	0.52	0.44	0.19	0.25
\$10,000–19,999	0.50	0.46	0.18	0.21
\$20,000–29,999	0.54	0.47	0.23	0.23
\$30,000–49,999	0.31	0.26	0.12	0.13
\$50,000 or more	0.20	0.15	0.07	0.12
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	0.45	0.38	0.19	0.27
Middle 50 percent	0.26	0.18	0.12	0.17
Highest 25 percent	0.22	0.08	0.06	0.20
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	0.34	0.24	0.15	0.25
Worked part time	0.27	0.21	0.12	0.19
Worked full time	0.22	0.18	0.11	0.10
Military status				
Veterans	0.77	0.65	0.20	0.36
Military service members				
Active duty	0.98	0.66	†	†
Reserves	1.80	1.64	†	†
Nonmilitary students	0.21	0.15	0.09	0.13
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	0.33	0.27	0.12	0.17
Some postsecondary education	0.34	0.25	0.16	0.22
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.25	0.16	0.12	0.21

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-G.

Standard errors for table 3.2-G: FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving federal campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics:  
2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	0.28	0.21	0.13	0.18
Grant status				
No grant	0.12	†	0.05	0.11
Received grant	0.32	0.25	0.15	0.20
Loan status				
No loan	0.19	0.14	†	0.13
Received loan	0.38	0.30	0.22	0.24

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.2-H.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID:** Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal campus-based aid			
	Any federal campus-based aid	Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,700</b>	<b>\$500</b>	<b>\$1,800</b>	<b>\$2,200</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	‡	‡
2-year	1,300	400	‡	2,700
4-year	1,900	600	1,800	2,200
Non-doctorate-granting	1,700	500	1,600	2,000
Doctorate-granting	2,000	600	1,800	2,300
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	700 !	200	‡	2,800
4-year	2,300	1,000	2,000	2,000
Non-doctorate-granting	1,900	800	1,800	1,800
Doctorate-granting	2,700	1,100	2,000	2,200
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	200	200	‡	‡
2-year	700	300	800	3,700
4-year	1,000	400	1,800	3,200
More than one institution	1,700	600	1,600	2,000
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>				
Full-time/full-year	2,000	700	1,900	2,200
Full-time/part-year	900	300	1,300	2,000
Part-time/full-year	1,400	400	1,800	2,700
Part-time/part-year	1,200	300	1,500	2,400
Housing <sup>2</sup>				
On campus	2,300	900	1,800	2,000
Off campus	1,300	400	1,900	2,400
Living with parents	1,500	500	1,800	2,600
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>				
Less than \$7,000	600	300	1,500	1,300
\$7,000–12,999	1,000	300	1,200	2,400
\$13,000–21,999	1,500	500	1,800	2,500
\$22,000 or more	2,000	700	1,900	2,200
Sex				
Male	1,800	600	1,800	2,300
Female	1,600	500	1,800	2,200
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>				
White	1,700	500	1,800	2,200
Black	1,400	500	1,900	2,300
Hispanic	1,600	500	1,900	2,400
Asian	2,000	600	2,000	2,200
American Indian	1,200	400	‡	2,000
Pacific Islander	1,500	500	‡	‡
Two or more races	1,700	600	1,800	1,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-H.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID:** Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	\$2,000	\$700	\$1,800	\$2,000
19–23 years	1,900	600	1,800	2,200
24–29 years	1,200	400	1,800	2,600
30–39 years	1,000	400	1,900	2,300
40 years or older	1,000	400	1,700	2,600
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>				
Dependent	2,000	700	1,800	2,100
Independent <sup>6</sup>	1,100	400	1,900	2,500
Unmarried, no dependents	1,400	500	1,900	2,200
Married, no dependents	1,800	500	1,900	2,900
Unmarried with dependents	900	400	1,700	2,800
Married with dependents	1,100	400	1,900	2,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	1,700	700	1,800	2,100
\$20,000–39,999	2,000	700	1,800	2,100
\$40,000–59,999	2,100	700	1,700	2,100
\$60,000–79,999	2,300	800	1,600	2,100
\$80,000–99,999	2,300	‡	2,000	2,100
\$100,000 or more	2,400	‡	2,000	2,300
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	1,200	400	1,900	2,300
\$10,000–19,999	1,000	400	1,800	2,800
\$20,000–29,999	1,100	400	1,900	2,900
\$30,000–49,999	1,100	400	1,800	3,100
\$50,000 or more	1,500	400	1,800	2,700
Income group <sup>8</sup>				
Lowest 25 percent	1,500	600	1,800	2,200
Middle 50 percent	1,700	500	1,800	2,200
Highest 25 percent	2,100	400	1,800	2,300
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>				
Did not work	1,900	600	1,800	2,300
Worked part time	1,600	500	1,800	2,100
Worked full time	1,200	400	1,900	2,400
Military status <sup>10</sup>				
Veterans	1,200	500	2,000	2,200
Military service members				
Active duty	1,200	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	1,700	500	1,800	2,200
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>				
High school diploma or less	1,400	500	1,800	2,300
Some postsecondary education	1,700	600	1,700	2,200
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,000	600	1,900	2,200

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.2-H.

**AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Type of federal campus-based aid			
	Any federal campus-based aid	Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	\$1,700	\$500	\$1,800	\$2,200
Grant status				
No grant	2,600	†	1,900	2,600
Received grant	1,600	500	1,800	2,200
Loan status <sup>12</sup>				
No loan	1,500	500	†	2,500
Received loan	1,700	600	1,800	2,100

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, includes aid received at the NPSAS institution but may not include aid received at other institutions. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S3.2-H.

Standard errors for table 3.2-H: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$40</b>
Institution type				
Public				
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†
2-year	80	10	†	150
4-year	60	30	60	70
Non-doctorate-granting	90	30	120	100
Doctorate-granting	70	30	70	80
Private nonprofit				
Less-than-4-year	300	50	†	500
4-year	60	50	70	40
Non-doctorate-granting	80	60	110	70
Doctorate-granting	80	70	90	60
For-profit				
Less-than-2-year	20	20	†	†
2-year	100	20	190	530
4-year	60	20	120	200
More than one institution	60	40	80	70
Attendance status				
Full-time/full-year	30	20	50	40
Full-time/part-year	60	20	90	150
Part-time/full-year	70	20	120	140
Part-time/part-year	100	20	130	230
Housing				
On campus	50	40	60	40
Off campus	50	10	70	80
Living with parents	60	20	110	80
Price of attendance				
Less than \$7,000	60	30	260	160
\$7,000–12,999	60	10	100	180
\$13,000–21,999	50	20	80	80
\$22,000 or more	40	20	50	40
Sex				
Male	50	20	60	50
Female	40	10	50	40
Race/ethnicity				
White	40	20	50	50
Black	60	20	80	90
Hispanic	70	30	120	90
Asian	110	80	140	110
American Indian	180	80	†	370
Pacific Islander	300	120	†	†
Two or more races	120	50	190	120

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.2-H.

Standard errors for table 3.2-H: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Age as of 12/31/11				
18 years or younger	\$50	\$30	\$50	\$50
19–23 years	40	20	60	40
24–29 years	60	20	110	140
30–39 years	50	20	130	140
40 years or older	90	20	260	280
Dependency status				
Dependent	40	20	50	40
Independent	40	10	70	90
Unmarried, no dependents	60	20	130	100
Married, no dependents	250	70	350	480
Unmarried with dependents	50	10	170	180
Married with dependents	80	30	190	270
Dependency status and income level in 2010				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	60	30	100	90
\$20,000–39,999	60	30	70	60
\$40,000–59,999	80	60	80	80
\$60,000–79,999	80	80	70	90
\$80,000–99,999	90	†	150	90
\$100,000 or more	100	†	140	100
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	50	20	120	100
\$10,000–19,999	60	20	190	190
\$20,000–29,999	110	20	210	360
\$30,000–49,999	100	30	160	380
\$50,000 or more	210	50	150	540
Income group				
Lowest 25 percent	40	20	70	60
Middle 50 percent	40	20	50	40
Highest 25 percent	100	30	110	110
Worked while enrolled				
Did not work	40	20	50	50
Worked part time	40	20	60	50
Worked full time	70	20	140	190
Military status				
Veterans	120	60	510	220
Military service members				
Active duty	440	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	30	10	40	40
Highest education attained by either parent				
High school diploma or less	40	20	60	60
Some postsecondary education	50	20	70	60
Bachelor's degree or higher	50	20	60	50

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.2-H.

Standard errors for table 3.2-H: AMOUNT OF FEDERAL CAMPUS-BASED AID: Average amount of federal campus-based aid received by undergraduates who received campus-based aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any federal campus-based aid	Type of federal campus-based aid		
		Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	Perkins Loan	Federal work-study
Total aid status				
No aid	†	†	†	†
Received aid	30	10	40	40
Grant status				
No grant	120	†	120	130
Received grant	30	10	40	40
Loan status				
No loan	60	20	†	80
Received loan	40	20	40	40

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.3-A.

**STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>3.6</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	19.2	11.2	#	0.9 !	‡
2-year	12.2	11.7	#	0.1	3.0
4-year	22.7	22.2	0.2	0.2 !	6.1
Non-doctorate-granting	19.1	18.7	#	‡	4.3
Doctorate-granting	24.6	24.0	0.3	0.2	7.1
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	11.1 !	‡	#	‡	#
4-year	21.1	20.7	0.3	0.1 !	3.5
Non-doctorate-granting	24.5	24.1	0.3 !	‡	3.5
Doctorate-granting	18.2	17.7	0.4 !	0.1 !	3.5
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
2-year	6.1	4.5	‡	‡	‡
4-year	5.0	4.9	‡	‡	0.1 !
More than one institution	13.6	13.2	0.3	0.2	3.3
Attendance status <sup>2</sup>					
Full-time/full-year	24.0	23.5	0.2	0.3	5.7
Full-time/part-year	11.6	10.7	0.1 !	0.1 !	2.7
Part-time/full-year	13.8	13.3	0.1 !	0.1	2.6
Part-time/part-year	5.8	5.6	‡	‡	1.5
Housing <sup>3</sup>					
On campus	27.5	26.9	0.4	0.4	6.9
Off campus	13.2	12.6	0.1	0.1	3.1
Living with parents	14.6	14.1	0.1	0.1	3.1
Price of attendance <sup>3,4</sup>					
Less than \$7,000	5.1	4.8	‡	‡	1.6
\$7,000–12,999	13.7	13.0	#	0.1 !	2.9
\$13,000–21,999	22.5	21.8	0.2	0.2	5.9
\$22,000 or more	20.4	19.9	0.3	0.2	3.9
Sex					
Male	14.3	13.7	0.2	0.2	3.2
Female	16.3	15.8	0.1	0.1	3.9
Race/ethnicity <sup>5</sup>					
White	14.8	14.1	0.1	0.1	4.2
Black	16.9	16.5	0.1	0.1 !	3.5
Hispanic	15.5	15.1	0.2	0.1	2.1
Asian	17.1	16.6	‡	‡	2.3
American Indian	14.8	14.4	#	‡	0.7 !
Pacific Islander	9.2	8.3	#	#	‡
Two or more races	18.3	18.0	‡	‡	3.3

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.3-A.

**STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	24.8	24.4	0.3	0.2	7.4
19–23 years	18.2	17.8	0.2	0.2	4.8
24–29 years	11.1	10.6	0.1 !	0.1	1.2
30–39 years	10.6	10.1	‡	‡	1.6
40 years or older	9.4	8.0	‡	0.1 !	1.7
Dependency status <sup>6</sup>					
Dependent	20.1	19.7	0.2	0.2	5.6
Independent <sup>7</sup>	11.0	10.4	0.1	0.1	1.7
Unmarried, no dependents	11.8	11.1	#	0.1 !	1.4
Married, no dependents	7.7	7.0	‡	‡	1.9
Unmarried with dependents	12.5	11.9	0.1 !	0.1 !	1.7
Married with dependents	9.7	8.9	0.1 !	#	2.1
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>8</sup>					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	28.5	28.3	0.2 !	0.4	4.2
\$20,000–39,999	29.0	28.7	0.1 !	0.3	5.1
\$40,000–59,999	28.7	28.5	0.2	0.3 !	6.1
\$60,000–79,999	17.7	17.2	0.3 !	0.1 !	5.4
\$80,000–99,999	13.8	13.2	0.2	0.3 !	6.6
\$100,000 or more	9.7	9.2	0.3	‡	6.0
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	14.0	13.2	#	0.2 !	1.8
\$10,000–19,999	13.3	12.7	0.1 !	0.1 !	1.9
\$20,000–29,999	11.1	10.4	‡	#	1.6
\$30,000–49,999	9.5	8.9	‡	‡	1.4
\$50,000 or more	5.5	4.9	‡	‡	1.6
Income group <sup>9</sup>					
Lowest 25 percent	21.3	20.8	0.1	0.3	3.1
Middle 50 percent	16.3	15.7	0.1	0.1	3.7
Highest 25 percent	7.8	7.3	0.2	‡	3.8
Worked while enrolled <sup>10</sup>					
Did not work	17.5	16.7	0.2	0.2	3.9
Worked part time	17.3	16.9	0.2	0.1	4.4
Worked full time	9.7	9.5	#	#	2.0
Military status <sup>11</sup>					
Veterans	10.0	9.2	‡	‡	1.1
Military service members					
Active duty	2.4 !	2.4 !	#	#	‡
Reserves	8.0 !	7.9 !	#	#	‡
Nonmilitary students	15.8	15.2	0.1	0.1	3.7
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>12</sup>					
High school diploma or less	16.6	16.0	0.1	0.1	2.9
Some postsecondary education	15.8	15.3	0.1	0.1	3.5
Bachelor's degree or higher	14.1	13.6	0.2	0.2	4.4

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.3-A.

**STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	21.8	21.1	0.2	0.2	5.1
Grant status					
No grant	0.5	†	0.1	‡	†
Received grant	25.8	25.2	0.2	0.2	6.1
Loan status <sup>13</sup>					
No loan	11.5	11.0	†	0.1 !	3.8
Received loan	20.8	20.3	0.3	0.3	3.3

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> State aid consists of all grants and scholarships, loans, and work-study provided by state governments, including vocational rehabilitation and job training grants funded by the federal Workforce Investment Act.

<sup>2</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>4</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

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<sup>6</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>7</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>8</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>10</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>11</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

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SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.3-A.

Standard errors for table 3.3-A: STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.20</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	4.99	2.73	†	0.34	†
2-year	0.56	0.56	†	0.03	0.41
4-year	0.47	0.46	0.04	0.06	0.31
Non-doctorate-granting	0.92	0.89	†	†	0.55
Doctorate-granting	0.49	0.48	0.05	0.05	0.37
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	4.45	†	†	†	†
4-year	0.71	0.70	0.09	0.06	0.37
Non-doctorate-granting	1.08	1.07	0.12	†	0.51
Doctorate-granting	0.96	0.92	0.16	0.04	0.56
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†	†
2-year	1.36	0.94	†	†	†
4-year	0.43	0.43	†	†	0.06
More than one institution	0.49	0.49	0.08	0.06	0.24
Attendance status					
Full-time/full-year	0.43	0.42	0.04	0.04	0.28
Full-time/part-year	0.58	0.52	0.03	0.03	0.28
Part-time/full-year	0.51	0.50	0.03	0.02	0.25
Part-time/part-year	0.44	0.43	†	†	0.26
Housing					
On campus	0.71	0.69	0.09	0.11	0.37
Off campus	0.41	0.40	0.02	0.03	0.28
Living with parents	0.47	0.44	0.02	0.02	0.22
Price of attendance					
Less than \$7,000	0.45	0.43	†	†	0.33
\$7,000–12,999	0.53	0.52	†	0.02	0.31
\$13,000–21,999	0.51	0.51	0.03	0.06	0.35
\$22,000 or more	0.44	0.43	0.05	0.05	0.23
Sex					
Male	0.33	0.31	0.03	0.04	0.20
Female	0.36	0.35	0.02	0.03	0.24
Race/ethnicity					
White	0.38	0.38	0.02	0.03	0.25
Black	0.56	0.56	0.03	0.04	0.47
Hispanic	0.58	0.57	0.04	0.03	0.15
Asian	0.90	0.88	†	†	0.32
American Indian	2.14	2.12	†	†	0.32
Pacific Islander	2.08	1.73	†	†	†
Two or more races	1.15	1.15	†	†	0.46

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.3-A.

Standard errors for table 3.3-A: STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	0.60	0.59	0.06	0.04	0.45
19–23 years	0.36	0.35	0.03	0.04	0.24
24–29 years	0.45	0.45	0.02	0.02	0.24
30–39 years	0.50	0.49	†	†	0.27
40 years or older	0.63	0.53	†	0.02	0.27
Dependency status					
Dependent	0.36	0.36	0.03	0.04	0.25
Independent	0.37	0.35	0.01	0.02	0.23
Unmarried, no dependents	0.45	0.43	†	0.03	0.22
Married, no dependents	0.76	0.68	†	†	0.44
Unmarried with dependents	0.57	0.55	0.03	0.05	0.32
Married with dependents	0.55	0.52	0.03	†	0.31
Dependency status and income level in 2010					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	0.89	0.90	0.05	0.09	0.37
\$20,000–39,999	0.78	0.77	0.04	0.06	0.37
\$40,000–59,999	0.80	0.80	0.07	0.10	0.50
\$60,000–79,999	0.68	0.68	0.12	0.05	0.45
\$80,000–99,999	0.76	0.74	0.06	0.14	0.54
\$100,000 or more	0.45	0.42	0.08	†	0.35
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	0.49	0.48	†	0.05	0.28
\$10,000–19,999	0.65	0.63	0.04	0.03	0.32
\$20,000–29,999	0.69	0.68	†	†	0.33
\$30,000–49,999	0.56	0.53	†	†	0.28
\$50,000 or more	0.49	0.44	†	†	0.27
Income group					
Lowest 25 percent	0.50	0.50	0.03	0.05	0.25
Middle 50 percent	0.33	0.33	0.02	0.03	0.22
Highest 25 percent	0.38	0.35	0.04	†	0.25
Worked while enrolled					
Did not work	0.39	0.37	0.03	0.05	0.25
Worked part time	0.37	0.36	0.03	0.03	0.24
Worked full time	0.40	0.39	†	†	0.22
Military status					
Veterans	1.00	0.92	†	†	0.28
Military service members					
Active duty	0.81	0.81	†	†	†
Reserves	2.75	2.75	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	0.30	0.29	0.02	0.02	0.20
Highest education attained by either parent					
High school diploma or less	0.42	0.40	0.02	0.03	0.27
Some postsecondary education	0.39	0.38	0.02	0.02	0.23
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.33	0.32	0.04	0.03	0.22

See notes at end of table.



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.3-A.

Standard errors for table 3.3-A: STATE AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	0.39	0.39	0.02	0.03	0.27
Grant status					
No grant	0.09	†	0.02	†	†
Received grant	0.47	0.46	0.02	0.03	0.32
Loan status					
No loan	0.41	0.39	†	0.02	0.29
Received loan	0.37	0.36	0.04	0.05	0.17

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.3-B.

**AMOUNT OF STATE AID:** Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,700</b>	<b>\$2,600</b>	<b>\$6,400</b>	<b>\$1,800</b>	<b>\$2,900</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	1,600	900	‡	‡	‡
2-year	1,600	1,600	‡	1,900	2,600
4-year	3,300	3,200	7,600	1,900	3,100
Non-doctorate-granting	2,600	2,500	‡	‡	2,900
Doctorate-granting	3,500	3,400	7,800	‡	3,200
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	3,700	3,000	‡	‡	‡
4-year	3,400	3,300	5,300	‡	2,800
Non-doctorate-granting	3,000	3,000	‡	‡	3,200
Doctorate-granting	3,900	3,800	‡	‡	2,600
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
2-year	3,300	1,900	‡	‡	‡
4-year	3,000	2,900	‡	‡	3,900
More than one institution	2,700	2,600	‡	‡	2,400
Attendance status <sup>2</sup>					
Full-time/full-year	3,300	3,200	7,300	1,900	3,000
Full-time/part-year	2,100	1,900	‡	‡	3,000
Part-time/full-year	1,800	1,800	‡	‡	2,700
Part-time/part-year	1,600	1,500	‡	‡	2,300
Housing <sup>3</sup>					
On campus	3,800	3,700	7,900	1,500	3,300
Off campus	2,400	2,300	5,000	1,900	3,000
Living with parents	2,400	2,300	‡	2,600	2,500
Price of attendance <sup>3,4</sup>					
Less than \$7,000	1,200	1,200	‡	‡	2,100
\$7,000–12,999	1,700	1,600	‡	‡	2,400
\$13,000–21,999	2,600	2,500	5,400	2,000	3,100
\$22,000 or more	4,000	3,800	7,600	1,900	3,400
Sex					
Male	2,800	2,700	6,500	1,800	3,000
Female	2,700	2,600	6,300	1,800	2,800
Race/ethnicity <sup>5</sup>					
White	2,600	2,500	6,700	1,700	2,900
Black	2,500	2,400	‡	‡	3,000
Hispanic	3,200	3,100	‡	‡	2,300
Asian	3,900	3,900	‡	‡	2,900
American Indian	2,600	2,600	‡	‡	‡
Pacific Islander	3,800	3,900	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	2,400	2,300	‡	‡	2,800

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 3.3-B.**

**AMOUNT OF STATE AID:** Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	\$3,100	\$3,000	\$6,900	\$2,100	\$2,800
19–23 years	3,000	3,000	6,700	1,700	2,900
24–29 years	2,100	2,000	‡	‡	2,700
30–39 years	1,800	1,700	‡	‡	2,600
40 years or older	2,100	1,700	‡	‡	2,800
Dependency status <sup>6</sup>					
Dependent	3,100	3,000	7,000	1,800	2,900
Independent <sup>7</sup>	2,100	2,000	4,200	1,900	2,700
Unmarried, no dependents	2,300	2,100	‡	‡	2,700
Married, no dependents	2,300	2,100	‡	‡	2,700
Unmarried with dependents	1,900	1,800	‡	‡	2,600
Married with dependents	1,900	1,800	‡	‡	2,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>8</sup>					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	3,200	3,200	‡	‡	2,600
\$20,000–39,999	3,200	3,100	‡	‡	2,800
\$40,000–59,999	3,100	3,000	‡	‡	2,700
\$60,000–79,999	3,000	2,900	‡	‡	3,000
\$80,000–99,999	2,700	2,500	‡	‡	2,800
\$100,000 or more	3,200	3,000	7,800	‡	3,300
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	2,200	2,200	‡	‡	2,900
\$10,000–19,999	2,100	2,000	‡	‡	2,700
\$20,000–29,999	1,900	1,700	‡	‡	2,400
\$30,000–49,999	1,800	1,600	‡	‡	2,500
\$50,000 or more	2,000	1,800	‡	‡	2,600
Income group <sup>9</sup>					
Lowest 25 percent	2,900	2,900	‡	1,900	2,700
Middle 50 percent	2,600	2,500	6,300	1,800	2,800
Highest 25 percent	2,700	2,500	7,200	‡	3,200
Worked while enrolled <sup>10</sup>					
Did not work	3,000	2,900	7,200	1,800	3,100
Worked part time	2,700	2,700	6,000	1,700	2,800
Worked full time	2,000	2,000	‡	‡	2,600
Military status <sup>11</sup>					
Veterans	2,300	2,100	‡	‡	2,300
Military service members					
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	2,700	2,700	6,600	1,800	2,900
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>12</sup>					
High school diploma or less	2,700	2,600	5,400	1,800	2,700
Some postsecondary education	2,600	2,500	4,300	2,200	2,700
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,900	2,800	7,500	1,600	3,100

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.3-B.**

**AMOUNT OF STATE AID: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	2,700	2,600	6,400	1,800	2,900
Grant status					
No grant	4,000	†	7,400	‡	†
Received grant	2,700	2,600	6,100	1,900	2,900
Loan status <sup>13</sup>					
No loan	2,500	2,400	†	1,500	2,900
Received loan	2,900	2,800	6,400	1,900	2,800

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> State aid consists of all grants and scholarships, loans, and work-study provided by state governments, including vocational rehabilitation and job training grants funded by the federal Workforce Investment Act.

<sup>2</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>4</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>5</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>6</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>7</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>8</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>10</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>11</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>13</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: State aid includes all state need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, loans, and work-study assistance. Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. For students attending more than one institution, includes aid received at the NPSAS institution but may not include aid received at other institutions. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.3-B.

Standard errors for table 3.3-B: AMOUNT OF STATE AID: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$480</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$90</b>
Institution type					
Public					
Less-than-2-year	360	90	†	†	†
2-year	70	70	†	380	230
4-year	70	70	740	310	80
Non-doctorate-granting	120	120	†	†	230
Doctorate-granting	90	90	750	†	80
Private nonprofit					
Less-than-4-year	990	940	†	†	†
4-year	100	110	600	†	190
Non-doctorate-granting	100	110	†	†	240
Doctorate-granting	190	200	†	†	260
For-profit					
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†	†
2-year	630	370	†	†	†
4-year	180	180	†	†	1,160
More than one institution	110	110	†	†	110
Attendance status					
Full-time/full-year	60	60	550	160	70
Full-time/part-year	90	80	†	†	210
Part-time/full-year	60	60	†	†	190
Part-time/part-year	100	100	†	†	240
Housing					
On campus	90	80	840	150	100
Off campus	60	70	440	280	150
Living with parents	60	50	†	360	110
Price of attendance					
Less than \$7,000	100	110	†	†	210
\$7,000–12,999	60	60	†	†	150
\$13,000–21,999	60	50	410	330	110
\$22,000 or more	100	100	780	250	120
Sex					
Male	70	70	780	230	130
Female	50	50	500	210	90
Race/ethnicity					
White	50	50	590	180	100
Black	80	80	†	†	220
Hispanic	110	110	†	†	130
Asian	200	200	†	†	190
American Indian	300	310	†	†	†
Pacific Islander	750	780	†	†	†
Two or more races	150	130	†	†	300

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.3-B.

Standard errors for table 3.3-B: AMOUNT OF STATE AID: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Age as of 12/31/11					
18 years or younger	\$60	\$60	\$650	\$340	\$90
19–23 years	60	60	660	140	80
24–29 years	80	80	†	†	350
30–39 years	80	80	†	†	330
40 years or older	140	110	†	†	440
Dependency status					
Dependent	60	50	550	160	70
Independent	60	60	610	220	250
Unmarried, no dependents	80	70	†	†	240
Married, no dependents	180	160	†	†	310
Unmarried with dependents	80	70	†	†	250
Married with dependents	120	110	†	†	410
Dependency status and income level in 2010					
Dependent					
Less than \$20,000	100	110	†	†	90
\$20,000–39,999	100	90	†	†	130
\$40,000–59,999	90	100	†	†	140
\$60,000–79,999	110	110	†	†	160
\$80,000–99,999	150	120	†	†	140
\$100,000 or more	100	100	840	†	110
Independent					
Less than \$10,000	90	90	†	†	330
\$10,000–19,999	80	80	†	†	260
\$20,000–29,999	100	100	†	†	310
\$30,000–49,999	110	90	†	†	270
\$50,000 or more	160	140	†	†	360
Income group					
Lowest 25 percent	70	70	†	210	90
Middle 50 percent	50	50	650	160	110
Highest 25 percent	80	80	870	†	120
Worked while enrolled					
Did not work	70	70	790	190	100
Worked part time	60	60	500	230	100
Worked full time	70	70	†	†	150
Military status					
Veterans	180	150	†	†	160
Military service members					
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	50	50	480	140	90
Highest education attained by either parent					
High school diploma or less	70	70	720	230	120
Some postsecondary education	60	60	880	440	110
Bachelor's degree or higher	60	60	680	150	100

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Table S3.3-B.

Standard errors for table 3.3-B: AMOUNT OF STATE AID: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of state aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any state aid	Type of state aid			
		Any state grants	State loans	State work-study	State merit-only grants
Total aid status					
No aid	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	50	50	480	140	90
Grant status					
No grant	430	†	1,290	†	†
Received grant	50	50	330	150	90
Loan status					
No loan	70	70	†	210	130
Received loan	60	50	480	160	80

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.3-C.

**STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>11.1 !</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>‡</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>15.4</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	18.2 !	21.1	30.8	31.0	19.4 !	28.2	23.3	‡	8.1	7.4	24.0
Full-time/part-year	22.9 !	12.4	15.8	18.5	‡	24.9	13.2	‡	5.5	2.5	11.6
Part-time/full-year	23.1 !	13.9	15.8	17.6	‡	21.0	7.4	‡	5.1 !	8.8	13.8
Part-time/part-year	‡	6.1	5.3	6.9	‡	8.9	5.5 !	‡	3.5 !	3.5	5.8
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	22.1	33.0	32.2	66.1	25.7	18.8	‡	‡	8.2	27.5
Off campus	19.7 !	12.0	15.2	20.3	‡	23.2	16.3	‡	7.8	4.9	13.2
Living with parents	19.0 !	12.2	19.0	24.0	14.7 !	23.6	19.7	‡	4.4 !	5.2	14.6
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	5.6	4.6	3.4	‡	‡	#	‡	‡	‡	5.1
\$7,000–12,999	23.9 !	15.4	17.8	14.0	‡	14.2	‡	‡	3.7 !	2.1	13.7
\$13,000–21,999	17.1 !	21.3	25.8	31.5	10.5 !	26.2	9.6	‡	7.0 !	4.5	22.5
\$22,000 or more	‡	23.3	27.8	24.1	18.4 !	27.1	22.4	‡	7.1	8.2	20.4
Sex											
Male	24.4 !	10.8	17.0	22.1	‡	23.1	15.8	3.8 !	6.2	4.8	14.3
Female	15.1	13.2	20.8	26.8	9.9 !	25.4	20.1	‡	6.0	5.2	16.3
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	21.3 !	11.6	17.7	21.8	7.9 !	22.8	15.1	‡	7.6 !	4.6	14.8
Black	‡	15.6	22.7	28.5	‡	34.2	23.3	‡	5.7 !	5.0	16.9
Hispanic	‡	10.9	19.7	30.9	‡	26.3	30.7	‡	3.7	6.6	15.5
Asian	‡	10.9	22.5	28.3	‡	13.6	17.0	‡	‡	5.2 !	17.1
American Indian	‡	11.9	19.9	27.9 !	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	14.8
Pacific Islander	‡	‡	‡	16.6	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	9.2
Two or more races	‡	14.6	25.7	29.6	‡	29.9	17.1	‡	14.2 !	4.6 !	18.3

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.3-C.

**STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	15.6	32.0	36.9	‡	31.9	24.5	‡	6.4	13.8	24.8
19–23 years	18.1 !	12.6	22.0	26.3	13.2 !	25.2	20.9	‡	5.8	8.1	18.2
24–29 years	15.3 !	11.1	13.3	16.2	‡	20.8	8.2	‡	4.9	5.5	11.1
30–39 years	‡	11.7	12.8	14.0	‡	25.4	11.2	‡	5.3 !	3.7	10.6
40 years or older	21.2 !	11.0	9.4	11.4	12.4 !	13.2	8.7 !	‡	10.1 !	2.5	9.4
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	16.8 !	13.1	24.2	27.9	18.4 !	25.6	21.9	‡	6.6	11.4	20.1
Independent <sup>6</sup>	20.4 !	11.5	13.3	16.8	8.2 !	22.3	10.1	3.2 !	5.8	4.1	11.0
Unmarried, no dependents	18.2 !	11.1	14.9	18.1	5.5 !	20.7	9.8	5.1 !	6.8 !	4.9	11.8
Married, no dependents	‡	7.9	8.3	11.0	‡	7.3 !	10.8 !	‡	‡	1.3 !	7.7
Unmarried with dependents	15.1 !	13.6	16.2	23.6	‡	33.5	13.7	‡	5.2 !	4.7	12.5
Married with dependents	23.3 !	11.2	10.9	11.1	‡	19.0	‡	2.9 !	6.3 !	3.1	9.7
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	19.1	32.1	47.8	32.5 !	43.2	37.0	‡	7.7	15.7	28.5
\$20,000–39,999	‡	17.5	35.3	46.9	38.1 !	43.8	35.2	‡	8.6	12.3	29.0
\$40,000–59,999	‡	17.5	35.0	40.2	‡	39.5	42.6	‡	10.4 !	12.9	28.7
\$60,000–79,999	‡	8.8	24.9	23.3	‡	25.2	23.7	‡	5.5 !	13.9	17.7
\$80,000–99,999	‡	8.1	15.7	18.6	‡	20.2	15.2	‡	‡	‡	13.8
\$100,000 or more	‡	5.6	9.4	14.3	‡	9.9	8.0	‡	‡	‡	9.7
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	21.4 !	13.3	20.0	24.9	‡	33.8	16.3	2.5 !	5.9	5.0	14.0
\$10,000–19,999	22.7 !	14.8	17.5	21.5	‡	24.9	6.9 !	‡	5.4 !	5.0	13.3
\$20,000–29,999	‡	11.8	14.2	12.9	‡	23.4	10.0 !	‡	5.8 !	4.8	11.1
\$30,000–49,999	‡	10.3	9.6	11.8	‡	25.3	16.7 !	‡	4.8 !	3.0	9.5
\$50,000 or more	‡	6.9	3.6 !	4.1	‡	6.2 !	2.7 !	‡	7.7 !	1.8	5.5

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.3-C.

**STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	20.8	15.9	27.4	39.6	15.0 !	39.3	30.6	‡	6.8	7.1	21.3
Middle 50 percent	19.6	12.5	21.1	25.4	‡	28.0	22.1	‡	5.8	5.2	16.3
Highest 25 percent	‡	7.0	7.0	11.9	‡	9.2	6.5	2.8 !	5.3 !	2.1	7.8
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	27.4 !	14.1	23.3	26.7	13.1 !	26.3	17.9	4.1 !	5.8	5.1	17.5
Worked part time	12.3 !	12.7	20.5	26.1	10.7 !	25.0	20.9	‡	7.0	6.7	17.3
Worked full time	‡	9.6	11.5	14.2	‡	18.6	12.7	‡	5.6	4.2	9.7
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	11.7	12.4	14.2	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	4.6	10.0
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2.4 !
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	8.0 !
Nonmilitary students	19.3	12.3	19.5	24.9	11.0 !	25.1	18.4	‡	6.3	5.2	15.8
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	22.9	14.2	20.8	30.4	12.9 !	32.8	27.1	3.2 !	7.4	4.8	16.6
Some postsecondary education	‡	12.0	20.2	26.0	12.0 !	27.1	22.1	‡	4.4	5.1	15.8
Bachelor's degree or higher	13.4 !	9.7	16.5	20.9	‡	18.8	12.9	‡	4.6 !	5.0	14.1
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	27.5	21.4	27.9	32.0	13.8 !	28.0	21.4	‡	7.4	5.6	21.8
Grant status											
No grant	‡	0.5	0.5 !	0.5	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	0.3 !	0.5
Received grant	28.8	23.6	34.2	40.7	14.2 !	31.3	24.2	‡	8.5	7.0	25.8
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	20.3 !	10.7	14.8	17.5	‡	13.4	8.0	4.4 !	4.3 !	1.7 !	11.5
Received loan	15.5	18.9	25.8	30.2	13.1 !	30.7	24.8	‡	7.1	6.1	20.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.3-C.

**STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: State aid includes all state need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, loans, and work-study assistance. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.3-C.

Standard errors for table 3.3-C: STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.99</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.92</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>4.45</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>†</b>	<b>1.36</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>0.30</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	6.93	1.11	1.44	0.73	7.68	1.25	1.36	†	2.27	0.57	0.43
Full-time/part-year	8.59	1.06	1.66	1.24	†	4.05	3.00	†	1.41	0.46	0.58
Part-time/full-year	10.67	0.77	1.52	1.00	†	2.65	2.18	†	2.01	1.24	0.51
Part-time/part-year	†	0.59	0.71	0.92	†	2.40	2.34	†	1.12	0.85	0.44
Housing											
On campus	†	4.67	2.76	0.96	1.10	1.50	1.42	†	†	2.07	0.71
Off campus	6.09	0.68	1.14	0.68	†	2.42	1.52	†	1.49	0.49	0.41
Living with parents	9.26	0.64	1.10	0.79	4.64	1.94	2.30	†	1.82	1.04	0.47
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	0.54	0.76	0.82	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.45
\$7,000–12,999	9.67	0.76	1.30	1.18	†	4.10	†	†	1.81	0.43	0.53
\$13,000–21,999	6.19	1.10	1.40	0.85	5.06	2.98	2.04	†	2.48	0.59	0.51
\$22,000 or more	†	2.91	1.78	0.79	9.02	1.17	1.17	†	1.28	0.61	0.44
Sex											
Male	7.34	0.57	1.13	0.64	†	1.23	1.44	1.76	1.56	0.55	0.33
Female	4.38	0.69	1.23	0.68	4.70	1.52	1.41	†	1.66	0.47	0.36
Race/ethnicity											
White	6.46	0.72	1.17	0.59	2.78	1.18	1.05	†	2.30	0.43	0.38
Black	†	1.15	1.97	1.61	†	2.70	3.13	†	2.18	0.67	0.56
Hispanic	†	0.95	1.61	1.27	†	5.81	3.24	†	1.00	0.85	0.58
Asian	†	1.26	2.97	1.76	†	3.61	3.22	†	†	2.30	0.90
American Indian	†	3.33	5.24	8.55	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.14
Pacific Islander	†	†	†	4.95	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.08
Two or more races	†	1.65	3.32	3.11	†	5.78	4.35	†	7.03	1.42	1.15

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.3-C.

Standard errors for table 3.3-C: STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	0.86	2.34	1.31	†	2.16	1.76	†	1.80	1.69	0.60
19–23 years	8.43	0.70	1.10	0.61	6.30	1.36	1.30	†	0.93	0.71	0.36
24–29 years	6.95	0.79	1.24	1.04	†	2.81	2.12	†	1.34	0.88	0.45
30–39 years	†	0.84	1.91	1.60	†	3.60	3.02	†	2.43	0.41	0.50
40 years or older	9.51	0.96	2.02	1.58	4.35	3.55	3.17	†	4.22	0.44	0.63
Dependency status											
Dependent	8.29	0.69	1.17	0.62	8.63	1.35	1.16	†	1.17	0.98	0.36
Independent	6.68	0.65	1.05	0.81	3.93	1.96	1.70	1.55	1.66	0.44	0.37
Unmarried, no dependents	9.01	0.76	1.43	1.04	2.70	2.90	2.51	2.36	2.18	0.64	0.45
Married, no dependents	†	1.24	1.89	1.92	†	3.04	4.21	†	†	0.40	0.76
Unmarried with dependents	5.84	1.04	1.97	2.08	†	3.71	2.97	†	1.63	0.63	0.57
Married with dependents	8.95	0.95	1.92	1.70	†	3.82	†	1.43	2.22	0.49	0.55
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	1.40	2.68	2.26	15.64	4.09	4.57	†	1.99	2.22	0.89
\$20,000–39,999	†	1.05	2.41	1.61	17.37	3.57	3.98	†	1.94	2.04	0.78
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.37	2.70	1.75	†	3.47	3.89	†	3.82	2.47	0.80
\$60,000–79,999	†	0.98	2.56	1.29	†	2.94	3.52	†	2.01	2.98	0.68
\$80,000–99,999	†	1.46	2.44	1.37	†	2.72	2.59	†	†	†	0.76
\$100,000 or more	†	0.83	1.18	0.87	†	1.08	1.21	†	†	†	0.45
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	9.70	0.81	2.02	1.46	†	3.85	4.14	1.15	1.54	0.76	0.49
\$10,000–19,999	10.64	1.26	2.28	1.49	†	5.32	2.97	†	1.68	1.02	0.65
\$20,000–29,999	†	1.15	2.71	2.21	†	3.93	4.49	†	2.38	0.68	0.69
\$30,000–49,999	†	0.97	1.54	1.90	†	4.01	5.52	†	2.37	0.47	0.56
\$50,000 or more	†	0.85	1.09	0.86	†	2.44	1.29	†	3.60	0.40	0.49

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Table S3.3-C.

Standard errors for table 3.3-C: STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	5.60	0.82	1.55	1.33	6.55	2.40	2.47	†	1.48	0.74	0.50
Middle 50 percent	5.58	0.61	1.22	0.62	†	1.58	1.56	†	1.43	0.61	0.33
Highest 25 percent	†	0.72	0.84	0.69	†	1.11	0.97	1.26	2.49	0.29	0.38
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	8.65	0.78	1.40	0.77	5.79	1.37	1.32	2.04	1.27	0.58	0.39
Worked part time	4.95	0.61	1.12	0.68	4.70	1.79	1.62	†	2.07	0.68	0.37
Worked full time	†	0.68	1.09	0.94	†	2.12	2.15	†	1.59	0.50	0.40
Military status											
Veterans	†	1.62	3.23	2.59	†	†	†	†	†	1.17	1.00
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.81
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.75
Nonmilitary students	5.06	0.57	0.95	0.51	4.51	1.12	0.96	†	1.44	0.45	0.30
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	5.47	0.75	1.21	1.03	4.74	2.14	2.57	1.59	2.07	0.50	0.42
Some postsecondary education	†	0.69	1.54	0.88	5.32	1.83	2.29	†	0.89	0.61	0.39
Bachelor's degree or higher	5.35	0.62	1.16	0.60	†	1.16	1.02	†	1.46	0.84	0.33
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	7.10	0.89	1.33	0.63	5.24	1.20	1.12	†	1.60	0.50	0.39
Grant status											
No grant	†	0.14	0.22	0.11	†	†	†	†	†	0.13	0.09
Received grant	7.42	1.00	1.54	0.83	5.94	1.34	1.24	†	1.64	0.66	0.47
Loan status											
No loan	6.58	0.60	0.82	0.64	†	2.09	1.18	1.95	2.02	0.51	0.41
Received loan	3.11	1.04	1.73	0.70	6.49	1.16	1.44	†	1.42	0.52	0.37

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.3-D.

**AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,600</b>	<b>\$1,600</b>	<b>\$2,600</b>	<b>\$3,500</b>	<b>\$3,700</b>	<b>\$3,000</b>	<b>\$3,900</b>	<b>‡</b>	<b>\$3,300</b>	<b>\$3,000</b>	<b>\$2,700</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	‡	1,900	3,100	3,800	3,000	3,500	4,200	‡	2,700	4,000	3,300
Full-time/part-year	‡	1,300	1,700	3,000	5,700	2,000	2,300	‡	4,200	2,400	2,100
Part-time/full-year	‡	1,600	1,800	2,300	‡	2,000	‡	‡	‡	2,200	1,800
Part-time/part-year	‡	1,500	1,300	1,700	‡	1,600	‡	‡	1,500 !	1,800	1,600
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	1,800	3,100	4,100	3,100	3,500	4,600	‡	‡	3,300	3,800
Off campus	‡	1,700	2,400	3,300	4,600	2,400	3,300	‡	3,300	2,800	2,400
Living with parents	2,100	1,500	2,400	3,200	2,600 !	2,900	3,400	‡	3,300	3,400	2,400
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	1,300	800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	1,200
\$7,000–12,999	‡	1,600	1,900	1,900	‡	1,500	‡	‡	3,200 !	1,200	1,700
\$13,000–21,999	1,800	1,900	2,600	3,200	5,600	1,900	2,100	‡	3,700	1,800	2,600
\$22,000 or more	‡	1,900	3,800	4,500	2,700 !	3,400	4,100	2,900 !	3,100	3,800	4,000
Sex											
Male	‡	1,600	2,700	3,600	4,000	3,000	3,700	‡	4,100	2,900	2,800
Female	1,800	1,600	2,500	3,500	3,500 !	3,100	4,000	‡	2,900	3,100	2,700
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	1,700	1,600	2,600	3,200	2,700	2,900	3,500	‡	3,500	2,500	2,600
Black	‡	1,800	2,400	3,200	2,800 !	3,000	2,800	‡	1,600 !	2,500	2,500
Hispanic	‡	1,400	2,500	4,300	5,200 !	3,700	5,400	‡	3,300 !	5,400	3,200
Asian	‡	1,400	3,200	5,000	‡	‡	4,900	‡	‡	2,500	3,900
American Indian	‡	1,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,600
Pacific Islander	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,800
Two or more races	‡	1,400	1,900	3,200	‡	2,500	2,700	‡	‡	2,200	2,400

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.3-D.

**AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	\$1,600	\$2,800	\$3,800	\$2,900 !	\$3,400	\$4,400	‡	\$2,800	\$3,800	\$3,100
19–23 years	‡	1,600	2,800	3,700	3,200 !	3,200	4,000	‡	2,600	4,300	3,000
24–29 years	‡	1,500	1,800	2,700	‡	2,900	‡	‡	2,000 !	2,200	2,100
30–39 years	‡	1,600	1,900	2,000	‡	2,100	‡	‡	3,200 !	2,000	1,800
40 years or older	‡	1,800	1,700	2,100	‡	2,100	‡	‡	5,800	3,000	2,100
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	‡	1,600	2,800	3,800	2,900 !	3,300	4,100	‡	2,300	4,500	3,100
Independent <sup>6</sup>	1,900	1,600	2,000	2,700	4,400	2,400	2,900	‡	3,800	2,400	2,100
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	1,500	2,200	3,100	‡	2,800	3,000	‡	4,800	2,000	2,300
Married, no dependents	‡	1,800	‡	3,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	1,600	2,300
Unmarried with dependents	‡	1,600	1,700	2,400	‡	2,400	‡	‡	2,200 !	2,700	1,900
Married with dependents	‡	1,800	1,900	1,700	‡	2,000	‡	‡	4,800	2,300	1,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	1,600	2,900	3,800	2,500 !	4,000	4,900	‡	2,100	5,000	3,200
\$20,000–39,999	‡	1,600	2,900	3,900	3,000 !	3,200	4,800	‡	2,500 !	5,200	3,200
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,500	3,100	4,000	‡	3,500	3,300	‡	‡	3,900	3,100
\$60,000–79,999	‡	1,800	2,200	3,600	‡	2,700	4,100	‡	‡	2,600	3,000
\$80,000–99,999	‡	1,900	2,100	3,000	‡	3,000	3,800	‡	‡	‡	2,700
\$100,000 or more	‡	1,800	3,200	3,700	‡	3,000	3,500	‡	‡	‡	3,200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	‡	1,600	2,100	2,900	‡	2,800	3,600	‡	2,700	2,100	2,200
\$10,000–19,999	‡	1,600	2,400	2,800	‡	2,300	‡	‡	2,700 !	2,400	2,100
\$20,000–29,999	‡	1,500	1,300	2,300	‡	2,700	‡	‡	‡	3,100	1,900
\$30,000–49,999	‡	1,500	2,000	2,000	‡	2,100	‡	‡	‡	1,800	1,800
\$50,000 or more	‡	1,900	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,000 !	2,000

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.3-D.

**AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	‡	\$1,600	\$2,700	\$3,800	\$2,600	\$3,400	\$4,800	‡	\$2,500	\$3,400	\$2,900
Middle 50 percent	1,600	1,600	2,400	3,400	4,500	2,900	3,500	‡	3,200	2,900	2,600
Highest 25 percent	‡	1,700	2,700	3,500	‡	2,600	3,400	‡	‡	2,200	2,700
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	1,600	1,600	2,800	3,900	4,000	3,100	4,300	‡	3,300	2,800	3,000
Worked part time	‡	1,600	2,600	3,300	‡	3,300	3,600	‡	3,600	3,600	2,700
Worked full time	‡	1,600	1,800	2,600	‡	2,400	3,200	‡	‡	2,700	2,000
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	1,700	‡	3,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,800	2,300
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	1,600	1,600	2,600	3,500	3,700	3,000	3,900	‡	3,300	3,000	2,700
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	1,300	1,600	2,500	3,800	4,500 !	3,000	3,900	‡	3,300	3,000	2,700
Some postsecondary education	‡	1,600	2,600	3,200	3,200	3,000	3,800	‡	3,000	2,600	2,600
Bachelor's degree or higher	‡	1,700	2,600	3,600	2,800 !	3,100	3,800	‡	‡	3,000	2,900
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	1,600	1,600	2,600	3,500	3,700	3,000	3,900	‡	3,300	3,000	2,700
Grant status											
No grant	‡	2,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	4,000
Received grant	1,500	1,600	2,600	3,500	3,500	3,000	3,900	‡	2,800	2,900	2,700
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	1,700	1,700	2,500	3,800	5,600	2,800	3,900	‡	5,800	2,500	2,500
Received loan	‡	1,300	2,600	3,400	2,400	3,100	3,900	2,000 !	2,400	3,100	2,900

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 3.3-D.**

**AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans only include loans to students and exclude Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

NOTE: State aid includes all state need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, loans, and work-study assistance. Average aid amounts are calculated only for students receiving state aid. Those not receiving state aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in the average. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.3-D.

Standard errors for table 3.3-D: AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$360</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$990</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>†</b>	<b>\$630</b>	<b>\$180</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	†	100	130	110	720	130	200	†	480	260	60
Full-time/part-year	†	130	160	170	1,340	200	270	†	890	380	90
Part-time/full-year	†	90	190	170	†	190	†	†	†	250	60
Part-time/part-year	†	120	160	220	†	250	†	†	570	510	100
Housing											
On campus	†	540	180	130	40	150	270	†	†	730	90
Off campus	†	100	160	130	1,280	140	310	†	790	210	60
Living with parents	510	60	170	100	1,260	220	270	†	880	330	60
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	120	120	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	100
\$7,000–12,999	†	70	160	140	†	190	†	†	1,380	220	60
\$13,000–21,999	440	120	140	70	1,220	170	260	†	700	270	60
\$22,000 or more	†	360	180	220	830	120	200	1,380	760	230	100
Sex											
Male	†	90	140	140	1,110	140	270	†	840	310	70
Female	380	70	140	90	1,090	120	210	†	710	210	50
Race/ethnicity											
White	450	70	120	80	660	110	230	†	670	200	50
Black	†	160	170	170	1,090	190	340	†	700	280	80
Hispanic	†	80	290	180	1,920	530	490	†	1,140	450	110
Asian	†	100	230	360	†	†	470	†	†	680	200
American Indian	†	250	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	300
Pacific Islander	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	750
Two or more races	†	110	270	290	†	650	490	†	†	490	150

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.3-D.

Standard errors for table 3.3-D: AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	\$90	\$130	\$120	\$1,150	\$150	\$230	†	\$590	\$260	\$60
19–23 years	†	70	150	100	1,500	130	210	†	520	350	60
24–29 years	†	110	180	170	†	370	†	†	610	240	80
30–39 years	†	130	240	190	†	310	†	†	1,000	270	80
40 years or older	†	170	330	290	†	270	†	†	1,710	690	140
Dependency status											
Dependent	†	80	140	100	1,410	110	210	†	440	340	60
Independent	400	100	160	120	970	160	300	†	860	180	60
Unmarried, no dependents	†	90	180	170	†	300	630	†	1,190	230	80
Married, no dependents	†	230	†	370	†	†	†	†	†	430	180
Unmarried with dependents	†	100	240	170	†	240	†	†	730	300	80
Married with dependents	†	180	300	220	†	390	†	†	1,420	410	120
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	100	260	190	800	260	450	†	560	790	100
\$20,000–39,999	†	80	250	180	1,470	190	330	†	890	850	100
\$40,000–59,999	†	110	180	180	†	240	300	†	†	940	90
\$60,000–79,999	†	230	240	210	†	200	550	†	†	630	110
\$80,000–99,999	†	260	280	180	†	290	790	†	†	†	150
\$100,000 or more	†	250	290	140	†	270	510	†	†	†	100
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	†	140	190	170	†	260	620	†	770	300	90
\$10,000–19,999	†	100	270	190	†	350	†	†	1,260	310	80
\$20,000–29,999	†	120	280	410	†	340	†	†	†	550	100
\$30,000–49,999	†	130	370	360	†	420	†	†	†	340	110
\$50,000 or more	†	200	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	940	160

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.3-D.

Standard errors for table 3.3-D: AVERAGE AMOUNT OF STATE AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of state aid received by undergraduates who received any state aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	†	\$70	\$180	\$150	\$740	\$190	\$290	†	\$620	\$380	\$70
Middle 50 percent	450	90	130	110	1,260	120	200	†	650	190	50
Highest 25 percent	†	130	240	130	†	240	520	†	†	590	80
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	410	80	160	160	1,020	140	300	†	640	300	70
Worked part time	†	80	150	80	†	170	250	†	850	420	60
Worked full time	†	90	150	190	†	190	560	†	†	260	70
Military status											
Veterans	†	150	†	550	†	†	†	†	†	670	180
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	350	70	120	90	1,040	100	190	†	640	180	50
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	350	70	140	170	1,380	210	330	†	770	270	70
Some postsecondary education	†	80	160	120	870	190	320	†	410	280	60
Bachelor's degree or higher	†	110	160	90	1,240	140	250	†	†	420	60
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	360	70	120	90	990	100	190	†	630	180	50
Grant status											
No grant	†	400	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	430
Received grant	350	70	120	90	1,020	100	190	†	590	180	50
Loan status											
No loan	450	90	170	130	850	220	360	†	1,220	430	70
Received loan	†	60	130	100	620	110	200	610	440	190	50

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.4-A.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study			
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.6</b>		<b>8.2</b>	<b>13.5</b>
Institution type							
Public							
Less-than-2-year	2.8 !	2.8 !	#	#		‡	‡
2-year	13.4	13.3	‡	0.1 !		1.2	11.6
4-year	21.5	21.1	0.4	0.5		9.2	11.6
Non-doctorate-granting	13.3	13.0	‡	0.2 !		4.7	7.5
Doctorate-granting	25.8	25.3	0.4	0.6		11.5	13.7
Private nonprofit							
Less-than-4-year	20.1 !	20.0 !	‡	#		‡	17.1 !
4-year	58.4	57.8	1.4	3.6		36.8	37.1
Non-doctorate-granting	58.2	57.6	1.6	3.9		38.1	37.5
Doctorate-granting	58.6	57.9	1.2 !	3.4		35.6	36.8
For-profit							
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	‡	#		‡	‡
2-year	6.5 !	4.8 !	1.7 !	#		‡	0.8
4-year	3.4	3.2	0.6	#		1.1	1.5
More than one institution	22.3	21.8	0.5	0.6		8.4	15.0
Attendance status <sup>2</sup>							
Full-time/full-year	33.9	33.4	0.7	1.3		17.2	21.0
Full-time/part-year	12.2	11.7	0.4	0.5		4.7	7.7
Part-time/full-year	15.3	15.1	0.3 !	0.1		2.7	11.9
Part-time/part-year	9.4	9.2	0.2 !	‡		1.2	7.0
Housing <sup>3</sup>							
On campus	52.0	51.3	0.9	3.1		31.2	31.9
Off campus	14.1	13.8	0.4	0.3		4.2	9.4
Living with parents	17.3	17.0	0.4	0.2 !		5.5	12.1
Price of attendance <sup>3,4</sup>							
Less than \$7,000	9.4	9.3	‡	#		0.5	7.8
\$7,000–12,999	11.7	11.4	0.3 !	0.1 !		1.7	9.2
\$13,000–21,999	19.5	19.2	0.3	0.3		7.2	11.7
\$22,000 or more	40.7	39.9	1.2	2.2		23.7	24.9
Sex							
Male	20.6	20.2	0.4	0.6		8.3	13.3
Female	20.4	20.0	0.5	0.6		8.2	13.6
Race/ethnicity <sup>5</sup>							
White	20.2	19.9	0.4	0.7		9.9	11.9
Black	14.3	14.0	0.5	0.3		5.2	9.7
Hispanic	24.8	24.3	0.4	0.5		5.4	20.2
Asian	26.0	25.3	0.5 !	1.4		8.2	19.7
American Indian	18.0	17.6	‡	‡		4.4	11.9
Pacific Islander	20.7	20.5	‡	‡		5.5	16.6
Two or more races	25.2	24.7	0.6 !	0.9 !		9.1	17.7

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.4-A.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study			
Age as of 12/31/11							
18 years or younger	35.2	34.9	0.4	0.9		18.2	22.6
19–23 years	26.1	25.7	0.6	1.1		12.2	16.6
24–29 years	13.2	12.8	0.4	0.1 !		2.3	10.4
30–39 years	9.6	9.3	0.3	0.1 !		1.9	6.6
40 years or older	10.4	10.2	0.2 !	‡		1.6	6.9
Dependency status <sup>6</sup>							
Dependent	29.2	28.8	0.6	1.1		14.5	18.4
Independent <sup>7</sup>	12.1	11.8	0.3	0.1		2.3	8.9
Unmarried, no dependents	15.2	14.8	0.4	0.2 !		3.1	11.6
Married, no dependents	11.1	10.9	0.2 !	‡		2.7	6.3
Unmarried with dependents	10.9	10.7	0.3	0.1 !		1.7	8.5
Married with dependents	9.5	9.2	‡	‡		1.7	6.3
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>8</sup>							
Dependent							
Less than \$20,000	29.1	28.8	0.4	0.7		9.9	22.2
\$20,000–39,999	30.4	30.1	0.4	1.2		11.2	22.8
\$40,000–59,999	33.0	32.5	0.7	1.3		13.1	25.1
\$60,000–79,999	29.1	28.7	0.6	0.7		15.2	18.4
\$80,000–99,999	26.8	26.5	0.6	0.8		15.8	15.4
\$100,000 or more	28.0	27.4	0.6	1.7		18.9	11.8
Independent							
Less than \$10,000	16.7	16.4	0.3 !	0.2 !		3.4	13.2
\$10,000–19,999	12.5	12.1	0.4	0.3 !		2.4	9.4
\$20,000–29,999	10.7	10.3	0.4 !	0.1 !		1.8	8.0
\$30,000–49,999	10.3	10.1	0.3 !	‡		1.7	7.1
\$50,000 or more	7.2	7.0	‡	‡		1.5	3.7
Income group <sup>9</sup>							
Lowest 25 percent	23.1	22.8	0.4	0.4		6.5	18.0
Middle 50 percent	20.5	20.1	0.5	0.6		8.2	14.0
Highest 25 percent	17.7	17.3	0.4	0.8		10.1	7.9
Worked while enrolled <sup>10</sup>							
Did not work	25.6	25.2	0.5	0.9		11.4	16.8
Worked part time	22.2	21.8	0.5	0.7		9.2	14.5
Worked full time	10.5	10.3	0.3	0.1		2.3	7.3
Military status <sup>11</sup>							
Veterans	10.8	10.6	‡	‡		1.8	6.8
Military service members							
Active duty	5.7	5.5	‡	#		‡	3.2 !
Reserves	7.3 !	7.3 !	#	‡		‡	2.5 !
Nonmilitary students	21.0	20.6	0.4	0.6		8.6	13.9
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>12</sup>							
High school diploma or less	17.2	16.8	0.3	0.4		4.7	13.1
Some postsecondary education	19.7	19.4	0.4	0.5		7.3	13.4
Bachelor's degree or higher	24.0	23.6	0.6	1.0		12.4	13.7

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-A.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study			
Total aid status							
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	28.9	28.4	0.6	0.9	11.7	19.1	
Grant status							
No grant	0.4	†	0.2	0.2	†	†	
Received grant	34.4	34.0	0.6	0.9	14.0	22.8	
Loan status <sup>13</sup>							
No loan	16.7	16.6	†	0.4	5.3	11.1	
Received loan	25.7	25.0	1.0	0.9	12.4	16.8	

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Institutional aid includes all institution need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, tuition waivers, loans, and work-study assistance funded by the institution attended.

<sup>2</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>4</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>5</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>6</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>7</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>8</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>10</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>11</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>13</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, includes only institutional aid awarded by the institution in the NPSAS sample. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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**Table S3.4-A.**

**Standard errors for table 3.4-A: INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.41</b>	<b>0.41</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0.39</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	1.21	1.21	†	†	†	†
2-year	0.84	0.84	†	0.02	0.14	0.83
4-year	0.61	0.60	0.08	0.08	0.41	0.49
Non-doctorate-granting	0.80	0.78	†	0.07	0.49	0.76
Doctorate-granting	0.83	0.82	0.06	0.11	0.56	0.62
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	8.43	8.42	†	†	†	7.52
4-year	1.11	1.09	0.26	0.45	1.15	0.92
Non-doctorate-granting	1.73	1.72	0.31	0.70	2.02	1.36
Doctorate-granting	1.34	1.33	0.37	0.53	1.46	1.23
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†	†	†
2-year	2.11	1.95	0.78	†	†	0.18
4-year	0.61	0.60	0.12	†	0.15	0.19
More than one institution	0.68	0.68	0.13	0.13	0.43	0.61
Attendance status						
Full-time/full-year	0.48	0.48	0.09	0.13	0.43	0.42
Full-time/part-year	0.70	0.70	0.12	0.13	0.37	0.60
Part-time/full-year	0.70	0.69	0.08	0.03	0.17	0.67
Part-time/part-year	0.63	0.63	0.08	†	0.15	0.58
Housing						
On campus	0.78	0.78	0.14	0.36	0.86	0.70
Off campus	0.47	0.47	0.08	0.05	0.21	0.40
Living with parents	0.63	0.63	0.07	0.07	0.30	0.60
Price of attendance						
Less than \$7,000	0.82	0.81	†	†	0.10	0.77
\$7,000–12,999	0.63	0.63	0.12	0.03	0.18	0.57
\$13,000–21,999	0.48	0.47	0.06	0.04	0.32	0.45
\$22,000 or more	0.69	0.69	0.16	0.25	0.66	0.59
Sex						
Male	0.48	0.48	0.08	0.07	0.29	0.43
Female	0.44	0.44	0.07	0.07	0.22	0.42
Race/ethnicity						
White	0.44	0.44	0.07	0.08	0.27	0.37
Black	0.64	0.63	0.12	0.07	0.30	0.60
Hispanic	0.93	0.93	0.10	0.11	0.53	0.92
Asian	1.18	1.14	0.17	0.32	0.71	1.06
American Indian	2.57	2.58	†	†	0.96	2.37
Pacific Islander	2.51	2.51	†	†	1.54	2.13
Two or more races	1.47	1.43	0.20	0.29	0.73	1.38

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.4-A.

Standard errors for table 3.4-A: INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid	Type of institution aid				Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study			
Age as of 12/31/11							
18 years or younger	0.71	0.71	0.07	0.14		0.59	0.61
19–23 years	0.46	0.45	0.08	0.10		0.32	0.43
24–29 years	0.61	0.61	0.08	0.05		0.19	0.59
30–39 years	0.59	0.57	0.09	0.04		0.20	0.53
40 years or older	0.70	0.69	0.10	†		0.28	0.54
Dependency status							
Dependent	0.48	0.47	0.07	0.11		0.36	0.42
Independent	0.47	0.47	0.08	0.03		0.15	0.44
Unmarried, no dependents	0.63	0.62	0.08	0.08		0.18	0.62
Married, no dependents	0.79	0.79	0.09	†		0.36	0.60
Unmarried with dependents	0.58	0.58	0.08	0.05		0.17	0.55
Married with dependents	0.62	0.60	†	†		0.24	0.53
Dependency status and income level in 2010							
Dependent							
Less than \$20,000	0.92	0.93	0.08	0.14		0.52	0.94
\$20,000–39,999	0.90	0.91	0.12	0.30		0.54	0.84
\$40,000–59,999	0.96	0.96	0.15	0.20		0.66	0.96
\$60,000–79,999	0.92	0.91	0.18	0.14		0.66	0.82
\$80,000–99,999	0.97	0.96	0.15	0.16		0.78	0.77
\$100,000 or more	0.66	0.64	0.13	0.20		0.62	0.44
Independent							
Less than \$10,000	0.75	0.75	0.10	0.05		0.26	0.72
\$10,000–19,999	0.61	0.60	0.08	0.13		0.29	0.56
\$20,000–29,999	0.79	0.78	0.13	0.07		0.26	0.74
\$30,000–49,999	0.74	0.74	0.10	†		0.26	0.69
\$50,000 or more	0.63	0.62	†	†		0.26	0.42
Income group							
Lowest 25 percent	0.69	0.69	0.08	0.09		0.26	0.69
Middle 50 percent	0.47	0.46	0.07	0.08		0.23	0.44
Highest 25 percent	0.46	0.46	0.09	0.11		0.36	0.34
Worked while enrolled							
Did not work	0.58	0.58	0.08	0.10		0.33	0.56
Worked part time	0.43	0.42	0.08	0.09		0.29	0.39
Worked full time	0.48	0.47	0.08	0.03		0.15	0.42
Military status							
Veterans	1.01	0.99	†	†		0.40	0.74
Military service members							
Active duty	1.54	1.50	†	†		†	1.01
Reserves	2.95	2.95	†	†		†	1.07
Nonmilitary students	0.42	0.41	0.06	0.06		0.21	0.40
Highest education attained by either parent							
High school diploma or less	0.52	0.52	0.07	0.07		0.21	0.48
Some postsecondary education	0.61	0.60	0.08	0.08		0.29	0.54
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.45	0.45	0.09	0.10		0.38	0.34

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.4-A.

Standard errors for table 3.4-A: INSTITUTIONAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	0.58	0.58	0.09	0.08	0.29	0.56
Grant status						
No grant	0.08	†	0.06	0.04	†	†
Received grant	0.66	0.66	0.08	0.09	0.33	0.64
Loan status						
No loan	0.57	0.57	†	0.07	0.22	0.54
Received loan	0.41	0.38	0.15	0.09	0.31	0.37

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.4-B.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID:** Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,500</b>	<b>\$6,400</b>	<b>\$4,100</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$4,600</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
2-year	1,000	1,000	‡	‡	2,500	800
4-year	4,100	4,100	2,300 !	2,500	4,300	3,100
Non-doctorate-granting	2,600	2,600	‡	‡	3,000	1,900
Doctorate-granting	4,500	4,500	2,500 !	2,700	4,600	3,400
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	4,400 !	4,400 !	‡	‡	5,000	3,700
4-year	13,300	13,200	6,500 !	2,500	9,700	9,800
Non-doctorate-granting	12,200	12,000	4,900	2,600	9,100	8,500
Doctorate-granting	14,300	14,100	‡	2,300	10,300	11,100
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	‡	‡	700 !	‡	‡	‡
2-year	2,900 !	2,100 !	5,100	‡	‡	1,400
4-year	2,700	2,600	1,800	‡	2,900	1,900
More than one institution	5,300	5,300	3,000	2,500	6,300	3,800
Attendance status <sup>2</sup>						
Full-time/full-year	8,600	8,600	5,100	2,500	7,800	6,500
Full-time/part-year	4,200	4,200	3,100	2,200	5,100	2,400
Part-time/full-year	2,300	2,300	2,600 !	‡	4,300	1,500
Part-time/part-year	1,500	1,500	2,100 !	‡	4,000	1,100
Housing <sup>3</sup>						
On campus	11,500	11,400	4,500	2,700	8,700	9,100
Off campus	4,000	4,000	2,700	2,200	5,700	2,600
Living with parents	4,100	4,000	6,100 !	1,800	5,800	2,500
Price of attendance <sup>3,4</sup>						
Less than \$7,000	700	700	‡	‡	1,400 !	600
\$7,000–12,999	1,200	1,200	1,500 !	‡	2,100	1,000
\$13,000–21,999	2,800	2,700	3,300	2,400	3,300	2,000
\$22,000 or more	11,500	11,400	5,300	2,500	9,000	8,600
Sex						
Male	6,600	6,600	3,300	2,700	7,400	4,700
Female	6,400	6,300	4,700 !	2,300	7,000	4,400
Race/ethnicity <sup>5</sup>						
White	7,100	7,100	4,000	2,400	7,200	4,900
Black	6,300	6,300	2,100	2,300	7,900	4,300
Hispanic	4,300	4,300	3,800	2,700	6,300	3,300
Asian	7,400	7,300	‡	2,400	7,000	6,100
American Indian	4,000	4,000	‡	‡	5,700	3,300
Pacific Islander	6,300	6,200	‡	‡	‡	3,900 !
Two or more races	6,900	6,900	‡	‡	6,900	5,600

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-B.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID:** Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	\$7,900	\$7,900	\$3,900	\$2,100	\$7,500	\$5,600
19–23 years	7,700	7,600	4,700	2,500	7,600	5,500
24–29 years	2,700	2,600	3,300 !	‡	4,000	2,100
30–39 years	2,400	2,300	2,600 !	‡	3,200	1,700
40 years or older	1,900	1,800	3,300	‡	3,000	1,300
Dependency status <sup>6</sup>						
Dependent	8,100	8,100	5,000	2,500	7,700	5,800
Independent <sup>7</sup>	2,700	2,600	2,800	2,200	4,100	2,000
Unmarried, no dependents	3,100	3,100	3,900	2,000	4,400	2,400
Married, no dependents	3,400	3,400	‡	‡	4,400	2,300
Unmarried with dependents	2,100	2,000	1,900	‡	4,100	1,500
Married with dependents	2,100	2,000	1,800 !	‡	3,000	1,600
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>8</sup>						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	6,300	6,200	2,600	2,200	8,000	4,200
\$20,000–39,999	7,400	7,300	3,000	2,000	7,000	5,500
\$40,000–59,999	7,800	7,700	2,800	3,200	7,500	5,500
\$60,000–79,999	8,300	8,200	3,600 !	2,600	7,300	6,200
\$80,000–99,999	8,700	8,600	5,000	2,100	7,100	6,500
\$100,000 or more	9,600	9,500	8,400 !	2,600	8,200	7,600
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	3,100	3,100	2,400 !	‡	4,700	2,300
\$10,000–19,999	2,500	2,400	3,300 !	‡	3,700	1,900
\$20,000–29,999	2,200	2,100	2,200 !	‡	3,200	1,700
\$30,000–49,999	2,200	2,200	2,500	‡	3,800	1,600
\$50,000 or more	2,500	2,400	‡	‡	3,300	1,700
Income group <sup>9</sup>						
Lowest 25 percent	5,300	5,300	2,700	2,300	6,800	3,900
Middle 50 percent	6,500	6,500	3,800	2,400	6,800	4,700
Highest 25 percent	7,900	7,800	6,200 !	2,700	7,900	5,700
Worked while enrolled <sup>10</sup>						
Did not work	7,700	7,700	4,900	2,500	8,000	5,500
Worked part time	6,100	6,100	3,900	2,500	6,500	4,200
Worked full time	3,100	3,100	3,000	2,100	4,900	2,100
Military status <sup>11</sup>						
Veterans	2,500	2,400	‡	‡	3,800	2,200
Military service members						
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	6,600	6,500	4,200	2,500	7,200	4,600
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>12</sup>						
High school diploma or less	4,600	4,600	2,700	2,000	6,400	3,100
Some postsecondary education	5,600	5,600	3,500	2,400	6,500	3,900
Bachelor's degree or higher	8,400	8,300	5,200 !	2,600	7,700	6,400

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.4-B.**

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid <sup>1</sup>	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	6,500	6,400	4,100	2,500	7,100	4,600
Grant status						
No grant	6,900 !	†	9,400 !	3,500	†	†
Received grant	6,500	6,400	2,700	2,300	7,100	4,600
Loan status <sup>13</sup>						
No loan	4,700	4,700	†	2,500	7,300	3,000
Received loan	8,100	8,000	4,100	2,400	7,100	6,000

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Institutional aid includes all institution need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, tuition waivers, loans, and work-study assistance funded by the institution attended.

<sup>2</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>4</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>5</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>6</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>7</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>8</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>10</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>11</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>13</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. For students attending more than one institution, includes only institutional aid awarded by the institution in the NPSAS sample. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.4-B.

Standard errors for table 3.4-B: AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$950</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$150</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	†	†	†	†	†	†
2-year	50	50	†	†	260	40
4-year	100	100	750	220	170	100
Non-doctorate-granting	170	170	†	†	250	160
Doctorate-granting	110	120	820	240	190	110
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	1,960	1,990	†	†	1,430	1,820
4-year	250	240	2,230	190	220	320
Non-doctorate-granting	330	320	920	320	250	440
Doctorate-granting	340	330	†	230	350	450
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	†	†	310	†	†	†
2-year	950	840	1,030	†	†	180
4-year	450	450	250	†	330	250
More than one institution	250	250	750	610	290	280
Attendance status						
Full-time/full-year	150	150	1,450	180	170	200
Full-time/part-year	340	330	860	440	450	280
Part-time/full-year	150	150	970	†	400	100
Part-time/part-year	150	150	880	†	650	110
Housing						
On campus	260	260	1,080	210	220	350
Off campus	180	180	630	280	220	170
Living with parents	210	210	2,170	370	340	150
Price of attendance						
Less than \$7,000	50	50	†	†	420	40
\$7,000–12,999	50	50	580	†	250	40
\$13,000–21,999	80	80	900	280	120	70
\$22,000 or more	190	190	1,440	170	190	260
Sex						
Male	180	180	650	210	240	210
Female	170	170	1,470	180	170	170
Race/ethnicity						
White	160	160	800	220	150	190
Black	370	380	360	340	550	380
Hispanic	260	260	640	420	640	250
Asian	440	420	†	210	480	430
American Indian	830	850	†	†	1,410	960
Pacific Islander	1,340	1,360	†	†	†	1,450
Two or more races	530	530	†	†	580	600

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.4-B.

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Institution and student characteristics	Any institutional aid	Type of institution aid				
		Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	\$180	\$190	\$760	\$180	\$200	\$180
19–23 years	160	150	1,430	180	180	200
24–29 years	160	170	1,060	†	420	140
30–39 years	270	270	720	†	390	240
40 years or older	230	220	1,750	†	630	240
Dependency status						
Dependent	140	140	1,400	170	160	190
Independent	150	150	670	300	310	140
Unmarried, no dependents	190	190	1,070	380	350	190
Married, no dependents	460	460	†	†	740	430
Unmarried with dependents	200	200	500	†	440	190
Married with dependents	210	220	760	†	510	230
Dependency status and income level in 2010						
Dependent						
Less than \$20,000	310	310	520	250	480	280
\$20,000–39,999	350	340	580	430	370	360
\$40,000–59,999	330	330	470	590	320	300
\$60,000–79,999	300	310	1,320	330	280	370
\$80,000–99,999	340	330	1,170	260	340	430
\$100,000 or more	250	230	4,120	230	210	430
Independent						
Less than \$10,000	210	210	780	†	420	180
\$10,000–19,999	210	210	1,040	†	480	190
\$20,000–29,999	260	270	890	†	580	260
\$30,000–49,999	290	300	710	†	670	310
\$50,000 or more	290	280	†	†	560	320
Income group						
Lowest 25 percent	200	200	500	250	330	190
Middle 50 percent	170	170	700	220	190	180
Highest 25 percent	250	250	2,490	260	220	410
Worked while enrolled						
Did not work	210	210	1,450	170	210	250
Worked part time	160	150	960	260	180	160
Worked full time	210	220	610	440	410	190
Military status						
Veterans	330	320	†	†	560	390
Military service members						
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	140	140	980	150	160	160
Highest education attained by either parent						
High school diploma or less	180	180	610	250	330	170
Some postsecondary education	200	200	600	370	200	220
Bachelor's degree or higher	190	190	1,760	160	190	270

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.4-B.

Standard errors for table 3.4-B: AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of institutional aid, by type of aid and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Type of institution aid					
	Any institutional aid	Any institution grants	Institution loans	Institution work-study	Institution merit-only grants	Institution need-based grants
Total aid status						
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	140	140	950	140	160	150
Grant status						
No grant	2,370	†	4,070	540	†	†
Received grant	140	140	320	130	160	150
Loan status						
No loan	200	200	†	280	260	180
Received loan	170	170	950	180	160	210

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.4-C.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.8 !</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>20.1 !</b>	<b>58.2</b>	<b>58.6</b>	<b>‡</b>	<b>6.5 !</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>20.5</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	‡	19.1	23.5	33.7	35.2 !	74.8	74.6	‡	8.0 !	4.6	33.9
Full-time/part-year	‡	10.1	10.7	14.3	‡	43.9	42.0	‡	6.6 !	2.2	12.2
Part-time/full-year	12.7	15.7	7.3	17.8	‡	28.7	25.9	‡	5.2 !	3.8	15.3
Part-time/part-year	‡	10.0	3.9	8.4	#	19.2	18.5	‡	2.5 !	3.6 !	9.4
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	25.3	29.4	35.0	74.2	80.9	73.2	‡	‡	6.9	52.0
Off campus	‡	11.8	10.4	20.9	21.9 !	34.3	44.4	‡	4.8	3.2	14.1
Living with parents	‡	15.0	11.2	24.7	‡	44.1	51.1	‡	7.8 !	3.7	17.3
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	10.7	3.1 !	4.1 !	‡	‡	‡	#	#	‡	9.4
\$7,000–12,999	6.9 !	14.6	7.8	9.4	‡	13.1	15.6	‡	‡	1.9 !	11.7
\$13,000–21,999	‡	17.6	19.7	26.5	‡	32.2	26.8	‡	6.6	2.8	19.5
\$22,000 or more	‡	12.9	25.5	35.2	37.8 !	74.8	71.7	‡	7.8 !	4.8	40.7
Sex											
Male	‡	12.4	12.1	25.5	21.9 !	59.9	60.6	‡	6.7 !	4.3	20.6
Female	2.9 !	14.1	14.3	26.2	19.1 !	56.9	57.0	‡	6.3 !	2.9	20.4
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	3.8 !	9.4	14.3	25.1	25.9 !	60.5	60.8	‡	5.2	3.6	20.2
Black	‡	9.1	8.5	23.6	‡	47.8	47.6	‡	2.7	2.9	14.3
Hispanic	‡	26.1	12.4	32.0	‡	50.0	61.0	‡	‡	3.7	24.8
Asian	‡	19.6	13.5	24.6	‡	65.3	59.3	#	‡	‡	26.0
American Indian	‡	16.3 !	14.7	24.9	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	18.0
Pacific Islander	‡	24.8	‡	12.7 !	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	20.7
Two or more races	‡	18.3	19.2	28.7	‡	71.6	50.9	‡	‡	4.6 !	25.2

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-C.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	19.2	21.4	38.9	54.3	83.5	73.7	‡	8.7 !	7.7	35.2
19–23 years	‡	14.4	15.8	27.4	23.7 !	71.2	71.0	‡	5.3 !	5.6	26.1
24–29 years	#	13.1	10.8	18.7	18.5 !	31.4	30.3	‡	4.5 !	2.6	13.2
30–39 years	‡	10.5	5.0	12.5	‡	22.4	19.6	‡	6.9 !	2.4	9.6
40 years or older	‡	10.5	7.1	12.9	12.3 !	15.7	23.0	‡	12.2 !	‡	10.4
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	‡	14.8	17.4	29.5	38.5 !	74.7	72.4	‡	6.1	7.5	29.2
Independent <sup>6</sup>	3.5 !	12.4	8.7	17.3	12.9 !	26.7	28.1	‡	6.6 !	2.8	12.1
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	13.9	11.2	19.5	‡	34.8	40.3	‡	7.5 !	3.0	15.2
Married, no dependents	‡	9.3	6.3	18.5	‡	25.3	31.4	‡	8.9 !	‡	11.1
Unmarried with dependents	#	13.3	7.5	16.4	‡	26.7	25.6	‡	4.7 !	2.4	10.9
Married with dependents	5.2	10.3	7.2	12.2	‡	17.2	12.0 !	‡	8.8 !	2.9 !	9.5
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	21.7	16.8	38.1	35.7 !	68.4	73.2	‡	7.3 !	7.0	29.1
\$20,000–39,999	‡	18.4	18.2	36.7	42.5 !	77.2	79.1	‡	6.4 !	5.8	30.4
\$40,000–59,999	‡	18.6	21.7	37.9	29.3 !	82.8	78.6	‡	5.6 !	7.0	33.0
\$60,000–79,999	‡	12.5	19.2	28.5	41.0 !	76.5	75.2	‡	7.1 !	4.2 !	29.1
\$80,000–99,999	‡	9.3	19.2	24.8	‡	75.6	69.4	‡	5.2 !	14.2 !	26.8
\$100,000 or more	‡	6.6	13.3	22.9	‡	72.4	67.8	‡	‡	10.3	28.0
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	‡	18.2	12.0	22.7	17.6 !	44.6	45.0	‡	6.4 !	2.6	16.7
\$10,000–19,999	‡	12.8	10.0	20.4	‡	24.7	37.6	‡	‡	2.5	12.5
\$20,000–29,999	#	10.4	8.6	12.3	‡	24.1	31.5 !	‡	6.0 !	2.8	10.7
\$30,000–49,999	#	10.7	8.6	15.3	‡	18.4	24.6	‡	6.4 !	1.6 !	10.3
\$50,000 or more	9.4 !	6.6	3.4 !	9.2	‡	16.6	9.5 !	‡	9.3 !	‡	7.2

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-C.

**INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	‡	19.5	15.7	32.3	24.0 !	62.4	63.8	‡	6.7 !	3.5	23.1
Middle 50 percent	‡	12.8	14.5	26.6	17.5 !	59.2	64.2	‡	6.3 !	2.9	20.5
Highest 25 percent	5.2 !	7.4	8.7	19.8	‡	53.9	48.4	‡	6.5 !	4.6 !	17.7
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	‡	17.1	16.2	28.6	26.1 !	68.0	63.9	‡	6.5 !	2.9	25.6
Worked part time	‡	13.5	15.1	26.8	17.0 !	60.8	64.4	‡	4.7	4.8	22.2
Worked full time	‡	9.4	6.8	15.2	‡	28.5	27.3	‡	8.9 !	3.2	10.5
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	11.0	5.8 !	18.5	‡	18.8 !	‡	‡	‡	3.0 !	10.8
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	6.2 !	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	5.7
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7.3 !
Nonmilitary students	2.9 !	13.5	13.7	26.1	20.5 !	60.1	59.9	‡	6.7 !	3.5	21.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	2.5 !	13.9	12.7	27.6	12.8 !	44.8	55.4	‡	6.7 !	3.3	17.2
Some postsecondary education	‡	14.0	14.2	26.0	23.3 !	57.7	56.9	‡	5.7	3.2	19.7
Bachelor's degree or higher	‡	10.6	13.2	25.1	29.2 !	65.7	60.7	‡	7.5 !	3.9	24.0
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	4.0 !	23.5	19.5	33.6	25.0 !	66.6	69.1	‡	7.9 !	3.8	28.9
Grant status											
No grant	#	‡	‡	0.6 !	‡	‡	2.3 !	‡	‡	0.1 !	0.4
Received grant	4.4 !	26.4	23.9	42.7	28.0 !	74.3	77.7	‡	9.0 !	4.8	34.4
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	‡	14.2	9.7	21.5	19.3 !	43.3	44.5	0.4 !	‡	‡	16.7
Received loan	‡	9.5	18.9	29.3	20.8 !	66.6	67.8	‡	7.0	3.4	25.7

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-C.

## INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Institutional aid includes all institution need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, tuition waivers, loans, and work-study assistance funded by the institution attended. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.4-C.

Standard errors for table 3.4-C: INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.21</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>0.83</b>	<b>8.43</b>	<b>1.73</b>	<b>1.34</b>	<b>†</b>	<b>2.11</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>0.41</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	†	1.12	1.40	0.95	11.83	1.41	1.32	†	2.97	0.58	0.48
Full-time/part-year	†	1.56	1.54	1.37	†	4.88	4.72	†	2.29	0.41	0.70
Part-time/full-year	3.80	1.10	0.91	1.32	†	3.94	3.91	†	1.81	1.02	0.70
Part-time/part-year	†	0.95	0.98	1.30	†	4.20	4.94	†	0.87	1.73	0.63
Housing											
On campus	†	3.96	2.96	1.12	1.86	1.66	1.98	†	†	1.73	0.78
Off campus	†	0.76	0.71	1.12	9.03	3.05	2.70	†	1.20	0.74	0.47
Living with parents	†	1.12	1.01	1.10	†	3.05	2.75	†	3.32	0.72	0.63
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	0.99	1.05	1.41	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.82
\$7,000–12,999	3.43	1.01	1.04	1.13	†	3.40	4.13	†	†	0.65	0.63
\$13,000–21,999	†	1.18	1.44	0.80	†	3.51	3.25	†	1.89	0.68	0.48
\$22,000 or more	†	2.50	2.15	1.36	14.17	1.52	1.39	†	2.53	0.40	0.69
Sex											
Male	†	0.84	1.11	0.97	9.39	2.27	2.26	†	2.22	1.14	0.48
Female	1.11	0.95	0.86	0.91	8.69	1.95	1.78	†	2.26	0.39	0.44
Race/ethnicity											
White	1.65	0.70	0.94	0.97	11.76	2.02	1.71	†	1.14	1.01	0.44
Black	†	1.23	1.48	1.50	†	4.17	3.93	†	0.71	0.41	0.64
Hispanic	†	1.68	1.29	1.84	†	6.30	4.15	†	†	0.65	0.93
Asian	†	2.06	1.77	1.58	†	5.69	3.87	†	†	†	1.18
American Indian	†	6.18	3.13	6.12	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.57
Pacific Islander	†	5.05	†	4.75	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.51
Two or more races	†	2.58	3.26	3.00	†	6.17	7.45	†	†	1.93	1.47

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.4-C.

Standard errors for table 3.4-C: INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	1.15	1.85	1.49	16.12	1.69	2.35	†	2.78	1.11	0.71
19–23 years	†	0.92	1.01	0.89	11.01	1.85	1.90	†	1.68	0.67	0.46
24–29 years	†	1.16	1.41	1.34	8.45	4.53	4.05	†	1.48	0.45	0.61
30–39 years	†	1.12	0.94	1.39	†	3.99	4.01	†	2.73	0.47	0.59
40 years or older	†	0.98	1.62	2.00	5.89	3.23	5.47	†	5.93	†	0.70
Dependency status											
Dependent	†	0.97	1.13	0.91	13.75	1.76	1.71	†	1.82	0.89	0.48
Independent	1.18	0.89	0.86	0.96	6.19	2.79	2.48	†	2.47	0.66	0.47
Unmarried, no dependents	†	1.11	1.32	1.36	†	3.96	4.28	†	2.77	0.56	0.63
Married, no dependents	†	1.21	1.67	2.37	†	6.39	6.45	†	4.04	†	0.79
Unmarried with dependents	†	1.20	1.36	1.74	†	4.53	6.64	†	1.67	0.40	0.58
Married with dependents	1.44	1.09	1.95	1.51	†	3.53	4.32	†	4.31	1.26	0.62
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	1.84	2.34	1.82	15.22	4.74	4.94	†	2.44	1.22	0.92
\$20,000–39,999	†	1.46	1.91	1.82	18.86	3.08	3.72	†	2.40	1.22	0.90
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.84	2.74	1.63	12.74	2.95	4.95	†	2.44	1.73	0.96
\$60,000–79,999	†	1.31	2.04	1.61	16.40	4.11	4.72	†	3.14	1.33	0.92
\$80,000–99,999	†	1.37	2.54	1.79	†	4.07	4.45	†	2.22	7.05	0.97
\$100,000 or more	†	0.88	1.21	1.10	†	2.44	1.99	†	†	3.06	0.66
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	†	1.44	1.64	1.47	8.47	4.37	5.53	†	2.63	0.65	0.75
\$10,000–19,999	†	1.16	1.57	2.03	†	6.04	7.27	†	†	0.72	0.61
\$20,000–29,999	†	1.31	2.36	1.85	†	5.72	9.46	†	2.40	0.71	0.79
\$30,000–49,999	†	1.36	1.84	1.75	†	3.73	6.74	†	3.00	0.50	0.74
\$50,000 or more	3.07	0.83	1.04	1.43	†	3.89	3.51	†	4.00	†	0.63

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.4-C.

Standard errors for table 3.4-C: INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Percentage of undergraduates receiving institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	†	1.36	1.52	1.26	9.56	3.29	3.46	†	2.21	0.52	0.69
Middle 50 percent	†	0.88	1.05	0.99	7.79	1.85	2.16	†	2.38	0.36	0.47
Highest 25 percent	1.78	0.66	0.90	1.01	†	2.87	2.08	†	2.29	2.17	0.46
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	†	1.26	1.23	1.14	10.46	1.99	1.95	†	2.56	0.54	0.58
Worked part time	†	0.75	1.08	0.85	7.81	2.34	2.66	†	1.23	0.78	0.43
Worked full time	†	0.86	0.80	1.17	†	2.87	3.42	†	2.75	0.91	0.48
Military status											
Veterans	†	1.93	2.52	2.45	†	9.18	†	†	†	0.98	1.01
Military service members											
Active duty	†	2.05	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1.54
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2.95
Nonmilitary students	1.23	0.86	0.81	0.84	8.52	1.65	1.36	†	2.23	0.62	0.42
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	0.74	0.91	1.09	1.23	6.08	3.17	3.61	†	2.06	0.61	0.52
Some postsecondary education	†	1.09	1.16	1.28	10.19	2.33	3.40	†	1.63	0.82	0.61
Bachelor's degree or higher	†	0.70	1.00	0.88	13.19	2.22	1.87	†	3.01	0.85	0.45
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	1.85	1.49	1.14	0.97	9.82	1.72	1.38	†	2.46	0.68	0.58
Grant status											
No grant	†	†	†	0.19	†	†	1.06	†	†	0.04	0.08
Received grant	1.97	1.61	1.37	1.13	10.50	1.65	1.32	†	2.98	0.91	0.66
Loan status											
No loan	†	0.95	0.71	0.95	8.94	2.91	2.22	0.19	†	†	0.57
Received loan	†	0.79	1.40	0.90	9.82	1.72	1.64	†	1.72	0.33	0.41

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table 3.4-D.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	\$	\$1,000	\$2,600	\$4,500	\$4,400 !	\$12,200	\$14,300	\$	\$2,900 !	\$2,700	\$6,500
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	\$	1,400	3,000	4,800	5,200 !	13,600	15,700	\$	2,200 !	3,600	8,600
Full-time/part-year	\$	1,100	1,600	3,500	\$	7,000	9,500	1,100 !	3,300 !	2,200	4,200
Part-time/full-year	\$	900	1,900	3,500	\$	8,300	7,500	\$	4,500 !	3,400	2,300
Part-time/part-year	\$	700	1,000	2,500	\$	5,700	4,100	\$	\$	\$	1,500
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	\$	2,900	3,300	5,400	4,900	14,000	16,600	\$	\$	8,500	11,500
Off campus	\$	1,000	2,300	3,900	\$	8,500	11,200	\$	2,700 !	2,500	4,000
Living with parents	\$	1,000	2,200	4,200	\$	9,500	11,800	\$	\$	2,700	4,100
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	\$	600	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	700
\$7,000–12,999	\$	1,000	1,100	1,600	\$	4,000	2,900	\$	\$	1,200	1,200
\$13,000–21,999	\$	1,500	2,300	3,200	\$	4,300	4,400	\$	3,900 !	2,000	2,800
\$22,000 or more	\$	2,800 !	4,500	6,000	6,000 !	13,400	15,500	\$	2,900 !	3,800	11,500
Sex											
Male	\$	1,000	2,900	4,500	4,200 !	12,000	14,400	\$	2,700 !	2,300	6,600
Female	\$	1,000	2,400	4,500	4,600 !	12,500	14,100	\$	3,000 !	3,100	6,400
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	\$	1,100	2,500	4,400	4,800 !	11,700	14,000	\$	4,400	2,300	7,100
Black	\$	1,200	3,100	6,000	5,000 !	10,700	13,200	\$	1,800	2,600	6,300
Hispanic	\$	900	2,500	4,100	\$	15,400	15,500	\$	\$	3,400	4,300
Asian	\$	800	3,700	4,200	\$	17,800	15,700	\$	\$	\$	7,400
American Indian	\$	900	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	4,000
Pacific Islander	\$	900	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	6,300
Two or more races	\$	1,000	2,300	4,600	\$	13,700	14,800	\$	\$	7,000 !	6,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-D.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	\$1,200	\$3,100	\$4,900	\$5,000 !	\$13,600	\$15,500	‡	\$4,000 !	\$4,800	\$7,900
19–23 years	‡	1,100	2,800	4,800	4,400 !	12,800	15,300	‡	2,300 !	2,900	7,700
24–29 years	‡	800	2,100	2,800	‡	8,400	7,500	‡	4,500 !	3,000	2,700
30–39 years	‡	900	1,100 !	2,300	‡	6,400	6,700	‡	2,300 !	3,100	2,400
40 years or older	‡	800	1,200	2,800	‡	4,700	4,100 !	‡	‡	‡	1,900
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	‡	1,100	2,900	4,900	4,587 !	13,100	15,500	‡	2,700 !	3,400	8,100
Independent <sup>6</sup>	‡	900	1,800	3,000	‡	7,700	7,100	‡	3,000 !	2,400	2,700
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	900	2,300	3,200	‡	9,500	7,600	‡	3,200 !	3,500	3,100
Married, no dependents	‡	900	‡	3,300	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,400
Unmarried with dependents	‡	1,000	1,100	2,300	‡	5,700	5,600	‡	2,100	2,200	2,100
Married with dependents	‡	900	1,000	2,400	‡	5,000	7,600	‡	1,700	1,500	2,100
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	1,000	3,100	4,600	4,400 !	13,300	16,700	‡	1,800 !	4,100	6,300
\$20,000–39,999	‡	1,000	3,000	4,700	4,200 !	13,300	17,200	‡	2,100	2,500	7,400
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,000	2,800	5,000	‡	13,900	16,100	‡	‡	4,000	7,800
\$60,000–79,999	‡	1,100	2,500	4,700	‡	13,700	14,700	‡	‡	4,100	8,300
\$80,000–99,999	‡	1,400	3,000	5,000	‡	12,000	15,300	‡	‡	‡	8,700
\$100,000 or more	‡	1,800	3,000	5,200	4,200 !	12,700	14,600	‡	‡	4,000	9,600
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	‡	900	2,100	3,100	‡	10,200	9,000	500	1,900 !	2,200	3,100
\$10,000–19,999	‡	900	2,000	3,200	‡	6,700	7,300	‡	‡	2,400	2,500
\$20,000–29,999	‡	900	‡	2,700	‡	7,100	‡	‡	1,600	3,600	2,200
\$30,000–49,999	‡	900	1,700 !	2,500	‡	5,000 !	‡	‡	‡	4,200	2,200
\$50,000 or more	‡	1,100	‡	2,600	‡	4,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,500

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-D.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	‡	\$1,000	\$2,600	\$4,300	\$5,600 !	\$12,400	\$15,300	‡	\$2,000 !	\$2,800	\$5,300
Middle 50 percent	‡	1,000	2,600	4,400	3,800 !	12,400	14,300	‡	2,400 !	2,900	6,500
Highest 25 percent	‡	1,300	2,400	5,000	3,700 !	11,800	13,600	‡	7,200	‡	7,900
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	‡	1,000	2,800	5,100	5,200 !	13,700	15,100	‡	‡	2,800	7,700
Worked part time	‡	1,000	2,600	4,200	3,600 !	11,200	14,100	‡	1,900	2,800	6,100
Worked full time	‡	1,000	1,600	3,100	‡	7,100	8,900	‡	4,500	2,600 !	3,100
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	800	‡	2,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,100 !	2,500
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	‡	1,000	2,600	4,500	4,400 !	12,300	14,400	‡	2,900 !	2,800	6,600
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	‡	1,000	2,400	3,800	‡	10,400	13,200	‡	3,200 !	2,300	4,600
Some postsecondary education	‡	1,100	2,800	4,300	4,000 !	11,600	13,100	‡	2,500 !	3,300	5,600
Bachelor's degree or higher	‡	1,000	2,500	4,900	4,100 !	13,100	15,200	‡	3,100 !	3,000	8,400
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	‡	1,000	2,600	4,500	4,400 !	12,200	14,300	‡	2,900 !	2,700	6,500
Grant status											
No grant	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,900 !
Received grant	‡	1,000	2,600	4,500	4,400 !	12,300	14,300	‡	2,200 !	2,700	6,500
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	‡	1,000	2,800	5,600	‡	13,300	14,100	‡	‡	‡	4,700
Received loan	‡	1,200	2,400	3,900	4,800 !	11,800	14,400	700 !	3,000	3,200	8,100

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.4-D.

**AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Institutional aid includes all institution need- and merit-based grants, scholarships, tuition waivers, loans, and work-study assistance funded by the institution attended. Average aid amounts are calculated only for students receiving institutional aid. Those not receiving institutional aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in the average. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.4-D.

Standard errors for table 3.4-D: AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	†	\$50	\$170	\$110	\$1,960	\$330	\$340	†	\$950	\$450	\$140
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	†	90	190	130	2,020	350	370	†	960	410	150
Full-time/part-year	†	280	280	280	†	890	1,230	350	1,210	350	340
Part-time/full-year	†	50	310	340	†	1,110	1,170	†	2,160	860	150
Part-time/part-year	†	60	290	360	†	970	980	†	†	†	150
Housing											
On campus	†	450	380	180	140	440	460	†	†	1,730	260
Off campus	†	60	210	180	†	570	730	†	820	560	180
Living with parents	†	50	210	190	†	660	780	†	†	330	210
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	50	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	50
\$7,000–12,999	†	50	130	170	†	880	550	†	†	250	50
\$13,000–21,999	†	120	150	90	†	440	480	†	1,190	350	80
\$22,000 or more	†	900	340	190	2,050	330	350	†	930	310	190
Sex											
Male	†	50	260	140	1,830	430	570	†	940	680	180
Female	†	70	180	150	2,170	380	430	†	1,110	340	170
Race/ethnicity											
White	†	60	200	130	2,370	370	460	†	840	600	160
Black	†	200	610	410	1,520	820	1,190	†	390	310	370
Hispanic	†	70	400	280	†	820	1,000	†	†	390	260
Asian	†	70	470	250	†	1,530	1,220	†	†	†	440
American Indian	†	160	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	830
Pacific Islander	†	120	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,340
Two or more races	†	170	390	550	†	1,350	1,660	†	†	2,620	530

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Table S3.4-D.

Standard errors for table 3.4-D: AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	\$90	\$250	\$170	\$1,900	\$540	\$370	†	\$1,740	\$480	\$180
19–23 years	†	70	220	140	1,470	370	440	†	710	340	160
24–29 years	†	90	280	200	†	1,110	880	†	1,910	410	160
30–39 years	†	100	360	210	†	1,660	1,360	†	900	700	270
40 years or older	†	70	200	490	†	1,180	1,280	†	†	†	230
Dependency status											
Dependent	†	60	200	130	1,810	350	390	†	910	420	140
Independent	†	80	190	150	†	800	720	†	1,180	520	150
Unmarried, no dependents	†	90	310	220	†	1,180	950	†	1,620	680	190
Married, no dependents	†	130	†	410	†	†	†	†	†	†	460
Unmarried with dependents	†	140	180	250	†	1,190	1,560	†	970	270	200
Married with dependents	†	80	210	260	†	1,200	1,540	†	930	650	210
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	90	380	290	1,320	810	1,240	†	670	810	310
\$20,000–39,999	†	110	380	270	1,530	730	1,320	†	300	390	350
\$40,000–59,999	†	80	420	280	†	730	810	†	†	820	330
\$60,000–79,999	†	90	400	260	†	710	900	†	†	930	300
\$80,000–99,999	†	250	440	290	†	640	800	†	†	†	340
\$100,000 or more	†	270	340	260	1,750	420	620	†	†	740	250
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	†	90	280	260	†	1,310	1,280	40	950	460	210
\$10,000–19,999	†	120	410	270	†	1,230	1,060	†	†	300	210
\$20,000–29,999	†	120	†	330	†	1,700	†	†	480	630	260
\$30,000–49,999	†	130	590	300	†	1,500	†	†	†	1,100	290
\$50,000 or more	†	190	†	370	†	1,230	†	†	†	†	290

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Table S3.4-D.

Standard errors for table 3.4-D: AMOUNT OF INSTITUTIONAL AID BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Average amount of institutional aid received by undergraduates who received institutional aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	†	\$70	\$250	\$190	\$2,700	\$640	\$880	†	\$710	\$450	\$200
Middle 50 percent	†	50	220	130	1,460	420	460	†	1,000	200	170
Highest 25 percent	†	160	310	260	1,860	440	660	†	1,970	†	250
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	†	50	250	160	2,310	400	480	†	†	530	210
Worked part time	†	50	190	150	1,450	470	540	†	240	270	160
Worked full time	†	170	220	210	†	800	1,150	†	1,200	800	210
Military status											
Veterans	†	80	†	390	†	†	†	†	†	830	330
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	†	50	180	110	2,000	330	350	†	960	450	140
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	†	60	190	170	†	640	900	†	1,090	340	180
Some postsecondary education	†	90	320	210	1,950	530	640	†	740	760	200
Bachelor's degree or higher	†	70	190	140	1,620	400	560	†	1,290	670	190
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	50	170	110	1,960	330	340	†	950	450	140
Grant status											
No grant	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,370
Received grant	†	50	170	110	1,990	330	330	†	650	450	140
Loan status											
No loan	†	50	260	210	†	680	670	†	†	†	200
Received loan	†	120	180	110	2,090	380	440	370	750	290	170

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.5-A.

**COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>34.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>35.5</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>70.7</b>
Institution type								
Public								
Less-than-2-year	57.5	‡	‡	22.3	6.3 !	#	‡	69.9
2-year	61.7	1.8	0.9	21.1	7.7	0.1 !	6.7	57.0
4-year	27.0	1.8	3.9	37.8	14.3	0.6	14.6	73.9
Non-doctorate-granting	35.9	2.0	3.8	32.4	13.2	0.4	12.3	68.5
Doctorate-granting	22.9	1.7	4.0	40.3	14.8	0.7	15.7	76.8
Private nonprofit								
Less-than-4-year	29.7	‡	2.1 !	43.3	6.3 !	‡	16.4	80.2
4-year	19.0	4.6	16.9	32.9	7.3	0.5 !	18.8	86.1
Non-doctorate-granting	17.8	4.6	16.5	35.2	6.7	‡	19.0	87.4
Doctorate-granting	20.2	4.6	17.3	30.7	7.8	0.7 !	18.7	84.9
For-profit								
Less-than-2-year	12.2	#	0.2 !	69.6	9.9	#	8.2	88.5
2-year	14.6	‡	1.6	51.9	12.6	0.5 !	18.6	82.2
4-year	8.8	‡	0.9	59.9	14.6	0.1	15.6	90.4
More than one institution	27.0	1.4	4.2	38.3	13.3	0.4	15.5	73.5
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	26.9	2.7	7.8	37.2	8.8	0.5	16.1	84.4
Full-time/part-year	29.9	1.1	2.2	40.6	13.1	0.3	12.8	73.2
Part-time/full-year	42.9	1.6	1.3	34.2	12.1	0.1	7.8	69.3
Part-time/part-year	48.5	0.6	0.7	26.3	13.6	0.2 !	10.2	47.9
Housing <sup>5</sup>								
On campus	20.1	4.3	15.4	30.5	6.7	0.9	22.2	85.3
Off campus	35.1	1.2	2.1	37.6	11.8	0.3	12.0	68.1
Living with parents	40.7	1.7	2.5	34.2	11.3	0.2	9.5	68.3
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>								
Less than \$7,000	71.1	0.4 !	‡	13.4	7.8	#	7.0	40.1
\$7,000–12,999	46.6	1.7	0.7	30.6	12.5	0.1 !	7.9	69.0
\$13,000–21,999	27.7	1.5	2.9	44.0	12.7	0.4	10.7	82.9
\$22,000 or more	15.7	3.1	10.7	39.8	8.8	0.7	21.2	87.9
Sex								
Male	33.0	2.0	4.3	31.5	11.5	0.4	17.3	68.4
Female	34.7	1.8	4.4	38.3	10.6	0.3	9.9	72.5
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	31.5	1.6	4.7	33.9	13.5	0.4	14.4	68.1
Black	30.0	1.3	3.7	45.7	7.9	0.2	11.2	81.0
Hispanic	44.3	2.3	3.4	31.9	7.6	0.3	10.2	72.3
Asian	43.0	6.0	5.2	26.4	7.3	0.7 !	11.3	60.8
American Indian	36.2	‡	3.3 !	39.6	7.2	‡	12.0	76.3
Pacific Islander	38.6	‡	3.3 !	26.5	13.6	#	16.5	68.3
Two or more races	32.0	1.2	6.3	36.3	9.1	0.3 !	14.7	74.8

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.5-A.

**COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	40.0	2.6	7.3	27.4	6.6	0.4	15.6	77.2
19–23 years	34.6	2.7	6.2	30.6	11.0	0.5	14.2	71.1
24–29 years	32.4	0.8	2.1	42.9	10.9	0.1 !	10.8	70.4
30–39 years	29.5	0.6	1.2	45.0	12.7	0.2 !	10.8	71.7
40 years or older	34.6	0.5	1.1	39.1	13.2	0.1 !	11.3	63.3
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	34.6	2.9	7.0	28.4	11.2	0.6	15.4	71.6
Independent <sup>9</sup>	33.4	0.9	1.8	42.4	10.9	0.1	10.5	69.9
Unmarried, no dependents	31.2	1.1	2.9	40.4	13.9	0.2	10.3	68.3
Married, no dependents	31.4	0.8 !	1.6	26.9	24.2	0.2 !	14.8	56.2
Unmarried with dependents	34.7	0.8	1.4	52.7	4.1	‡	6.3	78.8
Married with dependents	35.6	0.6	0.9	36.2	11.2	‡	15.5	67.3
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	43.9	3.6	7.0	36.3	0.9	‡	8.4	88.3
\$20,000–39,999	42.3	3.7	8.2	33.5	2.1	‡	10.1	81.5
\$40,000–59,999	32.5	1.9	8.4	34.9	6.6	0.2 !	15.4	79.7
\$60,000–79,999	26.1	2.2	8.0	25.6	19.2	0.9	18.0	65.7
\$80,000–99,999	24.3	2.4	6.5	19.8	23.8	1.4	21.8	61.6
\$100,000 or more	30.5	2.8	4.6	18.8	20.5	1.2	21.7	59.5
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	34.9	1.4	3.4	49.3	4.2	0.2 !	6.6	78.6
\$10,000–19,999	32.5	1.0	1.5	52.0	4.6	‡	8.4	77.0
\$20,000–29,999	31.0	0.7	1.3	40.8	13.7	0.2 !	12.3	71.4
\$30,000–49,999	33.1	0.4 !	0.6	34.4	18.1	0.1 !	13.3	65.5
\$50,000 or more	33.8	‡	0.4	21.6	25.5	‡	18.5	51.8
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	39.8	2.6	5.5	41.7	2.6	0.1 !	7.6	82.1
Middle 50 percent	31.3	1.5	4.4	37.4	11.6	0.4	13.4	72.0
Highest 25 percent	32.5	1.5	2.4	21.7	21.7	0.7	19.6	56.6
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	32.1	3.1	6.5	35.2	7.9	0.6	14.7	74.4
Worked part time	34.0	1.5	4.2	35.9	11.8	0.3	12.3	71.3
Worked full time	37.1	0.5	1.1	35.3	14.9	‡	11.1	64.6
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	12.1	‡	0.6 !	12.7	4.6	‡	69.4	85.0
Military service members								
Active duty	29.4	#	#	3.5 !	‡	#	66.1	81.1
Reserves	10.9 !	‡	#	7.9 !	‡	#	78.4	87.1
Nonmilitary students	35.2	1.9	4.6	37.0	11.5	0.4	9.4	70.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	34.9	1.6	3.4	40.4	9.3	0.2	10.3	75.6
Some postsecondary education	32.9	1.6	4.2	36.0	11.3	0.3	13.7	70.5
Bachelor's degree or higher	33.0	2.4	5.6	29.6	13.2	0.6	15.6	65.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.5-A.

**COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
Grant status								
No grant	†	†	†	†	67.1	2.1	30.8	28.4
Received grant	40.7	2.2	5.2	42.5	†	†	9.4	100.0
Loan status <sup>1</sup>								
No loan	83.2	4.5	†	†	†	†	12.3	49.7
Received loan	†	†	7.4	60.0	18.6	0.6	13.4	100.0

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>2</sup> Includes Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

<sup>3</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: For students attending more than one institution, combinations of aid may include only aid awarded at the institution in the NPSAS sample and may not include aid awarded at other institutions. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates. Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.5-A.

Standard errors for table 3.5-A: COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.56</b>
Institution type								
Public								
Less-than-2-year	8.14	†	†	1.80	2.02	†	†	3.03
2-year	0.59	0.20	0.08	0.44	0.36	0.05	0.40	1.05
4-year	0.45	0.12	0.23	0.49	0.39	0.07	0.49	0.56
Non-doctorate-granting	0.80	0.28	0.40	1.01	0.75	0.09	0.94	0.85
Doctorate-granting	0.52	0.14	0.28	0.48	0.48	0.10	0.50	0.56
Private nonprofit								
Less-than-4-year	4.48	†	0.98	3.35	2.16	†	2.44	3.58
4-year	0.79	0.39	0.64	0.83	0.56	0.15	0.77	0.62
Non-doctorate-granting	1.05	0.58	0.83	1.03	0.66	†	1.00	0.99
Doctorate-granting	1.21	0.53	1.07	1.31	0.97	0.26	1.11	0.79
For-profit								
Less-than-2-year	1.13	†	0.10	1.82	0.85	†	0.95	1.10
2-year	1.40	†	0.34	1.82	0.88	0.20	1.69	2.01
4-year	1.11	†	0.15	0.53	0.65	0.03	0.80	0.85
More than one institution	0.71	0.20	0.29	0.88	0.53	0.08	0.56	0.75
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	0.39	0.15	0.23	0.45	0.21	0.06	0.35	0.36
Full-time/part-year	0.85	0.18	0.21	0.81	0.50	0.09	0.61	1.33
Part-time/full-year	0.80	0.18	0.12	0.78	0.39	0.04	0.34	0.75
Part-time/part-year	1.08	0.14	0.14	0.95	0.68	0.08	0.67	1.94
Housing								
On campus	0.59	0.32	0.56	0.65	0.39	0.15	0.64	0.52
Off campus	0.54	0.11	0.13	0.50	0.30	0.05	0.40	0.88
Living with parents	0.69	0.15	0.17	0.69	0.41	0.04	0.37	0.74
Price of attendance								
Less than \$7,000	1.09	0.14	†	0.71	0.69	†	0.62	1.85
\$7,000–12,999	0.71	0.19	0.09	0.65	0.46	0.05	0.47	0.69
\$13,000–21,999	0.53	0.12	0.16	0.62	0.39	0.07	0.37	0.47
\$22,000 or more	0.45	0.21	0.37	0.57	0.28	0.09	0.50	0.35
Sex								
Male	0.46	0.14	0.19	0.50	0.31	0.05	0.39	0.72
Female	0.44	0.11	0.16	0.45	0.24	0.05	0.24	0.53
Race/ethnicity								
White	0.46	0.10	0.17	0.47	0.31	0.05	0.36	0.59
Black	1.01	0.19	0.23	0.97	0.38	0.05	0.55	0.81
Hispanic	1.05	0.23	0.28	0.80	0.41	0.07	0.48	0.85
Asian	1.38	0.64	0.63	1.17	0.62	0.22	0.91	1.64
American Indian	3.89	†	1.10	3.12	1.58	†	2.31	3.13
Pacific Islander	4.00	†	1.31	3.32	2.92	†	2.73	3.58
Two or more races	1.69	0.31	0.70	1.57	1.03	0.14	1.04	1.48

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.5-A.

Standard errors for table 3.5-A: COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	0.74	0.24	0.34	0.61	0.36	0.07	0.53	0.83
19–23 years	0.46	0.16	0.24	0.44	0.26	0.07	0.33	0.50
24–29 years	0.80	0.12	0.17	0.82	0.47	0.04	0.50	1.05
30–39 years	0.81	0.15	0.15	0.88	0.56	0.06	0.55	0.89
40 years or older	1.05	0.14	0.18	0.98	0.66	0.05	0.75	1.26
Dependency status								
Dependent	0.42	0.16	0.23	0.39	0.25	0.07	0.33	0.49
Independent	0.50	0.08	0.10	0.54	0.31	0.03	0.34	0.81
Unmarried, no dependents	0.80	0.15	0.24	0.73	0.58	0.06	0.48	0.92
Married, no dependents	1.62	0.25	0.32	1.38	1.18	0.10	1.30	1.96
Unmarried with dependents	1.03	0.15	0.16	0.87	0.32	†	0.40	0.78
Married with dependents	0.97	0.14	0.15	0.94	0.67	†	0.85	1.07
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	0.89	0.38	0.48	0.85	0.22	†	0.45	0.68
\$20,000–39,999	0.83	0.38	0.55	0.77	0.28	†	0.46	0.88
\$40,000–59,999	1.06	0.26	0.58	0.98	0.50	0.10	0.74	0.89
\$60,000–79,999	1.10	0.35	0.68	0.94	0.92	0.18	0.81	1.06
\$80,000–99,999	1.08	0.45	0.62	1.03	1.09	0.39	0.97	1.29
\$100,000 or more	0.84	0.27	0.31	0.65	0.63	0.17	0.71	0.79
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	0.95	0.17	0.24	0.93	0.30	0.06	0.37	0.72
\$10,000–19,999	0.97	0.18	0.19	1.05	0.51	†	0.51	1.09
\$20,000–29,999	1.10	0.18	0.21	0.98	0.83	0.09	0.84	1.14
\$30,000–49,999	1.24	0.12	0.10	1.20	0.98	0.05	1.01	1.23
\$50,000 or more	1.30	†	0.11	0.97	1.12	†	1.18	1.73
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	0.62	0.20	0.25	0.60	0.20	0.03	0.29	0.60
Middle 50 percent	0.44	0.12	0.18	0.49	0.30	0.05	0.33	0.52
Highest 25 percent	0.65	0.17	0.16	0.53	0.60	0.10	0.58	1.00
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	0.48	0.17	0.24	0.54	0.26	0.08	0.39	0.76
Worked part time	0.55	0.11	0.19	0.49	0.35	0.05	0.40	0.53
Worked full time	0.68	0.08	0.11	0.59	0.44	†	0.47	0.86
Military status								
Veterans	1.11	†	0.20	0.88	0.61	†	1.36	1.39
Military service members								
Active duty	6.96	†	†	1.11	†	†	6.37	3.44
Reserves	4.11	†	†	2.85	†	†	5.12	4.00
Nonmilitary students	0.35	0.10	0.14	0.39	0.22	0.04	0.21	0.56
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	0.57	0.15	0.20	0.55	0.32	0.04	0.34	0.70
Some postsecondary education	0.59	0.14	0.23	0.57	0.35	0.06	0.36	0.84
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.50	0.16	0.21	0.48	0.39	0.08	0.40	0.58

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.5-A.

Standard errors for table 3.5-A: COMBINATION OF FINANCIAL AID: Percentage distribution of undergraduates by the combination of financial aid received, type of institution, and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid (among recipients)							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
Grant status								
No grant	†	†	†	†	0.83	0.22	0.80	0.73
Received grant	0.42	0.12	0.16	0.39	†	†	0.21	†
Loan status								
No loan	0.47	0.23	†	†	†	†	0.42	0.90
Received loan	†	†	0.21	0.40	0.38	0.06	0.30	†

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.5-B.

**AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,800</b>	<b>\$15,500</b>	<b>\$25,400</b>	<b>\$12,700</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$11,100</b>	<b>\$18,600</b>	<b>\$10,800</b>
Institution type								
Public								
Less-than-2-year	3,700	‡	‡	9,400	‡	‡	6,700	5,400
2-year	3,100	7,800	12,400	8,100	4,500	‡	7,400	4,700
4-year	6,100	12,000	17,400	13,100	7,400	12,400	17,800	11,200
Non-doctorate-granting	4,400	10,800	15,000	11,700	6,700	‡	13,700	8,800
Doctorate-granting	7,300	12,700	18,500	13,600	7,700	12,700	19,300	12,400
Private nonprofit								
Less-than-4-year	4,000	‡	‡	12,300	7,500	‡	21,500	11,500
4-year	13,800	25,300	31,400	20,200	9,400	10,800	32,000	22,500
Non-doctorate-granting	12,200	23,700	30,300	18,800	9,700	‡	29,200	21,100
Doctorate-granting	15,000	26,900	32,400	21,700	9,100	9,900	34,500	23,800
For-profit								
Less-than-2-year	4,000	‡	‡	10,900	7,100	‡	15,200	10,000
2-year	2,900	‡	15,300	11,200	7,900	‡	16,500	10,600
4-year	3,400	‡	18,800	12,300	8,500	‡	15,600	11,600
More than one institution	4,700	13,400	23,700	12,600	7,500	‡	17,800	11,100
Attendance status <sup>4</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	8,000	19,000	27,100	16,100	8,700	11,600	24,300	15,500
Full-time/part-year	3,600	9,700	18,500	9,800	6,100	11,900	11,900	7,900
Part-time/full-year	3,400	8,600	16,600	10,900	7,400	‡	13,400	7,500
Part-time/part-year	1,900	5,400	13,400	7,500	5,100	‡	7,900	4,500
Housing <sup>5</sup>								
On campus	12,200	23,100	28,900	18,400	8,100	11,100	28,700	20,500
Off campus	3,900	11,300	21,600	12,000	7,100	10,300	14,700	9,100
Living with parents	4,200	11,500	20,600	11,500	6,800	13,700	15,200	8,600
Price of attendance <sup>5,6</sup>								
Less than \$7,000	1,800	‡	‡	4,400	3,300	‡	2,700	2,400
\$7,000–12,999	3,500	7,300	9,100	7,500	5,400	‡	6,100	5,200
\$13,000–21,999	5,500	10,700	15,100	12,100	7,300	10,500	12,900	9,800
\$22,000 or more	12,700	22,700	29,400	18,100	10,200	12,600	27,900	19,900
Sex								
Male	4,900	16,100	25,900	12,900	7,100	11,900	17,400	11,000
Female	4,700	15,000	25,000	12,600	7,100	10,400	20,200	10,600
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	5,000	14,900	24,700	12,900	7,000	11,000	18,800	11,000
Black	4,200	14,400	23,500	12,100	7,700	‡	17,500	10,500
Hispanic	4,300	15,200	29,000	12,600	7,100	‡	18,400	9,700
Asian	6,200	17,700	27,700	14,100	8,200	‡	20,900	11,900
American Indian	4,900	‡	‡	13,000	5,300	‡	15,400	9,800
Pacific Islander	5,000	‡	‡	14,500	7,300	‡	18,600	11,200
Two or more races	4,600	‡	29,500	13,600	6,700	‡	19,500	12,100

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.5-B.

**AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	\$6,300	\$17,500	\$27,400	\$14,600	\$6,100	\$10,000	\$26,100	\$13,500
19–23 years	5,700	16,800	26,200	13,500	6,500	10,900	22,100	12,100
24–29 years	3,400	8,600	20,000	11,900	7,700	‡	12,200	8,900
30–39 years	3,200	8,300	19,700	11,800	8,100	‡	10,900	8,800
40 years or older	2,900	‡	17,300	11,700	7,800	‡	9,900	8,000
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	6,100	17,600	26,600	14,200	6,500	10,800	23,800	13,000
Independent <sup>9</sup>	3,400	8,700	20,900	11,800	7,800	12,400	11,300	8,600
Unmarried, no dependents	3,600	9,100	22,100	12,200	8,000	‡	13,200	9,300
Married, no dependents	3,800	‡	21,100	11,600	8,100	‡	10,700	8,300
Unmarried with dependents	3,200	8,000	19,500	11,700	6,600	‡	10,400	8,500
Married with dependents	3,200	8,700	17,800	11,400	7,900	‡	10,000	7,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	6,200	16,400	26,200	13,100	3,500	‡	22,800	11,800
\$20,000–39,999	5,900	17,500	27,000	14,000	5,500	‡	23,300	12,500
\$40,000–59,999	4,800	19,700	26,100	13,200	5,800	‡	24,600	12,900
\$60,000–79,999	5,300	16,200	27,000	14,400	5,700	13,000	22,700	12,900
\$80,000–99,999	5,800	19,600	28,000	14,800	6,500	10,300	23,000	13,300
\$100,000 or more	7,800	18,000	25,800	16,800	7,100	10,900	24,900	14,200
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	3,900	9,400	22,000	12,000	6,700	‡	14,200	9,400
\$10,000–19,999	3,600	8,100	18,700	11,800	7,100	‡	12,500	9,100
\$20,000–29,999	2,900	‡	19,200	11,700	7,400	‡	11,000	8,400
\$30,000–49,999	3,000	‡	17,600	11,600	8,200	‡	10,500	8,000
\$50,000 or more	2,800	‡	‡	10,900	8,400	‡	8,800	7,200
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	5,100	14,800	25,100	12,700	6,100	‡	19,700	10,800
Middle 50 percent	4,300	15,800	25,600	12,600	6,900	10,900	18,600	10,800
Highest 25 percent	5,300	16,800	25,000	13,500	7,700	10,800	18,200	10,800
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	5,700	15,900	26,400	13,200	7,400	10,900	20,300	12,300
Worked part time	4,900	15,600	24,300	13,100	6,900	11,400	20,300	11,000
Worked full time	3,200	11,300	21,800	11,300	7,200	‡	12,000	7,900
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	3,200	‡	‡	12,400	8,000	‡	13,100	11,600
Military service members								
Active duty	3,000	‡	‡	14,200	‡	‡	6,400	5,600
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	10,500	9,700
Nonmilitary students	4,800	15,600	25,400	12,700	7,100	11,100	21,700	10,800
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	4,000	12,300	24,800	12,000	7,100	10,900	16,000	9,600
Some postsecondary education	4,300	14,800	25,400	12,600	7,100	12,500	18,800	10,700
Bachelor's degree or higher	6,100	18,500	25,800	14,200	7,200	10,600	20,400	12,300

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.5-B.

**AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid <sup>3</sup>
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Grant and loan <sup>1</sup>	Loan only <sup>1</sup>	Loan and work-study <sup>1</sup>	Other combinations <sup>2</sup>	
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	4,800	15,500	25,400	12,700	7,100	11,100	18,600	10,800
Grant status								
No grant	†	†	†	†	7,100	11,100	11,700	8,600
Received grant	4,800	15,500	25,400	12,700	†	†	23,100	11,200
Loan status <sup>1</sup>								
No loan	4,800	15,500	†	†	†	†	8,700	5,800
Received loan	†	†	25,400	12,700	7,100	11,100	25,000	14,200

† Not applicable.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>2</sup> Includes Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates.

<sup>3</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>4</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>5</sup> Excludes students attending more than one institution.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that combination of aid. Those not receiving that combination of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. For students attending more than one institution, combinations of aid may include only aid awarded at the institution in the NPSAS sample and may not include aid awarded at other institutions. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S3.5-B.

Standard errors for table 3.5-B: AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$550</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$630</b>	<b>\$320</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Institution type								
Public								
Less-than-2-year	320	†	†	790	†	†	750	380
2-year	50	280	450	110	100	†	350	70
4-year	130	490	290	90	120	700	310	100
Non-doctorate-granting	150	730	470	200	200	†	600	160
Doctorate-granting	180	680	330	100	150	680	320	120
Private nonprofit								
Less-than-4-year	1,050	†	†	840	1,010	†	3,810	1,550
4-year	680	1,110	540	400	560	1,760	980	290
Non-doctorate-granting	800	1,520	840	430	610	†	940	360
Doctorate-granting	1,060	1,770	730	660	850	1,480	1,560	420
For-profit								
Less-than-2-year	370	†	†	240	510	†	1,100	300
2-year	220	†	1,320	220	500	†	540	240
4-year	400	†	1,100	100	220	†	750	220
More than one institution	190	1,480	1,090	200	200	†	630	190
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	170	690	440	120	160	710	310	110
Full-time/part-year	120	1,180	1,240	130	170	1,510	550	130
Part-time/full-year	70	650	630	130	150	†	500	100
Part-time/part-year	60	620	1,650	130	150	†	480	90
Housing								
On campus	520	920	540	320	320	1,180	430	230
Off campus	80	820	930	100	110	1,160	470	100
Living with parents	110	1,030	830	140	180	1,100	500	120
Price of attendance								
Less than \$7,000	50	†	†	90	130	†	150	40
\$7,000–12,999	60	250	290	60	120	†	190	50
\$13,000–21,999	90	300	230	70	110	1,160	220	70
\$22,000 or more	370	890	450	180	250	920	380	160
Sex								
Male	120	950	580	150	140	850	380	120
Female	90	740	470	80	120	870	410	90
Race/ethnicity								
White	100	860	470	130	100	750	380	110
Black	170	1,680	950	120	280	†	610	150
Hispanic	130	1,220	1,180	190	210	†	750	190
Asian	410	1,230	1,240	490	1,140	†	1,620	400
American Indian	570	†	†	640	890	†	2,340	620
Pacific Islander	950	†	†	1,680	900	†	2,630	950
Two or more races	290	†	2,140	370	470	†	1,010	330

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Table S3.5-B.

Standard errors for table 3.5-B: AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	\$160	\$1,090	\$650	\$190	\$200	\$760	\$430	\$170
19–23 years	120	700	490	140	130	780	370	120
24–29 years	170	520	870	140	210	†	550	140
30–39 years	110	1,010	1,460	130	200	†	510	120
40 years or older	130	†	1,840	170	230	†	520	130
Dependency status								
Dependent	120	640	460	140	120	690	330	110
Independent	80	380	760	80	120	1,490	350	90
Unmarried, no dependents	180	640	970	140	180	†	540	140
Married, no dependents	420	†	1,360	330	230	†	940	250
Unmarried with dependents	90	640	1,670	120	270	†	640	130
Married with dependents	170	820	1,870	150	290	†	490	150
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	200	1,690	1,210	180	500	†	700	200
\$20,000–39,999	190	1,250	920	320	460	†	800	230
\$40,000–59,999	230	2,050	790	340	290	†	820	270
\$60,000–79,999	310	2,280	1,110	560	200	1,490	710	300
\$80,000–99,999	410	3,230	1,580	550	180	1,760	720	320
\$100,000 or more	290	1,260	940	440	240	670	620	240
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	150	540	990	130	370	†	760	150
\$10,000–19,999	170	740	1,020	160	440	†	650	140
\$20,000–29,999	110	†	2,040	210	260	†	710	140
\$30,000–49,999	210	†	2,170	230	220	†	600	170
\$50,000 or more	190	†	†	230	190	†	500	150
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	130	910	670	120	350	†	580	130
Middle 50 percent	90	960	540	100	100	880	380	100
Highest 25 percent	210	1,670	1,010	260	150	680	540	160
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	150	670	480	130	190	750	490	130
Worked part time	110	1,110	690	110	130	960	430	120
Worked full time	90	1,740	1,370	110	130	†	520	120
Military status								
Veterans	250	†	†	420	520	†	410	310
Military service members								
Active duty	520	†	†	2,260	†	†	710	600
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,200	980
Nonmilitary students	80	560	410	80	90	640	370	90
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	90	720	830	100	140	1,210	480	110
Some postsecondary education	130	1,260	690	140	150	1,270	510	140
Bachelor's degree or higher	170	1,030	520	190	150	820	420	130

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.5-B.

Standard errors for table 3.5-B: AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL AID COMBINATION: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received various combinations of financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Combination of financial aid							Any aid
	Grant only	Grant and work-study	Grant, loan, and work-study	Grant and loan	Loan only	Loan and work-study	Other combinations	
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	80	550	400	70	90	630	320	80
Grant status								
No grant	†	†	†	†	90	630	360	120
Received grant	80	550	400	70	†	†	360	90
Loan status								
No loan	80	550	†	†	†	†	320	90
Received loan	†	†	400	70	90	630	290	90

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.6-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>73.9</b>	<b>58.3</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>21.5</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	83.9	68.5	8.8	59.8	70.7	2.6	30.9	31.1
Full-time/part-year	69.5	51.6	3.6	45.3	52.5	4.8	17.5	12.9
Part-time/full-year	73.0	56.7	2.5	47.2	62.3	2.8	16.8	13.1
Part-time/part-year	45.5	32.0	1.8	24.5	31.5	2.9	6.1	6.1
Housing								
On campus	82.3	67.0	10.6	62.1	67.8	1.3	32.4	33.8
Off campus	70.5	54.2	4.4	46.2	55.6	4.3	18.4	17.1
Living with parents	73.0	58.0	4.6	46.9	62.2	2.2	22.0	19.2
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	48.6	37.3	0.9	21.8	33.2	2.9	7.9	5.6
\$11,000–17,999	80.0	63.8	4.0	52.9	67.7	2.8	25.3	17.5
\$18,000–22,999	84.4	68.5	7.8	62.9	71.4	2.5	33.4	29.1
\$23,000 or more	80.8	61.9	10.9	60.7	67.3	3.7	22.9	33.7
Sex								
Male	72.0	54.4	5.6	48.4	57.3	4.3	20.5	21.1
Female	75.6	61.6	6.2	51.3	63.2	1.8	24.6	21.9
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	72.1	53.9	5.3	49.7	56.1	3.0	20.4	21.5
Black	84.2	73.1	7.5	65.3	78.1	2.7	26.5	18.4
Hispanic	77.5	66.1	6.0	44.6	67.4	3.5	26.5	24.4
Asian	61.4	52.4	7.6	32.7	49.8	1.5 !	26.8	21.8
American Indian	77.7	70.1	7.1 !	49.0	69.2	‡	23.4	19.2
Pacific Islander	67.5	44.4	‡	48.7	57.1	‡	13.8 !	8.3 !
Two or more races	81.0	63.0	7.2	57.3	67.0	5.6	28.3	25.6
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	83.4	71.2	7.5	54.3	68.0	1.4	35.4	33.6
19–23 years	75.0	57.9	7.2	51.2	60.9	1.5	25.0	23.9
24–29 years	70.1	57.2	3.1	49.0	60.6	5.5	15.0	15.6
30–39 years	70.1	53.7	2.4	47.3	58.0	8.6	13.4	9.0
40 years or older	61.4	47.9	2.0 !	36.7	44.8	5.1	10.3	9.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.6-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	76.3	59.5	7.4	52.1	61.9	1.1	26.8	26.0
Independent <sup>9</sup>	69.7	56.2	3.1	46.1	57.8	6.3	15.2	13.4
Unmarried, no dependents	71.0	56.8	3.9	50.3	60.8	5.9	16.9	16.3
Married, no dependents	62.6	40.4	3.3	40.1	45.9	7.0	9.7	12.5
Unmarried with dependents	77.0	71.0	2.6	50.2	69.3	3.5	19.9	11.8
Married with dependents	64.2	50.5	1.7	37.7	48.2	9.0	11.0	9.8
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	93.3	91.9	12.7	59.3	89.1	1.0 !	42.2	30.5
\$20,000–39,999	87.5	84.7	11.0	55.7	80.6	1.4	43.0	30.5
\$40,000–59,999	86.9	77.8	8.9	64.7	78.0	0.8 !	38.6	32.8
\$60,000–79,999	74.4	51.6	7.3	55.8	57.5	1.1	23.8	25.9
\$80,000–99,999	69.8	41.9	5.5	51.2	50.9	1.4	17.8	23.3
\$100,000 or more	63.4	37.2	3.8	41.7	42.0	1.1	13.1	20.6
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	78.8	71.7	6.5	53.1	70.9	4.9	22.9	18.5
\$10,000–19,999	77.9	71.4	3.0	54.9	70.0	5.9	19.7	15.7
\$20,000–29,999	67.8	50.6	1.8 !	48.2	58.5	6.5	13.5	10.5
\$30,000–49,999	65.4	44.7	0.9	41.9	50.3	7.3	10.7	12.1
\$50,000 or more	52.3	30.7	‡	29.2	31.6	7.7	3.8	6.4
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	86.2	82.8	10.6	55.4	80.6	2.5	35.1	26.1
Middle 50 percent	75.8	59.5	5.4	54.3	62.9	3.0	23.9	22.4
Highest 25 percent	60.6	36.0	2.8	38.1	39.5	3.3	10.4	16.3
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	75.1	61.0	8.8	49.7	61.3	3.2	25.6	24.8
Worked part time	76.5	60.0	5.0	53.7	63.8	2.2	24.3	23.1
Worked full time	65.5	48.9	1.7	41.9	50.9	4.2	12.9	11.2
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	87.8	50.0	3.2 !	38.8	51.9	61.5	13.3	12.6
Military service members								
Active duty	80.4	54.1	‡	11.2 !	35.2	44.5	‡	‡
Reserves	94.3	57.0	#	53.0	49.5	55.9	11.2 !	‡
Nonmilitary students	73.5	58.6	6.0	50.5	60.9	1.0	23.1	21.9
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	80.5	67.7	6.7	55.2	71.6	3.4	26.4	21.3
Some postsecondary education	77.1	61.3	5.9	55.4	65.7	3.4	23.8	21.4
Bachelor's degree or higher	68.5	51.0	5.4	44.4	51.0	2.6	19.7	21.8
Undergraduate class level								
First year	75.8	62.4	5.0	47.7	63.0	3.0	24.5	20.5
Second year	74.4	59.3	6.2	47.6	60.7	2.6	24.9	20.2
Third year	76.1	59.5	6.1	53.9	63.7	3.0	24.0	22.9
Fourth year or more	73.9	56.9	6.5	53.0	59.9	3.1	20.7	23.4

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.6-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	78.9	8.0	67.6	81.8	4.0	30.7	29.1
Grant status								
No grant	37.5	†	2.4	33.4	31.0	3.3	0.5	0.5
Received grant	100.0	100.0	8.4	61.8	81.5	2.7	38.6	36.6
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	47.9	44.5	3.5	†	24.4	3.6	16.4	16.6
Received loan	100.0	72.1	8.3	100.0	96.6	2.3	29.0	26.5

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.6-A.

Standard errors for table 3.6-A: AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.51</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.61</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	0.45	0.48	0.34	0.56	0.54	0.17	0.69	0.81
Full-time/part-year	1.61	1.50	0.48	1.38	1.55	0.82	1.02	0.97
Part-time/full-year	1.10	1.18	0.33	1.02	1.18	0.33	0.91	0.84
Part-time/part-year	2.33	1.92	0.39	1.79	2.26	0.48	0.59	0.79
Housing								
On campus	0.73	0.85	0.57	0.76	0.76	0.17	1.02	0.99
Off campus	0.81	0.76	0.32	0.55	0.68	0.37	0.61	0.78
Living with parents	0.86	0.89	0.35	0.83	0.84	0.23	0.66	0.80
Price of attendance								
Less than \$11,000	1.76	1.45	0.18	1.10	1.63	0.47	0.61	0.63
\$11,000–17,999	0.75	0.86	0.35	0.74	0.79	0.31	0.92	0.68
\$18,000–22,999	0.71	0.81	0.42	0.92	0.89	0.30	0.87	0.89
\$23,000 or more	0.71	0.81	0.65	0.82	0.83	0.33	0.82	1.21
Sex								
Male	0.73	0.66	0.31	0.57	0.59	0.35	0.57	0.73
Female	0.67	0.67	0.28	0.49	0.62	0.17	0.65	0.67
Race/ethnicity								
White	0.69	0.68	0.28	0.54	0.50	0.23	0.58	0.74
Black	1.17	1.19	0.57	1.49	1.36	0.53	1.40	1.04
Hispanic	1.31	1.18	0.52	2.21	1.29	0.53	1.16	1.42
Asian	1.85	1.74	0.77	1.74	1.94	0.45	1.52	1.17
American Indian	4.26	4.68	3.28	4.42	4.91	†	4.85	3.37
Pacific Islander	6.02	6.53	†	6.75	6.83	†	4.25	3.22
Two or more races	2.26	2.90	1.28	2.52	2.54	1.24	2.40	2.33
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	0.82	0.96	0.50	1.02	0.91	0.23	1.13	1.20
19–23 years	0.54	0.57	0.33	0.48	0.47	0.15	0.59	0.69
24–29 years	1.26	1.09	0.41	1.13	1.07	0.59	0.79	0.98
30–39 years	1.93	1.72	0.50	1.67	1.85	1.07	1.24	0.84
40 years or older	2.10	2.46	0.62	2.07	2.60	1.01	1.31	1.36

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.6-A.

Standard errors for table 3.6-A: AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status								
Dependent	0.50	0.57	0.30	0.47	0.45	0.11	0.58	0.72
Independent	1.04	0.88	0.29	0.77	0.99	0.52	0.64	0.66
Unmarried, no dependents	1.11	1.17	0.50	1.03	1.02	0.56	0.80	0.99
Married, no dependents	2.84	2.38	0.79	2.33	2.37	1.44	1.40	1.37
Unmarried with dependents	1.66	1.77	0.49	1.94	1.77	0.72	1.46	1.20
Married with dependents	2.24	1.92	0.49	1.74	2.15	1.41	1.33	1.31
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	0.81	0.89	0.93	1.56	1.05	0.33	1.88	1.45
\$20,000–39,999	1.04	1.12	0.75	1.40	1.11	0.32	1.41	1.45
\$40,000–59,999	0.94	1.19	0.82	1.21	1.12	0.25	1.47	1.40
\$60,000–79,999	1.27	1.40	0.66	1.25	1.38	0.28	1.14	1.32
\$80,000–99,999	1.60	1.70	0.70	1.35	1.35	0.35	1.23	1.47
\$100,000 or more	0.99	1.03	0.36	0.81	0.77	0.19	0.75	0.92
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	1.23	1.26	0.72	1.40	1.43	0.63	1.21	1.15
\$10,000–19,999	1.52	1.56	0.54	1.75	1.63	0.85	1.29	1.31
\$20,000–29,999	2.14	1.98	0.58	2.42	2.12	1.12	1.67	1.39
\$30,000–49,999	2.45	2.21	0.26	2.13	2.39	1.34	1.18	1.33
\$50,000 or more	2.24	1.65	†	1.80	2.01	1.10	0.70	0.91
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	0.74	0.75	0.52	0.96	0.74	0.33	1.07	1.00
Middle 50 percent	0.71	0.73	0.29	0.51	0.65	0.26	0.60	0.78
Highest 25 percent	1.14	0.98	0.30	0.87	0.87	0.37	0.58	0.78
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	0.68	0.68	0.37	0.57	0.61	0.30	0.69	0.88
Worked part time	0.66	0.71	0.33	0.60	0.55	0.22	0.62	0.67
Worked full time	1.55	1.30	0.26	1.16	1.35	0.53	0.71	0.70
Military status								
Veterans	2.36	3.00	1.16	3.30	3.46	3.37	1.99	1.78
Military service members								
Active duty	4.93	7.25	†	4.08	6.00	9.48	†	†
Reserves	4.64	10.76	†	10.78	10.30	10.61	5.02	†
Nonmilitary students	0.56	0.54	0.23	0.31	0.39	0.09	0.49	0.62
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	0.81	0.93	0.45	0.80	0.80	0.42	0.81	0.87
Some postsecondary education	1.04	1.03	0.41	0.91	1.12	0.37	0.81	0.93
Bachelor's degree or higher	0.78	0.66	0.29	0.57	0.63	0.26	0.55	0.69
Undergraduate class level								
First year	0.89	0.91	0.31	1.07	0.85	0.41	0.84	0.73
Second year	0.96	1.02	0.46	0.87	0.93	0.42	1.05	0.94
Third year	1.08	1.00	0.51	0.97	1.09	0.40	0.89	0.98
Fourth year or more	0.78	0.85	0.43	0.63	0.71	0.30	0.56	0.93

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.6-A.

Standard errors for table 3.6-A: AID AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	0.40	0.32	0.44	0.41	0.27	0.64	0.76
Grant status								
No grant	0.84	†	0.20	0.70	0.67	0.37	0.11	0.14
Received grant	†	†	0.37	0.52	0.44	0.20	0.81	0.91
Loan status								
No loan	1.00	0.92	0.23	†	0.68	0.34	0.55	0.64
Received loan	†	0.52	0.41	†	0.25	0.20	0.70	0.77

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.6-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,200</b>	<b>\$6,200</b>	<b>\$2,300</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$9,200</b>	<b>\$6,800</b>	<b>\$3,300</b>	<b>\$4,100</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	13,600	7,600	2,300	7,600	10,500	9,400	3,700	4,500
Full-time/part-year	7,600	4,200	2,000	5,500	6,500	4,200	2,600	2,900
Part-time/full-year	9,100	4,400	2,300	7,600	8,300	5,900	2,100	3,100
Part-time/part-year	5,100	2,400	2,600	5,200	5,300	3,900	1,500	2,000
Housing								
On campus	14,400	7,900	2,100	7,000	10,800	9,200	3,900	5,000
Off campus	10,200	5,400	2,300	7,200	8,900	6,700	3,000	3,500
Living with parents	10,100	5,800	2,500	7,000	8,300	6,200	2,900	3,700
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	4,100	2,500	1,700	4,200	4,100	3,200	1,300	1,200
\$11,000–17,999	8,900	5,000	2,000	6,600	7,900	4,400	2,700	2,500
\$18,000–22,999	12,300	6,500	2,300	7,600	10,200	6,600	3,200	3,400
\$23,000 or more	16,800	9,400	2,400	8,100	12,000	11,800	4,700	6,200
Sex								
Male	11,300	6,300	2,400	7,100	9,200	7,300	3,400	4,200
Female	11,200	6,100	2,200	7,100	9,200	5,900	3,200	4,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	10,900	5,700	2,300	7,200	9,300	7,200	3,000	4,000
Black	12,900	6,600	2,300	7,400	10,200	6,700	2,900	5,500
Hispanic	10,600	6,800	2,700	6,700	7,900	5,900	3,800	3,800
Asian	11,500	8,000	2,100	6,700	8,300	‡	4,700	4,100
American Indian	10,600	6,600	‡	5,800	7,900	‡	3,100	2,500
Pacific Islander	10,100	‡	‡	‡	8,300	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	12,100	6,500	1,900	7,100	9,800	6,300	2,800	3,985
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	12,800	7,600	2,100	6,100	9,400	10,300	3,500	4,600
19–23 years	11,500	6,600	2,300	6,800	9,100	6,200	3,500	4,400
24–29 years	10,400	4,800	2,300	8,200	9,200	8,100	2,400	2,700
30–39 years	9,900	4,300	1,900	8,500	9,400	5,900	2,000	2,000
40 years or older	8,200	3,900	‡	7,800	8,700	5,200	1,900	2,200

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.6-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	\$11,800	\$6,800	\$2,300	\$6,600	\$9,200	\$7,200	\$3,500	\$4,500
Independent <sup>9</sup>	10,100	4,900	2,300	8,100	9,100	6,700	2,400	2,600
Unmarried, no dependents	11,100	5,400	2,200	8,400	9,400	7,900	2,800	3,000
Married, no dependents	8,700	4,700	‡	7,600	8,400	5,900	2,800	3,000
Unmarried with dependents	10,000	4,800	2,500	8,000	9,300	6,200	2,100	1,900
Married with dependents	8,600	4,100	‡	7,700	8,500	5,700	1,800	1,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	13,000	8,400	2,200	6,000	9,400	‡	3,600	4,300
\$20,000–39,999	12,900	8,300	2,200	6,000	9,200	7,600	3,600	4,400
\$40,000–59,999	12,300	6,500	2,200	6,400	8,600	‡	3,700	4,500
\$60,000–79,999	10,900	5,200	2,200	6,900	8,500	‡	3,200	4,300
\$80,000–99,999	10,900	5,500	2,300	7,000	9,000	‡	2,800	4,600
\$100,000 or more	10,900	5,400	2,600	7,200	10,000	7,900	3,600	4,900
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	11,700	6,000	2,400	8,200	9,900	6,900	2,600	2,900
\$10,000–19,999	10,800	4,900	2,200	8,000	9,300	7,300	2,700	2,900
\$20,000–29,999	9,500	4,100	‡	7,900	8,400	7,000	1,800	2,200
\$30,000–49,999	8,800	3,700	‡	8,300	8,400	7,600	2,000	2,200
\$50,000 or more	6,900	2,900	‡	7,900	7,800	5,300	1,800	2,200
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	12,600	7,700	2,200	6,800	9,500	6,900	3,500	3,900
Middle 50 percent	11,100	5,600	2,300	7,100	8,900	7,100	3,100	4,000
Highest 25 percent	9,900	4,800	2,500	7,400	9,500	6,300	3,300	4,600
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	12,400	7,100	2,200	7,000	9,600	7,700	3,600	4,700
Worked part time	11,200	6,000	2,300	7,100	9,100	7,100	3,100	3,900
Worked full time	8,500	4,200	2,600	7,300	8,200	5,100	2,200	2,700
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	11,900	5,300	‡	7,900	8,700	7,500	2,500	2,600
Military service members								
Active duty	7,300	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	10,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	11,200	6,200	2,300	7,100	9,200	6,600	3,300	4,100
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	11,100	6,200	2,300	7,000	8,800	5,700	3,400	3,400
Some postsecondary education	11,700	6,200	2,300	7,200	9,500	8,100	3,000	3,900
Bachelor's degree or higher	11,000	6,100	2,300	7,100	9,400	6,700	3,300	4,500
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	10,500	6,100	2,100	5,900	8,200	6,100	3,200	4,100
Second year	11,000	6,300	2,300	6,600	8,900	6,900	3,400	4,300
Third year	12,200	6,500	2,400	7,800	9,900	7,500	3,500	4,100
Fourth year or more	11,500	6,100	2,300	7,700	9,600	7,100	3,000	4,000

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 3.6-B.**

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	11,200	6,200	2,300	7,100	9,200	6,800	3,300	4,100
Grant status								
No grant	9,500	‡	2,500	7,300	9,100	6,500	5,100	‡
Received grant	11,700	6,200	2,200	7,000	9,200	7,100	3,200	4,100
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	6,600	6,300	2,300	†	4,100	6,600	3,300	4,900
Received loan	13,400	6,100	2,300	7,100	10,500	7,200	3,200	3,600

† Not applicable.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.6-B.

Standard errors for table 3.6-B: AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$380</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$100</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	120	90	70	60	100	530	90	120
Full-time/part-year	220	130	270	140	180	460	130	260
Part-time/full-year	150	110	230	100	140	780	130	270
Part-time/part-year	200	100	380	160	220	510	130	290
Housing								
On campus	190	120	90	80	140	990	110	180
Off campus	130	100	100	70	110	440	100	150
Living with parents	150	100	130	90	110	680	90	160
Price of attendance								
Less than \$11,000	80	60	220	110	100	320	100	110
\$11,000–17,999	80	60	120	60	70	340	80	80
\$18,000–22,999	130	90	100	60	110	500	70	110
\$23,000 or more	200	190	110	120	180	830	220	200
Sex								
Male	140	100	90	70	100	480	110	130
Female	110	80	80	50	100	460	80	120
Race/ethnicity								
White	130	80	90	60	100	460	70	120
Black	230	160	120	110	170	970	130	370
Hispanic	320	220	160	120	180	670	170	230
Asian	330	280	190	200	230	†	310	210
American Indian	840	750	†	480	530	†	530	460
Pacific Islander	1,600	†	†	†	1,050	†	†	†
Two or more races	460	380	230	220	400	1,130	230	430
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	230	140	100	80	180	1,530	100	150
19–23 years	130	100	80	60	110	530	90	120
24–29 years	190	120	190	130	150	900	130	170
30–39 years	260	160	170	170	230	480	150	200
40 years or older	310	180	†	210	300	680	210	310

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status								
Dependent	\$130	\$90	\$70	\$60	\$100	\$610	\$80	\$110
Independent	120	80	130	80	110	440	100	130
Unmarried, no dependents	180	130	170	120	150	690	130	180
Married, no dependents	350	350	†	240	270	860	320	350
Unmarried with dependents	270	120	390	180	280	1,060	140	180
Married with dependents	280	170	†	230	240	630	190	220
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	250	200	100	120	140	†	160	240
\$20,000–39,999	270	190	120	110	170	1,300	160	230
\$40,000–59,999	240	170	150	130	180	†	140	240
\$60,000–79,999	280	180	190	140	220	†	170	230
\$80,000–99,999	270	280	180	150	270	†	160	260
\$100,000 or more	230	180	180	110	240	920	120	230
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	230	130	180	150	190	700	130	200
\$10,000–19,999	270	160	260	150	200	950	160	230
\$20,000–29,999	320	220	†	230	250	830	240	270
\$30,000–49,999	310	190	†	260	280	1,110	250	270
\$50,000 or more	300	230	†	260	290	750	260	300
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	180	130	80	90	130	820	120	160
Middle 50 percent	120	80	90	60	90	540	90	110
Highest 25 percent	190	150	190	100	200	580	110	230
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	160	140	80	70	110	610	120	150
Worked part time	130	90	90	60	110	620	70	120
Worked full time	170	120	320	120	130	600	130	170
Military status								
Veterans	610	320	†	330	390	540	380	350
Military service members								
Active duty	1,250	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	1,220	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	100	70	70	40	80	510	80	100
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	150	130	100	80	110	590	120	130
Some postsecondary education	170	120	110	90	130	880	100	190
Bachelor's degree or higher	140	90	90	70	140	470	80	130
Undergraduate class level								
First year	220	130	100	70	160	760	100	170
Second year	230	150	140	100	160	920	130	190
Third year	200	150	130	90	140	900	150	200
Fourth year or more	120	100	110	80	110	460	80	140

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.6-B.

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100	70	70	40	80	380	70	100
Grant status								
No grant	160	†	160	100	160	550	1,030	†
Received grant	110	70	70	40	90	460	70	100
Loan status								
No loan	130	130	110	†	70	450	100	180
Received loan	120	70	80	40	90	570	90	100

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.7-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>50.5</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>43.6</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>13.4</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	75.7	68.3	4.0	25.4	62.4	3.4	21.1	19.1
Full-time/part-year	63.7	55.3	1.3	21.0	49.8	5.2	12.4	10.1
Part-time/full-year	62.7	56.5	2.2	19.4	51.1	2.1	13.9	15.7
Part-time/part-year	40.1	34.8	0.8	10.6	25.7	2.1	6.1	10.0
Housing								
On campus	76.0	65.6	6.0	38.9	60.8	‡	22.1	25.3
Off campus	56.4	49.7	1.8	17.5	42.8	3.5	12.0	11.8
Living with parents	57.3	51.2	1.9	17.2	44.3	2.1	12.2	15.0
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	49.2	44.1	0.9	12.2	35.5	2.1	8.8	11.6
\$11,000–17,999	76.3	66.9	3.6	30.1	63.3	4.3	19.6	18.0
\$18,000–22,999	78.0	68.5	6.3	33.3	66.1	5.5	25.4	19.1
\$23,000 or more	81.5	60.4	11.9	42.8	70.0	13.0	24.4	10.5
Sex								
Male	54.2	46.6	1.9	16.4	39.5	4.7	10.8	12.4
Female	59.2	53.6	1.9	18.5	46.8	1.4	13.2	14.1
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	52.3	44.3	1.6	19.1	38.8	3.2	11.6	9.4
Black	70.9	65.4	2.4	22.8	61.4	2.7	15.6	9.1
Hispanic	59.9	56.4	2.0	10.2	44.1	2.4	10.9	26.1
Asian	49.4	44.7	2.9	9.0	33.1	1.9 !	10.9	19.6
American Indian	61.4	55.3	3.4 !	20.8	50.8	‡	11.9	16.3 !
Pacific Islander	57.5	53.9	‡	9.4 !	38.2	‡	‡	24.8
Two or more races	61.0	56.5	1.1 !	20.6	48.5	2.6	14.6	18.3
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	62.5	57.3	2.3	13.9	48.2	0.8 !	15.6	19.2
19–23 years	56.0	49.5	2.2	16.1	43.6	1.4	12.6	14.4
24–29 years	59.8	52.5	1.5	19.6	45.3	5.2	11.1	13.1
30–39 years	59.1	53.1	1.8	21.8	47.1	3.9	11.7	10.5
40 years or older	50.0	43.7	1.4	16.2	34.7	3.8	11.0	10.5
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	55.0	47.9	2.3	15.3	42.3	0.9	13.1	14.8
Independent <sup>9</sup>	58.3	52.2	1.6	19.1	44.4	4.2	11.5	12.4
Unmarried, no dependents	55.1	47.8	1.7	19.7	41.5	3.7	11.1	13.9
Married, no dependents	41.4	30.2	1.2 !	13.9	22.9	5.3	7.9	9.3
Unmarried with dependents	70.2	67.1	2.0	22.5	59.8	3.3	13.6	13.3
Married with dependents	56.0	50.1	1.1	16.4	39.3	5.7	11.2	10.3

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.7-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	81.8	80.9	3.6	15.6	76.3	0.9 !	19.1	21.7
\$20,000–39,999	69.9	68.3	3.1	12.7	60.9	1.1	17.5	18.4
\$40,000–59,999	62.7	56.1	1.9	17.9	48.2	1.4 !	17.5	18.6
\$60,000–79,999	42.4	29.6	1.6 !	19.4	25.2	0.2 !	8.8	12.5
\$80,000–99,999	35.5	21.8	2.0	16.1	18.3	0.7 !	8.1	9.3
\$100,000 or more	28.0	17.1	1.2	12.4	12.0	0.7 !	5.6	6.6
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	70.6	68.1	2.8	23.9	60.5	2.6	13.3	18.2
\$10,000–19,999	66.8	63.5	1.8	22.5	57.9	3.5	14.8	12.8
\$20,000–29,999	60.5	50.8	1.3	21.5	45.6	4.8	11.8	10.4
\$30,000–49,999	52.2	43.3	1.0	15.2	34.3	5.8	10.3	10.7
\$50,000 or more	36.3	27.5	0.4 !	10.6	16.5	5.5	6.9	6.6
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	74.2	72.3	3.2	19.2	65.6	1.9	15.9	19.5
Middle 50 percent	57.5	49.8	1.7	19.3	43.6	2.9	12.5	12.8
Highest 25 percent	35.4	26.2	0.8	11.6	17.3	3.9	7.0	7.4
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	62.2	56.5	3.4	18.4	50.3	3.4	14.1	17.1
Worked part time	56.9	50.1	1.6	18.7	44.2	1.9	12.7	13.5
Worked full time	51.7	44.7	0.6	15.4	36.1	3.4	9.6	9.4
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	73.8	48.7	1.3 !	15.2	36.2	47.0	11.7	11.0
Military service members								
Active duty	63.8	29.9	‡	‡	14.7	40.8	‡	6.2 !
Reserves	76.0	51.6	‡	12.8 !	37.9	48.8	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	56.2	50.7	1.9	17.7	44.1	0.7	12.3	13.5
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	63.7	58.0	2.1	19.7	52.9	2.6	14.2	13.9
Some postsecondary education	56.0	49.5	1.7	18.0	41.8	3.4	12.0	14.0
Bachelor's degree or higher	47.3	39.5	1.7	14.4	31.5	2.9	9.7	10.6
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	61.8	55.9	1.7	17.9	49.7	2.7	13.4	12.8
Second year	58.4	49.9	2.4	21.2	44.8	3.4	12.4	14.0
Third year	57.3	52.3	3.0	17.1	37.9	1.9	11.9	25.6
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	88.6	3.3	30.8	76.5	5.0	21.4	23.5

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.7-A.

**AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid						
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state institutional aid
Grant status							
No grant	13.1	†	0.7	9.3	8.8	2.9	0.5
Received grant	100.0	100.0	3.1	25.6	77.7	2.8	23.6
Loan status <sup>2</sup>							
No loan	47.8	45.6	1.6	†	32.3	3.1	10.7
Received loan	100.0	73.7	3.3	100.0	96.6	1.9	18.9

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.7-A.

Standard errors for table 3.7-A: AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.84</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	1.10	1.15	0.31	0.98	1.31	0.33	1.11	1.12
Full-time/part-year	2.24	1.89	0.26	1.39	2.64	0.63	1.06	1.56
Part-time/full-year	1.13	1.11	0.28	0.87	1.28	0.21	0.77	1.10
Part-time/part-year	2.43	1.92	0.16	1.11	2.39	0.33	0.59	0.95
Housing								
On campus	5.29	4.37	1.57	5.68	5.56	†	4.67	3.96
Off campus	1.38	1.07	0.17	0.54	1.25	0.30	0.68	0.76
Living with parents	1.03	0.90	0.20	0.57	0.95	0.20	0.64	1.12
Price of attendance								
Less than \$5,000	1.60	1.30	0.13	0.55	1.56	0.21	0.57	0.95
\$5,000–7,999	1.02	1.18	0.38	0.76	1.12	0.42	1.01	1.04
\$8,000–11,999	2.35	2.36	0.99	2.45	2.61	1.03	2.15	2.36
\$12,000 or more	4.15	4.92	2.36	3.67	4.46	2.67	3.33	2.51
Sex								
Male	1.34	1.01	0.23	0.57	1.25	0.36	0.57	0.84
Female	1.00	0.85	0.16	0.30	0.88	0.14	0.69	0.95
Race/ethnicity								
White	1.08	0.80	0.12	0.45	0.98	0.27	0.72	0.70
Black	1.57	1.38	0.38	1.11	1.57	0.52	1.15	1.23
Hispanic	1.58	1.53	0.32	0.71	1.57	0.40	0.95	1.68
Asian	2.81	2.63	0.63	1.13	2.25	0.70	1.26	2.06
American Indian	7.17	7.14	1.66	3.43	6.33	†	3.33	6.18
Pacific Islander	7.62	7.21	†	3.34	6.20	†	†	5.05
Two or more races	2.85	2.84	0.32	1.89	2.48	0.68	1.65	2.58
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	1.52	1.47	0.29	0.83	1.65	0.26	0.86	1.15
19–23 years	1.14	0.96	0.25	0.48	0.91	0.16	0.70	0.92
24–29 years	1.76	1.45	0.23	0.91	1.69	0.59	0.79	1.16
30–39 years	1.46	1.35	0.29	0.76	1.45	0.47	0.84	1.12
40 years or older	1.94	1.70	0.24	0.83	1.73	0.57	0.96	0.98
Dependency status								
Dependent	1.09	0.93	0.26	0.49	0.90	0.13	0.69	0.97
Independent	1.28	1.04	0.14	0.38	1.28	0.29	0.65	0.89
Unmarried, no dependents	1.55	1.38	0.23	0.81	1.39	0.47	0.76	1.11
Married, no dependents	2.70	2.17	0.51	1.44	2.21	0.95	1.24	1.21
Unmarried with dependents	1.32	1.30	0.30	0.90	1.53	0.37	1.04	1.20
Married with dependents	1.58	1.45	0.19	0.81	1.51	0.64	0.95	1.09

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.7-A.

Standard errors for table 3.7-A: AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	1.46	1.46	0.61	0.99	1.55	0.28	1.40	1.84
\$20,000–39,999	1.90	1.86	0.42	0.87	1.71	0.28	1.05	1.46
\$40,000–59,999	1.95	1.94	0.40	1.23	1.73	0.45	1.37	1.84
\$60,000–79,999	2.18	1.72	0.55	1.54	1.79	0.10	0.98	1.31
\$80,000–99,999	2.41	2.02	0.58	1.27	1.42	0.30	1.46	1.37
\$100,000 or more	1.61	1.24	0.35	1.08	1.07	0.35	0.83	0.88
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	1.42	1.35	0.33	0.81	1.48	0.36	0.81	1.44
\$10,000–19,999	1.94	1.90	0.33	1.09	1.86	0.52	1.26	1.16
\$20,000–29,999	1.96	1.84	0.35	1.08	2.20	0.82	1.15	1.31
\$30,000–49,999	2.02	1.77	0.27	0.81	1.71	0.84	0.97	1.36
\$50,000 or more	1.94	1.51	0.19	0.97	1.40	0.81	0.85	0.83
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	1.28	1.18	0.33	0.60	1.30	0.24	0.82	1.36
Middle 50 percent	1.05	0.82	0.18	0.40	0.94	0.26	0.61	0.88
Highest 25 percent	1.48	1.10	0.17	0.74	1.09	0.50	0.72	0.66
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	1.73	1.49	0.31	0.51	1.56	0.38	0.78	1.26
Worked part time	0.97	0.81	0.18	0.55	0.86	0.22	0.61	0.75
Worked full time	1.27	1.06	0.13	0.59	1.17	0.37	0.68	0.86
Military status								
Veterans	2.69	2.99	0.40	1.46	2.67	2.85	1.62	1.93
Military service members								
Active duty	7.26	5.39	†	†	2.72	8.75	†	2.05
Reserves	9.59	11.10	†	5.58	9.22	9.98	†	†
Nonmilitary students	1.07	0.85	0.16	0.30	0.99	0.09	0.57	0.86
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	1.35	1.15	0.23	0.49	1.32	0.26	0.75	0.91
Some postsecondary education	1.42	1.16	0.21	0.61	1.21	0.32	0.69	1.09
Bachelor's degree or higher	1.09	0.89	0.21	0.55	0.85	0.37	0.62	0.70
Undergraduate class level								
First year	1.25	1.06	0.19	0.47	1.14	0.23	0.81	1.05
Second year	0.99	0.95	0.23	0.56	0.81	0.36	0.61	1.00
Third year	3.06	3.02	0.72	1.89	2.56	0.54	1.66	2.93
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	0.51	0.26	0.40	0.71	0.30	0.89	1.49

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.7-A.

Standard errors for table 3.7-A: AID AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in public 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	0.91	†	0.13	0.61	0.55	0.33	0.14	†
Received grant	†	†	0.26	0.46	0.86	0.22	1.00	1.61
Loan status								
No loan	1.16	1.04	0.17	†	1.03	0.23	0.60	0.95
Received loan	†	1.07	0.29	†	0.49	0.28	1.04	0.79

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.7-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,700</b>	<b>\$3,200</b>	<b>\$2,700</b>	<b>\$4,700</b>	<b>\$4,600</b>	<b>\$5,600</b>	<b>\$1,600</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	6,800	4,900	2,500	5,600	6,200	6,100	1,900	1,400
Full-time/part-year	4,300	2,900	2,300	3,800	3,900	5,900	1,300	1,100
Part-time/full-year	4,800	3,200	3,100	5,200	4,600	4,700	1,600	900
Part-time/part-year	2,900	1,800	2,900	3,600	2,900	5,600	1,500	700
Housing								
On campus	7,000	5,200	‡	4,200	5,600	‡	1,800	2,900
Off campus	4,800	3,200	2,700	4,800	4,600	6,000	1,700	1,000
Living with parents	4,600	3,300	2,800	4,500	4,500	4,900	1,500	1,000
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	3,300	2,500	2,200	3,500	3,400	3,200	1,500	800
\$11,000–17,999	6,600	4,400	3,000	5,600	6,100	5,800	1,700	1,300
\$18,000–22,999	8,600	5,300	2,900	6,900	7,200	9,200	2,100	1,600
\$23,000 or more	12,000	6,300	3,400	6,300	6,900	22,200	1,900	3,600 !
Sex								
Male	4,800	3,100	2,700	4,600	4,500	6,300	1,600	1,000
Female	4,700	3,300	2,700	4,800	4,600	3,800	1,600	1,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	4,900	3,200	2,800	4,700	4,800	5,400	1,600	1,100
Black	5,000	3,400	2,500	4,800	4,600	5,400	1,800	1,200
Hispanic	4,100	3,200	2,900	4,300	4,000	7,100	1,400	900
Asian	4,300	3,400	2,400	4,900	4,600	‡	1,400	800
American Indian	5,200	3,800	‡	4,400	4,700	‡	1,600	900
Pacific Islander	4,900	3,500	‡	‡	4,400	‡	‡	900
Two or more races	5,000	3,500	‡	4,400	4,700	‡	1,400	1,000
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	4,400	3,800	2,500	3,700	4,000	2,800	1,600	1,200
19–23 years	4,400	3,400	2,800	3,900	4,100	4,900	1,600	1,100
24–29 years	4,900	2,900	3,100	5,100	4,700	6,100	1,500	800
30–39 years	5,300	3,200	2,500	5,500	5,300	5,500	1,600	900
40 years or older	5,000	2,900	2,600	5,600	5,200	5,800	1,800	800
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	4,300	3,600	2,700	3,700	4,000	2,500	1,600	1,100
Independent <sup>9</sup>	5,000	3,100	2,800	5,200	4,900	6,000	1,600	900
Unmarried, no dependents	4,900	2,900	2,400	5,200	4,800	6,700	1,500	900
Married, no dependents	4,500	2,300	‡	5,500	4,900	6,600	1,800	900
Unmarried with dependents	5,300	3,400	2,800	5,200	5,000	6,500	1,600	1,000
Married with dependents	4,800	3,000	3,300	5,300	4,900	4,900	1,800	900

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.7-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$5,100	\$4,400	\$2,500	\$3,300	\$4,400	‡	\$1,600	\$1,000
\$20,000–39,999	4,700	4,000	2,600	3,300	4,100	2,800	1,600	1,000
\$40,000–59,999	3,700	2,800	2,400	3,800	3,300	‡	1,500	1,000
\$60,000–79,999	3,500	2,200	2,800	3,900	3,600	‡	1,800	1,100
\$80,000–99,999	3,500	2,200	‡	4,100	4,000	‡	1,900	1,400
\$100,000 or more	3,600	2,500	‡	4,000	4,300	‡	1,800	1,800
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	5,400	3,500	2,500	5,100	5,200	6,300	1,600	900
\$10,000–19,999	5,300	3,200	2,700	5,200	4,800	6,000	1,600	900
\$20,000–29,999	4,900	2,900	3,400	5,200	4,800	7,100	1,500	900
\$30,000–49,999	4,500	2,600	‡	5,600	4,700	5,200	1,500	900
\$50,000 or more	4,000	1,900	‡	5,400	4,500	6,000	1,900	1,100
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	5,200	3,900	2,600	4,500	4,700	5,300	1,600	1,000
Middle 50 percent	4,600	3,000	2,800	4,700	4,400	5,700	1,600	1,000
Highest 25 percent	3,900	2,100	3,000	5,000	4,500	5,700	1,700	1,300
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	5,200	3,500	2,900	4,900	4,800	5,400	1,600	1,000
Worked part time	4,700	3,300	2,400	4,600	4,600	5,500	1,600	1,000
Worked full time	4,200	2,700	2,600	4,600	4,200	5,900	1,600	1,000
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	7,600	3,000	‡	5,500	4,900	6,900	1,700	800
Military service members								
Active duty	4,100	2,700	‡	‡	‡	3,700	‡	‡
Reserves	7,200	2,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	4,600	3,300	2,700	4,700	4,600	3,000	1,600	1,000
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	4,800	3,400	2,600	4,700	4,500	5,100	1,600	1,000
Some postsecondary education	4,900	3,300	2,600	4,700	4,600	6,400	1,600	1,100
Bachelor's degree or higher	4,400	3,000	3,100	4,600	4,600	5,000	1,700	1,000
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	4,500	3,200	2,800	4,400	4,200	4,900	1,800	900
Second year	5,400	3,500	2,800	5,100	5,200	6,400	1,400	1,200
Third year	4,400	3,100	‡	4,300	4,900	‡	1,200	1,000
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	4,700	3,200	2,700	4,700	4,600	5,600	1,600	1,000

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

**Table 3.7-B.**

**AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$4,800	†	\$2,800	\$4,500	\$4,500	\$5,700	\$2,100	‡
Received grant	4,700	3,200	2,700	4,800	4,600	5,500	1,600	1,000
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	3,500	3,200	2,800	†	3,100	5,600	1,700	1,000
Received loan	7,500	3,500	2,600	4,700	6,800	5,900	1,300	1,200

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.7-B.

Standard errors for table 3.7-B: AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$350</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	130	80	140	80	90	590	100	90
Full-time/part-year	120	80	570	110	80	730	130	280
Part-time/full-year	100	60	240	80	80	530	90	50
Part-time/part-year	100	60	450	120	90	830	120	60
Housing								
On campus	390	420	†	270	320	†	540	450
Off campus	90	50	190	80	100	450	100	60
Living with parents	100	60	190	90	100	530	60	50
Price of attendance								
Less than \$5,000	50	30	230	60	50	200	70	40
\$5,000–7,999	110	70	200	70	90	460	80	80
\$8,000–11,999	310	200	350	260	240	1,590	260	240
\$12,000 or more	810	460	520	310	290	3,310	410	1,270
Sex								
Male	90	50	210	70	80	440	90	50
Female	90	60	180	60	100	500	70	70
Race/ethnicity								
White	80	50	170	70	100	420	70	60
Black	140	90	350	120	150	740	160	200
Hispanic	130	80	290	150	90	1,490	80	70
Asian	200	170	380	290	200	†	100	70
American Indian	590	470	†	570	390	†	250	160
Pacific Islander	710	390	†	†	480	†	†	120
Two or more races	220	160	†	210	180	†	110	170
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	120	110	220	100	80	570	90	90
19–23 years	90	60	200	60	80	880	70	70
24–29 years	140	70	400	100	130	650	110	90
30–39 years	130	70	280	120	150	720	130	100
40 years or older	140	90	360	150	160	590	170	70
Dependency status								
Dependent	90	70	180	60	70	340	80	60
Independent	90	50	200	70	110	380	100	80
Unmarried, no dependents	120	60	210	100	120	880	90	90
Married, no dependents	250	130	†	260	230	1,010	230	130
Unmarried with dependents	140	80	270	130	160	870	100	140
Married with dependents	140	70	420	150	140	540	180	80

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Table S3.7-B.

Standard errors for table 3.7-B: AID AMOUNT AT PUBLIC 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid in public 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$110	\$100	\$430	\$100	\$90	†	\$100	\$90
\$20,000–39,999	120	100	230	130	100	750	80	110
\$40,000–59,999	130	100	360	130	100	†	110	80
\$60,000–79,999	160	130	400	160	130	†	230	90
\$80,000–99,999	180	200	†	170	160	†	260	250
\$100,000 or more	190	250	†	190	190	†	250	270
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	130	80	210	120	140	1,140	140	90
\$10,000–19,999	150	90	350	160	130	1,180	100	120
\$20,000–29,999	170	90	830	180	130	1,430	120	120
\$30,000–49,999	160	110	†	180	170	490	130	130
\$50,000 or more	180	90	†	210	180	730	200	190
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	100	70	210	100	100	1,010	70	70
Middle 50 percent	90	50	180	70	90	550	90	50
Highest 25 percent	120	80	600	140	140	550	130	160
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	90	70	180	80	100	450	80	50
Worked part time	90	60	190	80	90	610	80	50
Worked full time	100	60	540	90	100	720	90	170
Military status								
Veterans	340	150	†	300	240	410	150	80
Military service members								
Active duty	430	400	†	†	†	800	†	†
Reserves	1,810	550	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	70	40	150	50	80	410	70	50
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	90	60	210	70	90	510	70	60
Some postsecondary education	110	60	190	90	110	760	80	90
Bachelor's degree or higher	110	70	310	110	90	560	110	70
Undergraduate class level								
First year	70	50	190	60	80	410	100	60
Second year	120	70	190	80	100	640	60	90
Third year	210	150	†	280	220	†	120	120
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	70	40	140	50	80	350	70	50

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$170	†	\$410	\$100	\$110	\$540	\$400	†
Received grant	70	40	150	50	90	520	70	50
Loan status								
No loan	60	50	190	†	50	380	90	50
Received loan	130	70	140	50	110	1,040	60	120

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.8-A.

**AID AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in private nonprofit 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>86.1</b>	<b>76.3</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>62.3</b>	<b>67.4</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>58.4</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	91.4	85.7	33.7	68.0	74.8	2.2	25.5	74.7
Full-time/part-year	82.7	68.5	15.0	60.6	63.9	3.0	19.0	42.9
Part-time/full-year	82.8	67.2	7.3	62.5	68.2	2.0 !	13.8	27.2
Part-time/part-year	65.5	44.8	3.4 !	34.9	33.6	9.6 !	7.2	18.8
Housing								
On campus	89.5	84.4	39.8	64.2	70.6	1.1	22.1	76.9
Off campus	79.8	66.8	10.7	58.9	61.9	4.4	19.4	39.9
Living with parents	87.9	73.4	14.1	62.9	68.7	5.5	21.6	47.8
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	61.3	41.4	‡	31.5	28.9	8.9 !	4.5 !	13.8
\$11,000–17,999	80.2	63.6	3.6	56.8	61.8	3.7 !	15.5	25.1
\$18,000–22,999	85.9	65.2	10.6	63.8	67.4	4.7 !	20.2	33.9
\$23,000 or more	90.7	85.0	33.4	67.5	74.0	2.1	24.7	73.8
Sex								
Male	85.1	74.7	25.3	60.0	65.4	4.4	19.2	60.3
Female	86.8	77.4	24.1	64.0	69.0	2.2	22.7	57.0
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	85.4	75.5	23.9	60.1	64.2	3.0	18.9	60.6
Black	91.7	82.0	19.8	75.7	83.0	4.5	28.8	47.7
Hispanic	89.3	78.2	31.0	69.1	78.4	3.5 !	28.9	56.5
Asian	76.6	68.5	31.2	44.0	51.2	‡	16.1	60.9
American Indian	98.2	96.6	‡	78.7	95.6	#	‡	77.6
Pacific Islander	78.7	64.2	16.4 !	62.3	65.1	‡	‡	48.8 !
Two or more races	86.6	77.4	27.9	66.0	65.9	‡	22.0	58.7
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	91.1	87.2	35.6	66.1	73.4	0.7	27.9	78.2
19–23 years	87.5	81.3	32.0	62.2	68.5	1.2	22.9	71.1
24–29 years	83.5	65.9	8.0	62.1	65.7	7.4	14.3	30.8
30–39 years	81.9	58.6	3.5 !	65.4	68.0	9.0	18.6	21.1
40 years or older	77.4	58.3	2.3 !	54.4	54.4	8.7 !	10.9	19.4
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	88.2	82.5	33.1	63.7	69.7	0.7	23.6	73.5
Independent <sup>9</sup>	81.6	63.4	7.1	59.3	62.8	8.3	16.1	27.4
Unmarried, no dependents	83.6	65.3	13.9	64.2	64.4	6.7	14.8	37.8
Married, no dependents	71.2	46.4	5.1 !	50.0	54.5	‡	9.0 !	28.2
Unmarried with dependents	89.9	80.5	3.8 !	66.0	72.0	8.2	25.0	26.2
Married with dependents	76.0	52.8	1.9 !	50.7	56.0	12.2	13.0	14.4

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.8-A.

**AID AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in private nonprofit 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	92.8	91.8	38.8	69.0	84.4	‡	40.2	70.7
\$20,000–39,999	94.1	92.2	43.1	72.3	85.1	‡	39.1	78.2
\$40,000–59,999	96.7	95.4	43.9	79.2	89.5	1.7 !	41.2	80.6
\$60,000–79,999	88.4	81.5	35.6	68.4	69.6	0.8 !	24.4	75.8
\$80,000–99,999	85.0	75.4	33.4	66.0	67.9	‡	17.4	72.0
\$100,000 or more	83.0	74.7	23.1	51.3	53.7	0.6 !	8.9	69.9
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	87.5	79.7	17.1	65.3	72.7	8.0	25.2	44.8
\$10,000–19,999	85.5	73.3	7.8 !	68.3	72.3	‡	16.2	30.9
\$20,000–29,999	87.0	67.5	6.8	63.7	68.9	13.8	17.3	27.5
\$30,000–49,999	80.4	61.4	1.2 !	60.8	60.1	6.0 !	20.8	21.7
\$50,000 or more	72.0	41.5	1.1 !	45.1	46.6	11.4	4.3 !	12.8
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	90.8	86.5	31.7	69.6	81.0	3.7	35.0	63.1
Middle 50 percent	89.3	80.6	28.3	68.5	73.0	2.6	24.9	61.8
Highest 25 percent	78.7	64.1	15.1	48.9	51.5	3.7	7.7	50.9
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	86.4	79.0	32.5	61.5	68.0	1.9	21.8	65.8
Worked part time	88.0	79.3	22.4	66.1	70.1	3.0	22.8	62.8
Worked full time	81.2	62.0	6.1	56.6	60.1	7.2	15.8	28.0
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	90.3	47.4	6.3 !	37.0	38.5	66.7	12.6 !	19.7 !
Military service members								
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	86.0	77.4	25.4	63.6	68.8	0.8	21.6	60.0
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	89.0	78.3	20.0	73.7	78.6	3.3 !	29.9	50.1
Some postsecondary education	87.3	77.7	25.2	67.9	72.6	3.8	24.5	57.3
Bachelor's degree or higher	84.3	74.8	26.5	55.0	60.3	2.9	15.5	63.0
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	86.3	80.7	25.5	60.7	67.8	2.2	23.5	63.4
Second year	89.2	77.7	28.9	64.4	71.1	3.6 !	22.7	60.3
Third year	87.5	79.7	23.0	65.4	70.2	3.7	21.6	58.4
Fourth year or more	85.8	74.0	24.3	62.7	67.9	3.4	19.8	56.8
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	88.6	28.6	72.3	78.3	3.7	24.6	67.9

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.8-A.

**AID AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in private nonprofit 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	41.3	†	4.9	31.8	28.5	6.7	‡	1.8 !
Received grant	100.0	100.0	30.7	71.7	79.5	2.1	27.6	76.1
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	63.1	57.1	12.6	†	19.5	5.9	10.4	44.0
Received loan	100.0	87.9	31.9	100.0	96.5	1.5	27.6	67.2

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.8-A.

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>0.42</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>1.11</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	0.56	0.78	0.91	0.94	0.80	0.31	0.91	0.97
Full-time/part-year	2.37	2.68	1.88	2.73	3.12	0.81	2.72	3.25
Part-time/full-year	2.48	3.01	1.15	3.03	2.79	0.72	1.84	2.79
Part-time/part-year	3.19	4.15	1.12	3.39	3.71	3.29	1.68	3.13
Housing								
On campus	0.78	1.08	1.19	1.16	0.96	0.23	1.03	1.29
Off campus	1.73	1.94	1.00	1.56	2.00	0.80	1.31	2.07
Living with parents	1.39	2.14	1.28	1.64	1.72	1.60	1.46	1.94
Price of attendance								
Less than \$20,000	3.99	4.75	†	3.63	3.96	3.40	1.82	3.01
\$20,000–34,999	2.84	2.80	0.65	3.40	3.44	1.22	2.37	2.58
\$35,000–47,999	2.55	3.57	2.13	3.05	3.65	1.53	2.56	2.97
\$48,000 or more	0.58	0.77	0.95	0.89	0.82	0.28	0.84	1.04
Sex								
Male	1.07	1.44	1.22	1.16	1.38	0.71	0.99	1.65
Female	0.85	1.03	0.89	0.99	1.01	0.45	0.96	1.32
Race/ethnicity								
White	0.79	1.06	0.95	0.81	0.98	0.47	0.78	1.32
Black	1.85	1.85	1.54	2.30	2.20	1.18	2.04	2.75
Hispanic	1.96	2.80	2.78	2.97	2.62	1.42	3.01	3.61
Asian	2.95	3.17	3.12	3.27	3.50	†	2.47	3.15
American Indian	1.65	2.76	†	9.09	2.79	†	†	9.52
Pacific Islander	13.98	14.71	8.19	13.49	13.56	†	†	14.81
Two or more races	4.18	4.98	3.74	5.43	5.44	†	3.57	5.35
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	1.04	1.09	1.51	1.65	1.49	0.17	1.37	1.59
19–23 years	0.85	1.03	1.09	0.96	0.89	0.26	0.92	1.31
24–29 years	2.72	3.23	1.36	3.09	3.11	1.69	1.78	2.80
30–39 years	2.94	3.42	1.18	3.33	3.27	2.41	2.35	2.97
40 years or older	3.31	4.49	0.88	3.88	5.10	2.74	2.38	3.35
Dependency status								
Dependent	0.76	0.93	0.98	0.94	0.80	0.13	0.84	1.20
Independent	1.49	2.03	0.77	1.77	2.21	1.39	1.26	1.90
Unmarried, no dependents	2.39	3.34	1.88	2.89	3.39	1.40	1.90	2.85
Married, no dependents	5.37	5.33	1.59	4.93	5.53	†	2.73	4.46
Unmarried with dependents	2.26	2.97	1.20	3.79	3.78	2.22	2.51	3.99
Married with dependents	3.45	4.15	0.77	3.70	3.92	3.07	2.51	2.77

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	1.97	2.00	3.21	3.07	2.63	†	3.09	3.30
\$20,000–39,999	1.60	1.83	2.54	2.73	2.49	†	2.81	2.47
\$40,000–59,999	1.63	1.75	3.01	3.04	2.55	0.70	2.50	2.96
\$60,000–79,999	2.32	2.78	2.76	2.61	2.55	0.31	2.34	2.87
\$80,000–99,999	2.55	2.88	3.09	2.91	2.84	†	1.77	2.99
\$100,000 or more	1.18	1.59	1.27	1.49	1.51	0.22	0.77	1.64
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	2.84	3.30	2.30	3.34	3.56	1.75	2.88	3.64
\$10,000–19,999	4.56	4.65	2.35	5.06	4.58	†	3.21	4.64
\$20,000–29,999	2.96	4.61	2.00	5.29	5.32	4.08	2.91	5.11
\$30,000–49,999	4.32	5.76	0.53	5.36	5.16	2.29	3.32	3.85
\$50,000 or more	3.64	3.92	0.52	4.08	4.05	3.07	1.32	2.54
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	1.27	1.67	1.85	1.81	1.70	0.77	1.68	2.39
Middle 50 percent	0.88	1.11	1.14	1.07	1.13	0.57	1.07	1.41
Highest 25 percent	1.47	1.68	1.02	1.39	1.38	0.89	0.74	1.76
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	0.91	1.07	1.22	1.14	1.14	0.35	0.95	1.43
Worked part time	1.21	1.46	1.25	1.33	1.33	0.59	1.14	1.78
Worked full time	2.20	2.65	1.02	2.51	2.60	1.79	1.52	2.37
Military status								
Veterans	4.57	10.43	3.07	8.15	8.21	7.79	5.81	7.75
Military service members								
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	0.63	0.78	0.76	0.50	0.62	0.13	0.72	1.07
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	1.37	2.04	1.50	1.81	1.96	1.02	1.62	2.44
Some postsecondary education	1.73	1.80	1.36	1.57	1.60	0.77	1.52	2.04
Bachelor's degree or higher	1.04	1.34	1.11	0.95	1.05	0.60	0.75	1.58
Undergraduate class level								
First year	1.50	1.48	1.13	1.38	1.24	0.45	1.37	2.01
Second year	1.58	2.22	2.00	1.79	1.82	1.29	1.63	2.83
Third year	1.57	1.66	1.62	1.63	1.67	0.77	1.56	2.49
Fourth year or more	1.32	1.61	1.28	1.61	1.56	0.77	1.28	1.75
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	0.68	0.86	0.68	0.75	0.56	0.80	1.12

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.8-A.

Standard errors for table 3.8-A: AID AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates in private nonprofit 4-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	1.81	†	1.02	1.90	1.96	1.74	†	0.69
Received grant	†	†	0.94	0.86	0.78	0.29	0.90	1.09
Loan status								
No loan	1.66	2.04	1.10	†	1.46	1.19	1.16	1.92
Received loan	†	0.78	0.96	†	0.53	0.25	0.92	1.20

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.8-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$22,500</b>	<b>\$14,900</b>	<b>\$2,100</b>	<b>\$8,500</b>	<b>\$11,700</b>	<b>\$9,700</b>	<b>\$3,400</b>	<b>\$13,300</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	27,800	18,300	2,200	9,100	13,000	13,400	3,900	14,800
Full-time/part-year	13,700	8,400	1,700	6,600	8,100	‡	2,100	8,200
Part-time/full-year	13,600	6,700	2,800	9,200	10,800	‡	2,000	7,900
Part-time/part-year	7,200	4,000	‡	6,200	7,100	‡	2,200	4,900
Housing								
On campus	28,000	19,000	2,100	8,200	12,500	14,600	4,000	15,300
Off campus	17,800	10,500	2,300	9,100	11,500	9,400	2,800	10,200
Living with parents	17,400	11,200	2,200	8,400	10,500	8,100	3,100	10,800
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	4,900	2,600	‡	4,900	5,100	‡	1,300	3,000
\$11,000–17,999	9,000	4,200	3,100	7,100	7,900	‡	1,700	3,600
\$18,000–22,999	11,800	6,300	1,800	8,300	9,300	‡	2,400	5,000
\$23,000 or more	27,600	18,000	2,100	9,000	12,900	14,300	3,800	14,700
Sex								
Male	22,700	15,200	2,200	8,300	11,700	10,100	3,300	13,300
Female	22,300	14,700	2,100	8,700	11,800	9,000	3,500	13,300
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	21,800	14,500	2,100	8,600	11,100	9,600	3,200	12,900
Black	21,200	12,300	2,200	8,500	12,900	7,100	2,900	11,900
Hispanic	25,900	17,700	2,200	8,200	12,700	‡	4,800	15,400
Asian	25,500	19,700	2,200	7,900	11,800	‡	4,900	16,300
American Indian	26,700	15,800	‡	‡	11,700	‡	‡	12,000
Pacific Islander	25,900	18,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	24,500	15,700	2,100	9,400	13,000	‡	2,600	14,300
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	27,700	18,800	1,900	7,500	12,800	‡	3,900	14,600
19–23 years	25,500	16,900	2,200	8,400	12,100	11,900	3,600	14,100
24–29 years	15,200	8,600	2,400	9,500	10,400	9,900	3,000	7,900
30–39 years	13,200	6,700	‡	9,100	10,400	8,900	2,000	6,500
40 years or older	10,900	4,800	‡	8,900	9,800	‡	2,400	4,300
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	26,300	17,500	2,100	8,200	12,400	13,000	3,700	14,400
Independent <sup>9</sup>	14,000	7,800	2,200	9,200	10,200	9,100	2,600	7,400
Unmarried, no dependents	16,400	9,900	1,900	9,600	10,800	10,500	2,900	8,400
Married, no dependents	14,100	8,900	‡	9,800	9,500	‡	‡	8,300
Unmarried with dependents	13,000	6,300	‡	8,800	10,700	‡	2,500	5,700
Married with dependents	11,400	5,900	‡	8,800	9,200	7,700	2,500	6,100

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.8-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$28,000	\$20,200	\$2,000	\$7,000	\$12,800	‡	\$4,400	\$15,000
\$20,000–39,999	28,700	20,800	2,000	7,500	13,000	‡	4,000	15,500
\$40,000–59,999	28,400	18,200	2,200	7,800	12,300	‡	3,300	15,100
\$60,000–79,999	26,400	17,200	2,100	8,400	11,900	‡	3,400	14,200
\$80,000–99,999	26,000	16,200	2,000	8,800	11,800	‡	3,400	13,800
\$100,000 or more	24,000	15,300	2,300	8,900	12,200	‡	3,300	13,700
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	19,300	11,600	1,800	9,400	11,600	‡	3,000	9,600
\$10,000–19,999	14,200	7,600	‡	9,000	10,700	‡	2,400	7,000
\$20,000–29,999	12,400	5,900	‡	8,600	9,500	‡	2,500	5,300
\$30,000–49,999	12,200	6,200	‡	8,900	9,400	‡	2,300	5,400
\$50,000 or more	9,900	4,200	‡	9,800	9,100	8,100	‡	5,100
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	25,700	17,800	2,000	8,000	12,700	10,100	4,000	13,800
Middle 50 percent	23,000	14,800	2,100	8,500	11,600	9,600	3,200	13,400
Highest 25 percent	19,600	12,700	2,300	9,000	11,200	9,500	3,000	12,700
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	25,000	16,900	2,200	8,400	12,000	13,700	3,600	14,400
Worked part time	23,300	15,000	2,000	8,700	12,100	8,800	3,400	12,800
Worked full time	12,900	7,200	1,900	8,500	9,800	7,400	2,700	7,900
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	14,900	5,700	‡	10,500	11,400	9,800	‡	6,100
Military service members								
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	22,800	15,100	2,100	8,500	11,700	11,000	3,400	13,400
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	20,900	13,200	2,000	8,200	11,500	10,700	3,400	12,000
Some postsecondary education	22,700	13,900	2,100	8,700	12,400	9,100	3,400	12,400
Bachelor's degree or higher	23,200	16,200	2,200	8,600	11,500	9,000	3,400	14,200
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	22,600	15,300	1,900	7,300	11,100	9,100	3,500	13,100
Second year	23,200	15,600	2,000	8,200	11,800	‡	3,800	14,200
Third year	22,900	14,900	2,300	8,700	12,000	‡	3,300	13,800
Fourth year or more	22,400	14,300	2,300	9,500	12,000	10,000	3,100	12,900
Total aid status								
No aid	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Received aid	22,500	14,900	2,100	8,500	11,700	9,700	3,400	13,300

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 3.8-B.**

**AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$10,900	†	\$2,500	\$9,500	\$10,100	\$8,200	‡	‡
Received grant	24,000	14,900	2,100	8,400	11,900	11,200	3,400	13,300
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	15,600	15,000	2,500	†	4,900	8,500	3,200	13,700
Received loan	25,100	14,800	2,000	8,500	12,500	12,300	3,500	13,200

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.8-B.

Standard errors for table 3.8-B: AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$290</b>	<b>\$260</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$110</b>	<b>\$180</b>	<b>\$1,150</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$250</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	310	280	70	150	210	1,430	120	270
Full-time/part-year	750	600	150	270	410	†	160	710
Part-time/full-year	590	500	340	260	360	†	170	810
Part-time/part-year	620	470	†	420	460	†	490	740
Housing								
On campus	400	390	80	120	230	2,640	140	350
Off campus	490	420	110	210	340	1,190	170	460
Living with parents	500	450	130	260	270	1,970	180	510
Price of attendance								
Less than \$20,000	320	260	†	320	380	†	220	570
\$20,000–34,999	280	240	490	230	260	†	220	380
\$35,000–47,999	390	330	280	240	310	†	180	370
\$48,000 or more	320	260	70	140	210	1,480	120	250
Sex								
Male	530	430	80	130	250	1,440	150	390
Female	360	290	80	170	250	1,570	110	280
Race/ethnicity								
White	370	320	90	140	210	1,640	110	300
Black	770	670	130	210	420	1,300	180	720
Hispanic	1,170	1,090	130	270	550	†	410	710
Asian	1,480	1,280	130	780	850	†	450	1,000
American Indian	3,730	2,460	†	†	1,670	†	†	2,650
Pacific Islander	4,300	3,990	†	†	†	†	†	†
Two or more races	1,740	1,320	220	770	840	†	400	1,090
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	580	430	60	180	270	†	130	340
19–23 years	390	320	70	180	270	2,830	120	310
24–29 years	840	890	400	360	410	2,100	330	650
30–39 years	690	600	†	430	360	1,510	240	1,070
40 years or older	610	550	†	380	360	†	340	850
Dependency status								
Dependent	350	290	70	140	240	2,820	110	280
Independent	440	440	140	210	200	1,160	160	520
Unmarried, no dependents	840	870	190	350	380	2,270	290	700
Married, no dependents	1,360	1,620	†	640	500	†	†	1,630
Unmarried with dependents	750	510	†	420	370	†	250	930
Married with dependents	740	880	†	480	350	1,310	370	910

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.8-B.

Standard errors for table 3.8-B: AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$1,100	\$1,090	\$130	\$220	\$500	†	\$260	\$750
\$20,000–39,999	970	870	150	220	410	†	190	850
\$40,000–59,999	900	680	140	270	450	†	180	520
\$60,000–79,999	970	790	120	280	510	†	300	590
\$80,000–99,999	830	700	100	330	620	†	380	520
\$100,000 or more	550	440	110	350	480	†	290	390
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	1,130	970	160	440	440	†	250	940
\$10,000–19,999	1,080	870	†	450	590	†	320	710
\$20,000–29,999	980	660	†	450	540	†	290	990
\$30,000–49,999	970	1,060	†	560	440	†	370	1,600
\$50,000 or more	510	540	†	440	370	1,090	†	950
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	770	730	110	210	290	2,560	170	550
Middle 50 percent	410	330	80	150	230	1,660	110	310
Highest 25 percent	530	470	130	230	370	1,730	280	410
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	420	370	70	140	240	2,470	160	340
Worked part time	530	390	80	210	320	1,260	160	360
Worked full time	510	460	190	250	350	1,180	250	660
Military status								
Veterans	2,170	920	†	1,230	840	1,690	†	1,140
Military service members								
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	290	270	60	120	180	1,940	100	250
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	620	560	90	200	270	1,950	200	570
Some postsecondary education	600	480	130	200	310	1,230	180	430
Bachelor's degree or higher	390	360	60	200	240	1,630	140	360
Undergraduate class level								
First year	520	430	70	140	240	2,770	130	410
Second year	730	550	70	240	360	†	260	440
Third year	660	560	130	220	360	†	200	500
Fourth year or more	570	550	120	270	320	1,850	150	460
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	290	260	60	110	180	1,150	100	250

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.8-B.

Standard errors for table 3.8-B: AID AMOUNT AT PRIVATE NONPROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at private nonprofit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics:

2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$710	†	\$260	\$580	\$610	\$1,620	†	†
Received grant	320	260	60	100	180	1,310	100	240
Loan status								
No loan	590	590	250	†	360	1,300	210	470
Received loan	340	300	40	110	170	1,630	110	300

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.9-A.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 2-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>82.2</b>	<b>64.7</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>64.3</b>	<b>75.5</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.5 !</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	89.2	70.8	2.9	75.1	84.5	6.7	8.1	8.0 !
Full-time/part-year	76.5	57.1	2.9	57.9	66.8	7.2	5.5	6.6 !
Part-time/full-year	92.1	81.5	‡	75.8	89.4	4.3 !	5.1 !	5.2 !
Part-time/part-year	77.6	65.3	‡	50.7	74.9	2.2	3.5 !	2.5 !
Housing								
On campus	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Off campus	81.4	63.1	2.5	62.4	73.9	9.2	7.8	4.8
Living with parents	82.7	66.1	2.5	66.2	76.9	3.3 !	4.4 !	7.8 !
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$13,000	65.0	47.7	1.4 !	39.8	53.9	4.3 !	3.4 !	‡
\$13,000–20,999	85.3	69.6	2.7 !	70.0	79.8	3.0	7.4 !	6.6 !
\$21,000–27,999	92.5	79.2	2.8	74.2	88.3	7.0	8.2	9.6 !
\$28,000 or more	87.3	63.2	3.4	75.3	81.6	11.0	5.5	5.8 !
Sex								
Male	86.0	61.5	2.9	64.7	77.5	13.2	6.2	6.7 !
Female	80.2	66.3	2.4	64.1	74.5	2.6	6.0	6.3 !
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	79.4	58.7	2.0	62.6	70.2	6.7	7.6 !	5.2
Black	81.0	66.8	2.2 !	65.7	76.9	4.7	5.7 !	2.7
Hispanic	89.0	75.8	3.0 !	68.2	85.9	4.5	3.7	‡
Asian	71.7	48.5	‡	58.1	64.4	‡	‡	‡
American Indian	87.3	57.7	#	44.2	67.8	‡	‡	‡
Pacific Islander	87.8	75.9	‡	62.4	87.8	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	86.1	75.5	‡	70.3	81.1	‡	14.2 !	‡
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	83.1	68.1	4.3 !	69.9	78.5	1.3 !	6.4	8.7 !
19–23 years	80.0	61.5	3.4	65.7	74.7	4.1	5.8	5.3 !
24–29 years	82.6	69.4	2.0 !	62.5	77.5	9.5 !	4.9	4.5 !
30–39 years	87.3	67.2	1.9 !	66.8	78.3	10.0	5.3 !	6.9 !
40 years or older	81.4	61.5	0.8 !	57.5	69.9	4.3 !	10.1 !	12.2 !
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	79.1	57.9	2.9	65.9	73.9	1.4 !	6.6	6.1
Independent <sup>9</sup>	83.7	67.9	2.4	63.6	76.3	8.5	5.8	6.6 !
Unmarried, no dependents	86.7	65.0	1.8 !	60.5	76.7	12.7	6.8 !	7.5 !
Married, no dependents	70.8	38.1	‡	52.0	54.2	11.9 !	‡	8.9 !
Unmarried with dependents	83.3	76.5	2.9 !	68.2	80.9	3.0	5.2 !	4.7 !
Married with dependents	85.1	64.9	2.5 !	62.4	74.0	13.2	6.3 !	8.8 !

See notes at end of table.



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Table 3.9-A.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 2-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	84.1	80.2	2.3 !	66.8	82.5	1.2 !	7.7	7.3 !
\$20,000–39,999	81.3	75.6	3.6 !	65.6	80.5	†	8.6	6.4 !
\$40,000–59,999	90.8	74.3	†	80.9	86.8	†	10.4 !	5.6 !
\$60,000–79,999	79.8	38.4	†	66.4	62.3	†	5.5 !	7.1 !
\$80,000–99,999	80.6	17.1 !	†	72.5	76.5	†	†	5.2 !
\$100,000 or more	55.7	†	†	49.2	46.6	†	†	†
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	87.3	77.4	3.4	67.0	82.9	3.8	5.9	6.4 !
\$10,000–19,999	82.5	76.5	2.3 !	63.9	80.1	6.1	5.4 !	†
\$20,000–29,999	84.3	64.7	†	63.3	75.9	17.1	5.8 !	6.0 !
\$30,000–49,999	82.0	49.2	†	60.6	64.6	17.2	4.8 !	6.4 !
\$50,000 or more	72.7	32.6	1.9 !	52.1	52.9	11.4 !	7.7 !	9.3 !
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	85.4	77.5	3.2	66.0	81.7	2.9	6.8	6.7 !
Middle 50 percent	83.6	65.1	2.3	66.1	77.4	8.1	5.8	6.3 !
Highest 25 percent	68.0	28.1	1.8 !	52.7	51.6	7.8 !	5.3 !	6.5 !
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	81.7	65.9	3.6	63.8	76.8	6.7	5.8	6.5 !
Worked part time	80.5	60.9	1.2 !	66.5	74.1	4.0	7.0	4.7
Worked full time	85.8	66.7	1.6 !	62.4	74.1	7.9	5.6	8.9 !
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	98.2	62.2	†	39.3	69.0	77.2	†	†
Military service members								
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	81.1	65.0	2.7	66.2	76.1	1.2 !	6.3	6.7 !
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	86.0	69.7	2.3	66.2	79.5	6.7	7.4	6.7 !
Some postsecondary education	79.7	63.6	2.2	60.6	73.1	5.5	4.4	5.7
Bachelor's degree or higher	75.0	51.3	2.5 !	62.4	66.3	6.5 !	4.6 !	7.5 !
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	84.0	67.8	2.5	66.1	79.2	5.3	4.5	6.5 !
Second year	87.1	64.0	3.4 !	70.5	78.2	9.0 !	13.5	6.9
Third year	93.5	70.0	†	79.6	82.4	†	21.6 !	†
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	78.7	3.1	78.3	91.9	7.5	7.4	7.9 !

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.9-A.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 2-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	49.5	†	2.0 !	40.7	36.8	7.7	‡	‡
Received grant	100.0	100.0	2.8	77.2	96.7	5.4	8.5	9.0 !
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	50.1	41.3	1.0 !	†	36.8	11.3	4.3 !	‡
Received loan	100.0	77.6	3.4	100.0	97.0	3.4	7.1	7.0

† Not applicable.

# Rounds to zero.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.9-A.

Standard errors for table 3.9-A: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 2-year institutions receiving financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>1.54</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>1.36</b>	<b>2.11</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	1.53	2.27	0.53	1.98	2.05	1.51	2.27	2.97
Full-time/part-year	3.48	3.34	0.57	3.10	3.95	1.40	1.41	2.29
Part-time/full-year	2.67	3.42	†	4.79	3.08	1.65	2.01	1.81
Part-time/part-year	4.70	4.18	†	4.57	4.47	0.58	1.12	0.87
Housing								
On campus	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Off campus	2.56	2.05	0.45	1.83	2.62	2.22	1.49	1.20
Living with parents	2.57	2.59	0.47	2.04	2.81	1.07	1.82	3.32
Price of attendance								
Less than \$13,000	5.09	4.50	0.64	3.80	4.95	1.58	1.53	†
\$13,000–20,999	2.44	2.53	0.87	1.93	2.39	0.77	2.72	2.00
\$21,000–27,999	1.52	2.02	0.83	3.07	2.03	1.62	1.90	2.92
\$28,000 or more	2.06	2.32	0.74	2.37	2.32	2.82	0.89	2.05
Sex								
Male	2.18	2.55	0.68	2.25	2.59	2.76	1.56	2.22
Female	2.51	2.11	0.38	1.74	2.59	0.72	1.66	2.26
Race/ethnicity								
White	2.96	2.34	0.50	2.13	2.74	1.65	2.30	1.14
Black	2.98	3.06	0.83	4.02	3.22	1.07	2.18	0.71
Hispanic	2.17	2.65	0.97	3.66	2.29	1.21	1.00	†
Asian	10.89	11.25	†	9.43	12.60	†	†	†
American Indian	12.49	15.83	†	9.42	16.66	†	†	†
Pacific Islander	13.38	13.95	†	13.54	13.38	†	†	†
Two or more races	8.99	8.66	†	11.39	9.24	†	7.03	†
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	4.00	3.98	1.78	4.78	4.69	0.60	1.80	2.78
19–23 years	2.29	2.11	0.62	1.72	2.58	0.88	0.93	1.68
24–29 years	3.31	2.94	0.88	2.72	3.56	3.05	1.34	1.48
30–39 years	2.45	3.17	0.75	3.38	2.56	1.49	2.43	2.73
40 years or older	3.89	3.72	0.40	4.86	4.27	1.47	4.22	5.93
Dependency status								
Dependent	3.05	2.47	0.72	2.98	3.64	0.55	1.17	1.82
Independent	1.98	1.60	0.47	1.36	1.61	1.45	1.66	2.47
Unmarried, no dependents	2.10	2.69	0.78	2.64	2.92	3.24	2.18	2.77
Married, no dependents	7.50	5.86	†	7.23	7.90	4.54	†	4.04
Unmarried with dependents	2.90	2.50	0.91	2.23	2.71	0.70	1.63	1.67
Married with dependents	2.86	4.27	1.14	3.70	3.82	2.53	2.22	4.31

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	3.46	3.51	0.86	3.89	3.12	0.48	1.99	2.44
\$20,000–39,999	4.68	4.34	1.17	4.91	4.63	†	1.94	2.40
\$40,000–59,999	4.06	4.61	†	5.07	4.87	†	3.82	2.44
\$60,000–79,999	6.19	6.62	†	8.41	9.34	†	2.01	3.14
\$80,000–99,999	8.51	5.73	†	9.02	8.78	†	†	2.22
\$100,000 or more	9.05	†	†	8.10	8.56	†	†	†
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	2.04	2.12	1.00	3.01	1.92	1.13	1.54	2.63
\$10,000–19,999	3.30	3.06	0.78	2.82	3.06	1.66	1.68	†
\$20,000–29,999	4.87	3.76	†	4.63	4.83	4.99	2.38	2.40
\$30,000–49,999	4.52	5.81	†	4.98	6.56	3.83	2.37	3.00
\$50,000 or more	7.17	4.69	0.90	7.07	6.77	4.13	3.60	4.00
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	1.37	1.93	0.71	1.91	1.68	0.79	1.48	2.21
Middle 50 percent	2.50	2.01	0.52	1.78	2.65	1.61	1.43	2.38
Highest 25 percent	6.48	4.00	0.75	5.42	5.84	2.62	2.49	2.29
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	1.91	1.75	0.58	1.60	1.79	1.39	1.27	2.56
Worked part time	3.76	3.10	0.51	2.80	3.63	1.18	2.07	1.23
Worked full time	2.74	3.45	0.52	3.09	3.76	1.62	1.59	2.75
Military status								
Veterans	2.49	5.62	†	4.82	5.95	5.89	†	†
Military service members								
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	2.18	1.58	0.37	1.26	2.04	0.35	1.44	2.23
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	1.63	1.78	0.50	1.72	1.76	1.18	2.07	2.06
Some postsecondary education	3.14	2.64	0.61	3.29	3.20	1.42	0.89	1.63
Bachelor's degree or higher	4.68	3.39	0.87	4.04	4.23	2.19	1.46	3.01
Undergraduate class level								
First year	1.91	1.58	0.35	1.32	1.76	0.83	1.07	2.53
Second year	3.39	3.84	1.15	4.10	4.73	3.47	3.75	1.32
Third year	5.96	7.14	†	10.11	9.22	†	6.96	†
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	1.29	0.41	1.46	1.11	1.21	1.60	2.46

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Table S3.9-A.

Standard errors for table 3.9-A: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 2-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	4.38	†	0.69	3.64	3.30	1.77	†	†
Received grant	†	†	0.42	1.85	0.77	1.05	1.64	2.98
Loan status								
No loan	4.98	4.60	0.50	†	4.99	2.33	2.02	†
Received loan	†	1.39	0.54	†	0.86	0.62	1.42	1.72

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.9-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,600</b>	<b>\$3,800</b>	<b>\$3,600</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	<b>\$8,900</b>	<b>\$11,900</b>	<b>\$3,300</b>	<b>\$2,900 !</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	13,300	4,700	4,000	8,400	11,200	13,800	2,700	2,200 !
Full-time/part-year	9,500	3,600	3,600	6,600	7,800	10,500	4,200	3,300 !
Part-time/full-year	10,300	3,400	‡	6,800	8,800	‡	‡	4,500 !
Part-time/part-year	6,500	2,400	‡	5,600	5,900	‡	1,500 !	‡
Housing								
On campus	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Off campus	11,300	3,900	3,900	7,300	9,200	11,800	3,300	2,700 !
Living with parents	9,900	3,700	3,200	7,100	8,600	10,400	3,300	‡
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$13,000	5,000	2,100	‡	4,500	4,400	‡	3,100 !	‡
\$13,000–20,999	9,400	3,800	2,700	6,500	8,100	8,800	3,800	4,100 !
\$21,000–27,999	11,800	4,200	3,600	7,900	10,100	11,800	2,400 !	2,300 !
\$28,000 or more	15,300	4,800	4,100	8,900	11,700	15,900	4,000	3,800 !
Sex								
Male	12,400	3,800	4,900	7,800	9,500	13,100	4,100	2,700 !
Female	9,600	3,800	2,700	6,900	8,600	8,600	2,900	3,000 !
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	10,800	3,800	3,700	7,200	8,900	12,000	3,500	4,400
Black	10,000	3,800	‡	6,800	8,700	11,200 !	1,600 !	1,800
Hispanic	10,700	3,900	4,500	7,500	9,100	12,100	3,300 !	‡
Asian	11,500	3,700	‡	8,000	9,200	‡	‡	‡
American Indian	8,600	3,900	‡	6,600	7,100	‡	‡	‡
Pacific Islander	13,400	4,000	‡	10,400	10,400	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	13,600	4,200	‡	7,100	9,700	‡	‡	‡
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	12,900	4,200	3,900	7,300	11,500	‡	2,800	4,000 !
19–23 years	10,800	3,900	4,000	6,700	9,500	10,100	2,600	2,300 !
24–29 years	10,500	3,700	‡	7,500	8,200	13,400	2,000 !	4,500 !
30–39 years	10,400	3,800	‡	7,700	8,600	12,000	3,200 !	2,300 !
40 years or older	9,600	3,800	‡	7,700	7,900	‡	5,800	‡
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	11,600	3,900	4,200	7,000	10,500	7,900 !	2,300	2,700 !
Independent <sup>9</sup>	10,200	3,800	3,200	7,300	8,200	12,200	3,800	3,000 !
Unmarried, no dependents	10,100	3,500	‡	7,800	7,600	11,800	4,800	3,200 !
Married, no dependents	11,900	4,100	‡	8,800	7,900	16,700	‡	‡
Unmarried with dependents	9,800	4,000	4,200	6,800	8,600	11,500 !	2,200 !	2,100 !
Married with dependents	10,400	3,800	‡	7,400	8,400	11,600	4,800	‡

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 3.9-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$10,600	\$4,300	‡	\$6,500	\$9,400	‡	\$2,100	\$1,800 !
\$20,000–39,999	12,000	4,600	‡	6,900	10,300	‡	2,500 !	2,100
\$40,000–59,999	12,400	2,900	‡	7,400	10,900	‡	‡	‡
\$60,000–79,999	11,800	2,500	‡	8,000	11,600	‡	‡	‡
\$80,000–99,999	12,900	1,900	‡	7,900	11,300	‡	‡	‡
\$100,000 or more	11,900	‡	‡	6,500	12,100	‡	‡	‡
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	9,200	3,900	3,400	6,600	8,000	9,500	2,700	1,900 !
\$10,000–19,999	10,100	3,500	‡	7,400	8,200	13,500	2,700 !	‡
\$20,000–29,999	11,700	4,000	‡	7,700	8,800	12,100	‡	1,600
\$30,000–49,999	11,700	4,200	‡	8,400	8,700	12,400	‡	‡
\$50,000 or more	10,800	3,500	‡	8,600	7,800	14,300	‡	‡
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	9,700	4,100	3,300	6,500	8,600	8,500	2,500	2,000 !
Middle 50 percent	11,200	3,600	3,500	7,600	9,200	12,000	3,200	2,400 !
Highest 25 percent	11,000	3,400	‡	7,800	9,000	14,800	‡	7,200
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	10,500	3,700	3,700	7,000	8,700	12,100	3,300	‡
Worked part time	10,800	4,000	2,100	7,200	9,600	10,600	3,600	1,900
Worked full time	10,700	3,800	‡	7,900	8,700	12,300	‡	4,500
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	15,300	3,500	‡	7,400	6,600	12,600	‡	‡
Military service members								
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	10,200	3,800	3,600	7,200	9,100	9,900 !	3,300	2,900 !
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	10,200	3,800	3,900	7,100	8,700	9,800	3,300	3,200 !
Some postsecondary education	10,800	3,800	4,300	7,400	9,300	14,800	3,000	2,500 !
Bachelor's degree or higher	11,500	3,900	3,400	7,800	9,100	13,300	‡	3,100 !
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	10,300	3,800	3,100	7,100	8,800	10,600	3,800	2,500 !
Second year	12,100	4,200	‡	7,400	9,600	14,300	2,900	3,800
Third year	13,000	3,900	‡	9,700	9,700	‡	‡	‡
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	10,600	3,800	3,600	7,200	8,900	11,900	3,300	2,900 !

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.9-B.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$10,500	†	\$5,000	\$7,700	\$8,700	\$11,800	‡	‡
Received grant	10,700	3,800	3,000	7,100	9,000	11,900	2,800	2,200 !
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	5,800	3,000	‡	†	2,600	12,400	5,800	‡
Received loan	12,000	4,100	3,900	7,200	10,300	11,000	2,400	3,000

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S3.9-B.

Standard errors for table 3.9-B: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 2-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 2-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Total	\$240	\$90	\$500	\$140	\$200	\$920	\$630	\$950
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	410	130	630	240	300	1,850	480	960
Full-time/part-year	390	140	680	250	260	1,270	890	1,210
Part-time/full-year	630	270	†	360	530	†	†	2,160
Part-time/part-year	360	90	†	250	310	†	570	†
Housing								
On campus	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Off campus	450	130	830	130	330	1,150	790	820
Living with parents	260	120	540	220	220	1,560	880	†
Price of attendance								
Less than \$13,000	240	100	†	210	200	†	1,370	†
\$13,000–20,999	310	140	680	280	260	1,730	650	1,320
\$21,000–27,999	390	130	620	220	360	1,740	830	730
\$28,000 or more	520	180	780	320	330	2,010	1,080	1,420
Sex								
Male	500	110	880	190	320	1,050	840	940
Female	230	110	410	190	220	1,200	710	1,110
Race/ethnicity								
White	380	130	530	170	250	1,540	670	840
Black	520	160	†	270	410	4,200	700	390
Hispanic	530	120	1,270	240	460	1,410	1,140	†
Asian	1,180	370	†	1,040	1,010	†	†	†
American Indian	1,040	480	†	780	920	†	†	†
Pacific Islander	2,780	590	†	2,110	1,660	†	†	†
Two or more races	1,530	450	†	940	1,240	†	†	†
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	870	270	610	360	640	†	590	1,740
19–23 years	270	130	750	140	230	2,660	520	710
24–29 years	550	190	†	280	330	1,900	610	1,910
30–39 years	530	190	†	350	390	2,030	1,000	900
40 years or older	570	220	†	420	500	†	1,710	†
Dependency status								
Dependent	340	130	590	170	300	2,810	440	910
Independent	300	100	610	190	240	980	860	1,180
Unmarried, no dependents	530	170	†	340	260	1,650	1,190	1,620
Married, no dependents	840	820	†	800	490	3,090	†	†
Unmarried with dependents	390	130	990	220	300	4,320	730	970
Married with dependents	630	170	†	310	490	1,910	1,420	†

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$460	\$170	†	\$280	\$450	†	\$560	\$670
\$20,000–39,999	600	340	†	270	510	†	890	300
\$40,000–59,999	850	210	†	410	720	†	†	†
\$60,000–79,999	1,220	620	†	690	610	†	†	†
\$80,000–99,999	1,170	390	†	730	810	†	†	†
\$100,000 or more	1,660	†	†	450	1,270	†	†	†
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	360	150	1,000	210	330	2,270	770	950
\$10,000–19,999	500	130	†	270	300	3,200	1,260	†
\$20,000–29,999	730	170	†	400	350	1,630	†	480
\$30,000–49,999	740	460	†	610	480	1,350	†	†
\$50,000 or more	860	800	†	580	480	3,430	†	†
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	300	120	800	170	270	2,380	620	710
Middle 50 percent	340	110	550	150	230	1,200	650	1,000
Highest 25 percent	690	470	†	550	560	2,420	†	1,970
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	320	110	600	180	260	1,360	640	†
Worked part time	400	190	500	210	300	1,370	850	240
Worked full time	430	160	†	280	320	1,810	†	1,200
Military status								
Veterans	950	220	†	470	540	810	†	†
Military service members								
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	210	90	500	140	200	3,320	640	960
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	310	120	940	170	320	1,310	770	1,090
Some postsecondary education	500	110	730	160	290	2,630	410	740
Bachelor's degree or higher	480	200	470	390	280	1,940	†	1,290
Undergraduate class level								
First year	240	100	410	120	190	810	800	1,130
Second year	730	200	†	390	480	2,710	680	1,000
Third year	2,070	370	†	1,210	1,220	†	†	†
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	240	90	500	140	200	920	630	950

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$570	†	\$1,170	\$370	\$370	\$2,080	†	†
Received grant	270	90	410	130	250	950	590	650
Loan status								
No loan	520	170	†	†	150	1,360	1,220	†
Received loan	240	100	510	140	160	1,670	440	750

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.9-C.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 4-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>70.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>75.3</b>	<b>79.5</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>3.4</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	96.7	79.4	2.0	87.6	91.5	10.8	7.4	4.6
Full-time/part-year	85.1	64.0	0.7 !	68.8	72.4	8.8	2.5	2.2
Part-time/full-year	93.6	73.7	1.3 !	82.9	86.0	8.1	8.8	3.8
Part-time/part-year	87.7	67.1	0.6 !	62.4	69.2	12.5	3.5	3.6 !
Housing								
On campus	89.1	66.2	7.4 !	84.5	86.2	2.4	8.2	6.9
Off campus	91.0	70.7	0.9	77.3	81.2	9.9	4.9	3.2
Living with parents	89.0	70.9	1.5	70.0	75.3	10.7	5.2	3.7
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	73.5	53.9	‡	43.7	48.6	11.1	1.6	‡
\$11,000–18,999	94.5	74.5	0.7	82.3	86.2	7.7	3.6	2.4
\$19,000–25,999	97.0	73.6	1.1 !	87.3	91.6	9.3	4.7	2.6
\$26,000 or more	95.8	79.6	2.4	86.6	90.9	12.5	10.1	5.8
Sex								
Male	89.6	65.6	1.6	66.7	71.5	18.6	4.8	4.3
Female	90.8	74.0	0.8	80.9	84.8	4.5	5.2	2.9
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	89.4	67.4	1.1	73.4	77.9	11.0	4.6	3.6
Black	91.2	75.1	0.9	78.0	82.4	8.6	5.0	2.9
Hispanic	93.1	73.2	1.4	79.0	82.1	10.4	6.6	3.7
Asian	82.6	66.4	‡	61.4	65.7	6.8	5.2 !	‡
American Indian	90.7	76.8	‡	69.5	76.1	10.2 !	‡	‡
Pacific Islander	86.3	61.8	‡	71.3	71.2	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	96.5	79.2	1.2 !	83.8	88.0	9.5	4.6 !	4.6 !
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	89.7	75.3	4.4	82.8	86.9	1.1	13.8	7.7
19–23 years	88.3	73.8	1.7	74.9	80.4	7.2	8.1	5.6
24–29 years	91.5	73.1	1.6	75.8	81.1	13.4	5.5	2.6
30–39 years	90.9	69.7	0.5	75.8	78.9	10.0	3.7	2.4
40 years or older	90.1	65.6	0.5 !	73.5	77.0	9.4	2.5	‡
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	89.2	70.5	2.7	81.0	84.5	2.6	11.4	7.5
Independent <sup>9</sup>	90.5	70.7	0.9	74.4	78.8	11.2	4.1	2.8
Unmarried, no dependents	90.7	64.8	1.9	78.1	81.6	11.3	4.9	3.0
Married, no dependents	86.1	45.8	0.8 !	64.5	67.0	13.8	1.3 !	‡
Unmarried with dependents	91.3	82.0	0.6 !	81.0	85.3	6.0	4.7	2.4
Married with dependents	90.5	67.9	0.3 !	63.9	70.0	17.8	3.1	2.9 !

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.9-C.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 4-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	92.3	90.4	2.5	83.6	90.3	1.2	15.7	7.0
\$20,000–39,999	92.1	86.8	2.2	85.9	90.0	2.8	12.3	5.8
\$40,000–59,999	91.0	76.5	3.0	87.2	89.1	2.5	12.9	7.0
\$60,000–79,999	87.1	39.6	3.2	78.5	83.9	5.8	13.9	4.2
\$80,000–99,999	78.7	24.7	3.3	72.8	70.1	5.3	2.7	14.2
\$100,000 or more	82.2	34.7	2.9	65.3	64.2	1.8	1.2	10.3
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	90.9	84.8	1.8	80.9	87.1	6.0	5.0	2.6
\$10,000–19,999	93.1	83.8	0.8	80.7	85.9	11.4	5.0	2.5
\$20,000–29,999	94.2	69.3	1.0	78.6	82.6	12.7	4.8	2.8
\$30,000–49,999	91.1	60.6	0.2	72.5	75.7	11.7	3.0	1.6
\$50,000 or more	82.9	43.0	0.3	54.0	56.1	17.7	1.8	5.0
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	90.3	85.0	1.7	80.4	86.5	5.1	7.1	3.5
Middle 50 percent	92.7	72.8	1.1	79.1	83.3	10.4	5.2	2.9
Highest 25 percent	84.7	47.7	0.5	59.3	61.6	15.4	2.1	4.6
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	90.2	75.0	1.8	77.7	82.5	8.8	5.1	2.9
Worked part time	92.5	75.8	2.0	81.0	85.3	9.0	6.7	4.8
Worked full time	89.5	65.2	0.3	70.8	74.8	11.5	4.2	3.2
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	93.9	54.3	1.4	46.6	57.6	65.9	4.6	3.0
Military service members								
Active duty	97.4	65.3	0.3	8.8	22.5	48.0	0.9	1.5
Reserves	99.1	65.8	#	18.9	58.4	89.6	0.7	3.3
Nonmilitary students	89.7	72.5	1.2	80.7	83.7	2.8	5.2	3.5
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	90.9	73.0	0.9	76.6	80.9	9.2	4.8	3.3
Some postsecondary education	91.6	70.5	1.4	75.4	79.6	11.5	5.1	3.2
Bachelor's degree or higher	88.0	63.9	1.4	71.4	75.6	11.2	5.0	3.9
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	90.3	74.8	0.5	77.8	83.7	7.4	4.0	2.5
Second year	90.9	71.0	1.8	77.9	80.3	10.4	6.0	3.5
Third year	92.4	70.2	1.7	73.9	78.4	13.5	6.5	3.7
Fourth year or more	89.2	60.7	1.5	71.1	73.7	13.1	5.0	4.3
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	78.2	1.3	83.3	88.0	11.1	5.6	3.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 3.9-C.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 4-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	67.1	†	0.6	52.0	48.4	16.4	0.3	0.1
Received grant	100.0	100.0	1.4	84.9	92.5	7.4	7.0	4.8
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	61.0	43.2	0.3 †	†	23.0	26.9	1.7 †	‡
Received loan	100.0	79.7	1.4	100.0	98.2	4.5	6.1	3.4

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Any aid includes all types of financial aid from any source except parents, friends, or relatives. Direct PLUS Loans to parents and other types of aid such as Veterans' benefits and job training funds are included, but federal tax credits for education are not included.

<sup>2</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>6</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.9-C.

Standard errors for table 3.9-C: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Percentage of undergraduates at for-profit 4-year institutions who received financial aid, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0.40</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.57</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>0.61</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	0.47	0.97	0.29	0.89	0.51	1.01	0.57	0.58
Full-time/part-year	1.58	1.85	0.20	1.82	1.65	1.00	0.46	0.41
Part-time/full-year	1.03	2.81	0.40	2.73	2.62	1.20	1.24	1.02
Part-time/part-year	2.09	3.60	0.20	5.28	6.06	1.67	0.85	1.73
Housing								
On campus	3.15	5.84	2.24	3.61	3.74	0.34	2.07	1.73
Off campus	0.92	1.18	0.14	1.91	1.78	0.89	0.49	0.74
Living with parents	1.38	2.35	0.38	5.11	5.37	1.52	1.04	0.72
Price of attendance								
Less than \$11,000	4.21	5.82	†	2.65	3.43	1.38	0.49	†
\$11,000–18,999	0.85	1.23	0.19	1.03	1.57	0.95	0.53	0.64
\$19,000–25,999	0.52	1.18	0.36	1.48	1.08	0.92	0.53	0.59
\$26,000 or more	1.00	1.37	0.29	1.78	1.27	1.32	0.81	0.60
Sex								
Male	1.10	2.29	0.28	1.80	2.47	1.09	0.55	1.14
Female	0.93	1.21	0.15	0.76	0.65	0.53	0.47	0.39
Race/ethnicity								
White	0.64	1.10	0.18	1.24	1.45	1.06	0.43	1.01
Black	1.45	2.10	0.26	0.97	1.15	0.85	0.67	0.41
Hispanic	1.12	1.94	0.29	1.83	1.63	1.26	0.85	0.65
Asian	4.65	6.87	†	3.87	4.94	1.98	2.30	†
American Indian	4.70	6.29	†	6.13	5.59	4.31	†	†
Pacific Islander	7.79	9.69	†	4.49	7.19	†	†	†
Two or more races	1.89	2.85	0.56	3.46	4.76	1.73	1.42	1.93
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	2.62	3.27	1.21	3.06	2.87	0.29	1.69	1.11
19–23 years	1.87	2.07	0.25	2.04	1.45	1.01	0.71	0.67
24–29 years	1.12	1.73	0.37	1.54	1.74	1.29	0.88	0.45
30–39 years	0.95	1.97	0.12	1.30	1.43	0.90	0.41	0.47
40 years or older	1.30	1.50	0.17	2.76	2.78	1.06	0.44	†
Dependency status								
Dependent	1.95	2.26	0.38	2.35	2.00	0.72	0.98	0.89
Independent	0.82	1.42	0.14	0.69	1.03	0.64	0.44	0.66
Unmarried, no dependents	1.32	1.52	0.34	1.97	2.28	0.93	0.64	0.56
Married, no dependents	2.32	3.16	0.29	3.55	4.06	2.71	0.40	†
Unmarried with dependents	1.55	1.63	0.21	1.42	1.69	0.67	0.63	0.40
Married with dependents	1.23	2.51	0.11	2.83	3.36	2.23	0.49	1.26

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.9-C.

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	2.17	2.32	0.69	3.54	1.90	0.52	2.22	1.22
\$20,000–39,999	3.21	3.97	0.98	3.27	3.29	1.77	2.04	1.22
\$40,000–59,999	3.85	4.75	1.33	4.42	4.53	1.39	2.47	1.73
\$60,000–79,999	4.74	5.33	1.39	5.86	5.00	4.34	2.98	1.33
\$80,000–99,999	5.84	7.07	1.30	6.92	7.76	3.53	1.67	7.05
\$100,000 or more	4.75	3.78	1.36	5.66	5.53	1.19	0.91	3.06
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	1.20	1.65	0.35	1.50	1.12	0.64	0.76	0.65
\$10,000–19,999	1.21	2.17	0.24	1.35	1.40	2.05	1.02	0.72
\$20,000–29,999	1.08	1.86	0.42	1.79	2.05	1.37	0.68	0.71
\$30,000–49,999	1.40	3.29	0.10	2.10	2.00	1.43	0.47	0.50
\$50,000 or more	2.20	2.42	0.15	4.15	4.32	2.15	0.40	3.02
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	1.14	1.43	0.31	1.66	1.06	0.55	0.74	0.52
Middle 50 percent	0.93	1.65	0.20	1.18	1.19	0.70	0.61	0.36
Highest 25 percent	1.81	2.47	0.16	3.24	3.42	1.80	0.29	2.17
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	0.96	1.27	0.24	0.92	0.71	0.62	0.58	0.54
Worked part time	1.05	2.31	0.47	1.46	1.53	1.36	0.68	0.78
Worked full time	1.05	2.05	0.07	1.43	1.56	1.01	0.50	0.91
Military status								
Veterans	1.63	3.46	0.41	3.26	3.55	2.79	1.17	0.98
Military service members								
Active duty	2.29	16.05	0.44	4.23	8.04	11.91	0.74	1.22
Reserves	0.54	12.98	†	6.15	10.67	5.01	0.52	2.43
Nonmilitary students	0.91	1.26	0.15	0.55	0.60	0.29	0.45	0.62
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	0.94	1.17	0.17	0.91	1.23	0.64	0.50	0.61
Some postsecondary education	1.10	1.85	0.24	1.02	1.10	1.16	0.61	0.82
Bachelor's degree or higher	1.69	2.94	0.37	1.49	2.00	1.22	0.84	0.85
Undergraduate class level								
First year	1.20	1.76	0.08	1.45	1.08	0.81	0.56	0.46
Second year	1.09	1.44	0.37	1.89	1.92	0.93	0.67	0.58
Third year	1.57	1.75	0.51	2.43	2.75	2.05	0.85	0.69
Fourth year or more	1.23	1.39	0.37	1.89	1.83	1.12	0.69	0.88
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	0.97	0.16	1.11	1.46	0.63	0.50	0.68

See notes at end of table.



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Table S3.9-C.

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	1.69	†	0.12	1.29	1.36	1.29	0.13	0.04
Received grant	†	†	0.20	1.36	1.92	0.58	0.66	0.91
Loan status								
No loan	3.86	4.29	0.10	†	3.04	1.79	0.51	†
Received loan	†	0.67	0.18	†	0.30	0.46	0.52	0.33

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 3.9-D.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,600</b>	<b>\$4,000</b>	<b>\$3,100</b>	<b>\$8,300</b>	<b>\$10,200</b>	<b>\$8,500</b>	<b>\$3,000</b>	<b>\$2,700</b>
Attendance status <sup>5</sup>								
Full-time/full-year	16,300	5,600	3,600	10,400	13,400	12,000	4,000	3,600
Full-time/part-year	9,000	3,400	2,500	6,600	8,000	7,400	2,400	2,200
Part-time/full-year	12,300	4,000	2,400	8,800	11,000	6,800	2,200	3,400
Part-time/part-year	7,100	2,200	2,600	6,200	6,900	5,600	1,800	‡
Housing								
On campus	23,500	6,000	2,200	9,100	19,800	18,800	3,300	8,500
Off campus	11,500	4,100	3,400	8,300	10,100	8,000	2,800	2,500
Living with parents	11,100	3,700	2,900	8,000	9,900	9,400	3,400	2,700
Price of attendance <sup>6</sup>								
Less than \$11,000	4,300	1,800	‡	4,100	4,400	2,600	1,200	‡
\$11,000–18,999	9,200	3,100	2,700	7,100	8,600	5,900	1,300	1,800
\$19,000–25,999	13,200	4,700	3,100	9,500	11,400	8,200	3,000	2,700
\$26,000 or more	18,000	5,900	3,400	10,400	13,800	15,400	4,000	4,100
Sex								
Male	11,700	3,800	3,200	8,400	10,100	9,200	2,900	2,300
Female	11,400	4,100	3,000	8,200	10,200	6,400	3,100	3,100
Race/ethnicity <sup>7</sup>								
White	11,500	4,000	3,600	8,400	10,200	8,400	2,500	2,300
Black	11,100	3,900	2,900	8,000	10,100	7,100	2,500	2,600
Hispanic	12,400	4,300	2,700	8,200	10,400	10,100	5,400	3,400
Asian	10,800	3,800	‡	8,500	9,600	11,100	2,500	‡
American Indian	10,200	3,400	‡	7,700	9,600	‡	‡	‡
Pacific Islander	13,500	5,300	‡	8,600	12,200	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	13,000	4,300	‡	9,200	10,900	8,900	2,200	7,000 !
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	15,400	5,600	2,200	6,800	13,200	9,900	3,800	4,800
19–23 years	13,000	4,600	3,000	7,700	11,300	6,400	4,300	2,900
24–29 years	11,300	3,700	3,200	8,400	9,500	8,900	2,200	3,000
30–39 years	10,900	3,900	3,200	8,400	9,900	7,800	2,000	3,100
40 years or older	10,900	3,900	‡	8,600	10,000	10,300	3,000	‡
Dependency status <sup>8</sup>								
Dependent	15,100	5,200	2,900	7,700	13,000	4,800 !	4,500	3,400
Independent <sup>9</sup>	11,000	3,900	3,200	8,300	9,700	8,600	2,400	2,400
Unmarried, no dependents	11,500	3,700	3,100	8,600	9,400	11,100	2,000	3,500
Married, no dependents	10,200	3,400	‡	9,200	9,300	8,600	1,600	‡
Unmarried with dependents	11,200	4,000	3,200	7,900	10,000	7,200	2,700	2,200
Married with dependents	10,500	3,800	‡	8,500	9,700	7,700	2,300	1,500 !

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Table 3.9-D.

**AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>10</sup>								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$14,200	\$5,900	\$2,400	\$7,000	\$12,000	\$3,300 !	\$5,000	\$4,100
\$20,000–39,999	14,700	5,000	2,900 !	7,500	12,600	‡	5,200	2,500
\$40,000–59,999	17,900	4,300	‡	8,200	15,500	‡	3,900	4,000
\$60,000–79,999	14,500	3,100	‡	8,400	12,400	‡	2,600	4,100
\$80,000–99,999	13,200	2,400 !	‡	7,800	11,600	‡	‡	‡
\$100,000 or more	16,700	6,400	‡	9,200	15,700	‡	‡	4,000
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	11,000	3,900	2,800	7,500	9,600	9,300	2,100	2,200
\$10,000–19,999	12,100	3,900	3,500	8,600	10,300	8,800	2,400	2,400
\$20,000–29,999	11,700	4,200	‡	8,700	10,100	9,100	3,100	3,600
\$30,000–49,999	10,200	3,800	‡	8,200	9,200	8,500	1,800	4,200
\$50,000 or more	9,800	3,400	‡	9,600	9,200	7,800	3,000 !	‡
Income group <sup>11</sup>								
Lowest 25 percent	11,700	4,300	2,500	7,400	10,200	8,600	3,400	2,800
Middle 50 percent	11,900	4,000	3,800	8,400	10,400	8,600	2,900	2,900
Highest 25 percent	10,300	3,500	2,400	9,000	9,500	8,200	2,200	‡
Worked while enrolled <sup>12</sup>								
Did not work	11,400	4,000	3,500	7,700	10,200	8,400	2,800	2,800
Worked part time	12,600	4,200	2,600	8,400	10,800	8,100	3,600	2,800
Worked full time	11,100	4,000	3,000	8,600	9,900	8,600	2,700	2,600 !
Military status <sup>13</sup>								
Veterans	14,400	4,100	‡	8,100	8,800	11,100	2,800	2,100 !
Military service members								
Active duty	4,800	3,200 !	‡	5,400 !	4,200	3,100	‡	‡
Reserves	9,100	2,800	‡	‡	3,600	5,300	‡	‡
Nonmilitary students	11,500	4,100	3,100	8,300	10,400	7,000	3,000	2,800
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>14</sup>								
High school diploma or less	11,100	3,900	3,200	8,000	10,000	7,500	3,000	2,300
Some postsecondary education	12,000	4,200	3,100	8,600	10,500	8,500	2,600	3,300
Bachelor's degree or higher	12,200	4,100	2,900	8,700	10,500	9,800	3,000	3,000
Undergraduate class level <sup>15</sup>								
First year	10,000	3,500	2,700	6,800	8,900	7,900	2,500	2,200
Second year	12,600	4,400	3,100	8,500	10,800	10,700	3,500	3,400
Third year	13,500	4,600	2,900	10,200	12,100	7,700	3,200	2,400
Fourth year or more	13,400	4,800	‡	10,500	11,500	8,000	3,300	3,800
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	11,600	4,000	3,100	8,300	10,200	8,500	3,000	2,700

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Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid <sup>1</sup>	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans <sup>2</sup>	Any federal aid <sup>3</sup>	Any Veterans' benefits <sup>4</sup>	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$9,600	†	\$4,000	\$8,300	\$8,400	\$8,900	‡	‡
Received grant	12,100	4,000	3,000	8,200	10,600	8,100	2,900	2,700
Loan status <sup>2</sup>								
No loan	6,400	3,500	4,900	†	2,500	8,300	2,500	‡
Received loan	12,600	4,100	3,000	8,300	10,800	8,800	3,100	3,200

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‡ Reporting standards not met.

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<sup>3</sup> Federal aid includes all federal grants, loans, work-study awards, federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) job training funds, and Direct PLUS loans to parents. Excludes Veterans' benefits and education tax credit and tax deduction benefits.

<sup>4</sup> Veterans' benefits include benefits to dependents.

<sup>5</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

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<sup>7</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>8</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>9</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>10</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>11</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>12</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>13</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>14</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>15</sup> The 5.3 percent of respondents with unknown class level were included in the total but not shown separately.

NOTE: Average aid amounts in each column are calculated only for students receiving that type of aid. Those not receiving that type of aid (i.e., zero values) are not included in that column's average. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S3.9-D.

Standard errors for table 3.9-D: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$610</b>	<b>\$180</b>	<b>\$450</b>
Attendance status								
Full-time/full-year	270	110	300	140	190	800	260	410
Full-time/part-year	110	70	410	120	160	710	380	350
Part-time/full-year	700	210	720	360	440	1,680	250	860
Part-time/part-year	400	80	590	180	240	930	510	†
Housing								
On campus	1,250	560	540	670	1,380	1,010	730	1,730
Off campus	250	80	280	90	150	500	210	560
Living with parents	1,040	290	380	280	390	1,980	330	330
Price of attendance								
Less than \$11,000	220	90	†	150	170	150	280	†
\$11,000–18,999	150	60	520	130	200	540	140	300
\$19,000–25,999	180	120	550	140	180	720	510	410
\$26,000 or more	300	110	290	150	220	1,040	250	370
Sex								
Male	460	140	280	130	180	740	310	680
Female	120	70	270	60	110	610	210	340
Race/ethnicity								
White	220	80	270	100	150	910	200	600
Black	210	90	450	130	160	860	280	310
Hispanic	400	150	590	210	250	1,200	450	390
Asian	1,750	860	†	1,150	1,150	2,850	680	†
American Indian	880	290	†	610	780	†	†	†
Pacific Islander	1,660	1,200	†	460	820	†	†	†
Two or more races	500	300	†	410	390	1,450	490	2,620
Age as of 12/31/11								
18 years or younger	760	400	470	180	620	2,040	260	480
19–23 years	460	160	340	160	330	850	350	340
24–29 years	320	110	390	140	130	930	240	410
30–39 years	240	120	730	100	110	830	270	700
40 years or older	360	140	†	100	190	1,170	690	†
Dependency status								
Dependent	400	200	300	170	390	1,570	340	420
Independent	240	80	280	60	80	630	180	520
Unmarried, no dependents	380	130	340	160	130	1,380	230	680
Married, no dependents	720	330	†	500	590	1,460	430	†
Unmarried with dependents	210	70	600	130	160	980	300	270
Married with dependents	460	160	†	130	170	790	410	650

See notes at end of table.

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Table S3.9-D.

Standard errors for table 3.9-D: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Dependency status and income level in 2010								
Dependent								
Less than \$20,000	\$720	\$410	\$440	\$220	\$550	\$1,230	\$790	\$810
\$20,000–39,999	630	240	900	250	680	†	850	390
\$40,000–59,999	1,200	450	†	410	1,020	†	940	820
\$60,000–79,999	1,180	440	†	620	1,080	†	630	930
\$80,000–99,999	1,520	860	†	820	1,370	†	†	†
\$100,000 or more	1,280	1,640	†	740	890	†	†	740
Independent								
Less than \$10,000	270	110	420	150	180	1,270	300	460
\$10,000–19,999	320	130	540	180	200	1,500	310	300
\$20,000–29,999	320	120	†	150	180	1,180	550	630
\$30,000–49,999	450	170	†	130	190	1,240	340	1,100
\$50,000 or more	580	390	†	200	160	980	940	†
Income group								
Lowest 25 percent	300	140	310	150	220	1,280	380	450
Middle 50 percent	240	90	310	80	120	720	190	200
Highest 25 percent	490	300	460	140	160	960	590	†
Worked while enrolled								
Did not work	250	130	300	120	190	690	300	530
Worked part time	330	140	340	170	180	1,170	420	270
Worked full time	370	130	370	100	130	930	260	800
Military status								
Veterans	690	290	†	340	430	820	670	830
Military service members								
Active duty	1,000	1,070	†	1,850	940	330	†	†
Reserves	1,120	530	†	†	860	900	†	†
Nonmilitary students	120	60	180	50	100	800	180	450
Highest education attained by either parent								
High school diploma or less	220	90	390	80	140	510	270	340
Some postsecondary education	290	100	400	210	180	840	280	760
Bachelor's degree or higher	430	140	260	170	200	1,410	420	670
Undergraduate class level								
First year	230	110	390	90	160	720	200	330
Second year	360	140	350	110	170	1,150	490	510
Third year	480	170	560	140	220	800	380	350
Fourth year or more	410	200	†	210	220	1,120	520	910
Total aid status								
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	220	80	190	50	90	610	180	450

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S3.9-D.

Standard errors for table 3.9-D: AID AMOUNT AT FOR-PROFIT 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates who received a specific type of aid at for-profit 4-year institutions, by type and source of aid and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Type of aid							
	Any aid	Any grants	Any work-study	Any loans	Any federal aid	Any Veterans' benefits	Any state aid	Any institutional aid
Grant status								
No grant	\$280	†	\$610	\$210	\$200	\$730	†	†
Received grant	280	80	220	60	130	750	180	450
Loan status								
No loan	820	380	740	†	200	800	430	†
Received loan	100	60	180	50	70	910	190	290

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.1-A.

**OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,600</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>	<b>\$7,700</b>	<b>\$10,600</b>	<b>\$11,100</b>	<b>\$13,200</b>	<b>\$16,600</b>	<b>\$12,900</b>	<b>\$12,400</b>	<b>\$9,000</b>	<b>\$8,900</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	13,400	9,900	10,300	12,300	14,700	15,900	20,100	18,300	17,800	13,200	13,100
Full-time/part-year	5,800	5,400	6,700	9,200	8,400	10,500	12,500	10,900	9,700	7,900	7,800
Part-time/full-year	7,200	6,700	7,300	8,800	9,400	10,800	11,700	12,500	12,300	8,400	7,600
Part-time/part-year	4,400	3,700	4,600	5,600	8,700	5,400	7,100	9,100	7,300	4,500	4,300
Housing											
On campus	‡	5,900	9,100	11,400	9,000	16,000	20,600	‡	‡	11,100	14,000
Off campus	9,200	5,900	7,600	10,800	11,900	10,500	14,000	14,300	12,300	9,400	8,300
Living with parents	7,600	6,200	7,400	9,500	8,700	11,000	12,900	10,900	12,400	7,900	7,900
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	3,500	3,600	4,000	4,200	‡	4,500	2,900	4,900	4,400	3,300	3,700
\$7,000–12,999	5,800	6,400	6,200	6,400	7,100	5,300	5,900	5,100	6,600	5,100	6,200
\$13,000–21,999	10,400	10,300	8,800	8,900	9,800	7,900	9,600	8,800	9,200	7,200	9,100
\$22,000 or more	21,800	16,300	14,200	15,400	16,000	16,200	19,900	19,000	17,900	13,900	16,500
Sex											
Male	8,000	6,200	7,800	11,100	12,300	13,300	17,500	12,600	12,800	8,500	9,100
Female	9,100	5,900	7,700	10,100	10,500	13,000	16,000	13,000	12,100	9,300	8,800
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	7,700	6,100	8,200	11,300	12,400	14,200	17,100	12,900	12,400	9,100	9,400
Black	8,400	5,400	5,900	6,500	10,200	7,700	10,800	12,300	13,500	8,500	7,100
Hispanic	9,500	6,000	7,100	9,100	9,500	11,200	13,700	13,000	11,800	8,900	7,900
Asian	‡	7,400	9,700	14,600	‡	20,100	25,200	16,100	12,600	10,800	12,700
American Indian	‡	5,700	6,000	6,300	‡	‡	‡	11,600 !	10,400	7,700	6,900
Pacific Islander	‡	6,800	‡	10,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,700	10,000	8,700
Two or more races	‡	6,500	7,600	8,900	‡	11,200	17,000	14,200	9,000	9,700	8,900

See notes at end of table.



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.1-A.

**OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$7,600	\$6,900	\$8,400	\$11,300	\$12,200	\$14,200	\$18,800	\$13,300	\$13,200	\$10,700	\$10,400
19–23 years	7,500	6,500	8,900	11,800	12,100	15,200	19,000	12,500	12,400	9,500	10,300
24–29 years	10,300	5,700	6,500	7,900	9,900	10,400	12,400	13,200	12,600	8,800	7,400
30–39 years	6,700	5,400	5,600	6,500	11,000	8,400	10,300	13,000	11,500	8,900	7,000
40 years or older	10,500	5,300	5,800	7,200	10,400	7,700	8,700	13,000	12,500	8,800	6,800
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	7,600	6,800	9,100	11,800	13,500	15,300	19,100	11,900	12,900	10,700	10,700
Independent <sup>5</sup>	9,100	5,500	6,200	7,700	10,100	9,100	11,100	13,300	12,100	8,700	7,200
Unmarried, no dependents	9,100	5,700	6,300	7,700	10,800	9,300	12,100	13,100	12,700	8,400	7,300
Married, no dependents	12,900	6,000	6,700	9,900	13,900	9,200	11,800	13,800	12,200	9,900	7,800
Unmarried with dependents	7,300	5,100	5,900	6,500	8,500	8,600	11,300	13,200	12,200	8,600	7,100
Married with dependents	9,100	5,500	6,100	7,400	9,900	9,100	9,400	13,700	11,000	9,000	7,000
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	6,400	5,000	5,600	6,600	8,600	8,100	12,000	11,200	12,200	8,900	6,700
\$20,000–39,999	6,600	5,900	6,800	8,000	9,300	8,800	13,500	11,400	11,600	9,400	7,700
\$40,000–59,999	‡	6,900	8,100	9,100	9,900	10,400	12,400	10,600	10,800	10,200	8,600
\$60,000–79,999	‡	7,600	10,300	12,300	13,500	13,500	17,600	14,100	12,400	12,400	10,900
\$80,000–99,999	‡	7,900	10,200	13,300	‡	15,700	17,700	13,900	13,800	13,200	11,800
\$100,000 or more	‡	8,000	12,200	15,400	19,000	22,400	26,400	14,500	17,800	15,000	15,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	6,300	5,400	6,000	7,200	9,900	9,300	12,600	13,500	11,700	8,200	7,200
\$10,000–19,999	12,100	5,500	5,600	7,300	9,700	7,300	12,100	13,300	13,000	8,400	7,200
\$20,000–29,999	10,300	5,500	6,200	8,100	10,500	8,300	10,300	12,300	12,100	9,000	7,100
\$30,000–49,999	7,400	5,300	6,600	7,600	9,800	10,100	9,200	13,100	12,900	8,900	7,100
\$50,000 or more	12,300	5,800	6,600	8,700	11,800	9,800	10,900	14,100	10,900	9,600	7,500

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.1-A.

**OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$6,300	\$5,300	\$6,000	\$7,000	\$9,900	\$8,700	\$12,600	\$12,600	\$11,800	\$8,500	\$7,100
Middle 50 percent	9,700	6,200	7,800	10,300	10,400	11,500	14,500	12,900	12,300	8,900	8,600
Highest 25 percent	10,800	6,400	9,300	13,800	14,500	18,700	21,600	14,200	14,000	9,900	11,300
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	7,300	6,000	8,000	11,600	12,000	14,100	19,100	12,700	12,500	9,100	9,900
Worked part time	10,300	6,500	8,200	10,400	10,700	13,700	15,700	13,200	12,400	8,900	9,100
Worked full time	8,600	5,600	6,700	8,200	9,300	9,900	10,900	12,900	11,800	8,900	7,100
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	4,900	5,200	6,300	10,500	8,200	7,800 !	13,700	11,300	7,500	6,400
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	3,900	‡	5,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,700 !	5,500
Reserves	‡	4,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,300	5,500
Nonmilitary students	8,600	6,100	7,800	10,700	11,200	13,400	17,000	12,900	12,500	9,200	9,000
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	7,800	5,600	6,700	8,000	10,100	9,100	10,600	13,000	11,900	8,700	7,300
Some postsecondary education	10,600	6,000	7,000	8,700	11,200	10,400	12,900	12,600	12,300	9,000	7,800
Bachelor's degree or higher	9,900	6,700	9,200	12,600	12,400	16,600	20,400	12,400	13,100	9,500	11,200
Total aid status											
No aid	11,000	6,900	10,300	17,400	14,900	24,800	31,200	15,800	16,300	12,500	10,700
Received aid	7,600	5,400	6,500	8,500	10,200	11,500	14,000	12,500	11,500	8,600	8,200
Grant status											
No grant	10,900	6,800	9,700	14,400	13,900	19,700	24,800	14,300	14,400	10,500	10,400
Received grant	7,400	5,300	6,200	8,000	9,900	11,300	13,900	12,500	11,200	8,400	7,900
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	9,500	6,400	9,200	14,800	13,800	20,300	24,400	15,300	14,700	10,000	9,700
Received loan	5,400	4,100	5,400	7,200	8,400	9,100	11,600	12,100	11,100	8,700	7,700

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.1-A.

**OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: In calculating the out-of-pocket net price, all financial aid received, including Direct PLUS Loans to parents of dependent undergraduates, are subtracted from the total price of attendance. Federal education tax benefits are not included in the calculation. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students with zero values for out-of-pocket net price. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S4.1-A.

Standard errors for table 4.1-A: OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$470</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$1,080</b>	<b>\$370</b>	<b>\$460</b>	<b>\$1,010</b>	<b>\$440</b>	<b>\$380</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,220	170	240	190	2,000	550	560	1,100	590	400	130
Full-time/part-year	680	120	260	220	810	700	1,130	1,110	540	250	140
Part-time/full-year	1,050	110	180	180	1,610	750	920	1,620	860	600	100
Part-time/part-year	780	50	140	130	1,560	400	760	1,100	390	370	50
Housing											
On campus	†	330	460	280	270	660	810	†	†	1,000	280
Off campus	760	90	170	180	1,530	470	690	1,430	620	220	90
Living with parents	980	90	220	170	1,050	570	810	560	460	980	100
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	260	40	100	100	†	380	600	570	290	400	40
\$7,000–12,999	500	50	120	130	740	430	570	550	360	260	50
\$13,000–21,999	640	150	210	100	970	380	440	360	370	220	80
\$22,000 or more	1,730	580	430	240	2,380	520	520	1,000	530	300	170
Sex											
Male	970	110	220	200	1,850	540	660	1,800	790	490	110
Female	790	70	190	130	1,180	480	650	1,090	400	330	80
Race/ethnicity											
White	470	90	190	160	2,090	490	530	1,320	600	350	90
Black	2,260	120	310	250	830	410	1,080	1,260	800	420	120
Hispanic	1,010	110	230	250	1,210	1,030	1,060	960	540	360	120
Asian	†	300	410	540	†	1,940	1,890	2,240	1,280	1,840	370
American Indian	†	430	750	790	†	†	†	5,660	1,660	1,180	380
Pacific Islander	†	670	†	1,420	†	†	†	†	1,490	1,130	520
Two or more races	†	240	470	470	†	1,600	2,080	2,300	810	520	290

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-A.

Standard errors for table 4.1-A: OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,380	\$150	\$250	\$270	\$2,700	\$670	\$720	\$1,250	\$1,090	\$840	\$150
19–23 years	460	90	210	170	1,440	500	600	970	550	490	100
24–29 years	1,760	110	240	200	1,210	770	1,530	1,080	580	360	110
30–39 years	1,150	100	300	250	1,730	520	940	1,350	660	380	100
40 years or older	1,680	120	250	290	1,260	520	790	970	750	470	130
Dependency status											
Dependent	560	100	220	160	2,170	510	580	980	640	290	110
Independent	680	80	150	140	810	300	640	1,060	450	390	80
Unmarried, no dependents	1,850	90	260	190	1,700	620	1,210	1,210	610	440	110
Married, no dependents	1,880	200	390	550	3,640	970	1,440	1,490	850	610	190
Unmarried with dependents	1,700	110	230	290	910	530	1,370	1,090	550	380	120
Married with dependents	1,400	110	270	240	1,060	660	860	1,330	710	550	120
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	680	130	260	260	1,140	690	1,440	1,240	770	320	150
\$20,000–39,999	1,280	140	390	270	1,620	700	1,200	860	900	680	150
\$40,000–59,999	†	160	330	240	1,270	650	1,000	1,450	870	900	140
\$60,000–79,999	†	200	410	280	2,700	850	1,330	2,060	970	960	210
\$80,000–99,999	†	240	500	350	†	910	1,170	2,280	1,660	1,590	240
\$100,000 or more	†	230	350	260	4,370	850	1,020	970	1,920	1,120	250
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	910	110	250	260	1,310	740	1,680	1,180	650	380	130
\$10,000–19,999	2,770	130	270	280	1,450	690	1,770	990	610	450	130
\$20,000–29,999	2,460	140	370	450	1,290	830	1,490	1,290	700	490	140
\$30,000–49,999	750	120	400	360	1,640	960	1,210	1,160	840	600	140
\$50,000 or more	2,070	160	290	290	1,460	700	1,020	1,400	920	690	160

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-A.

Standard errors for table 4.1-A: OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$650	\$100	\$170	\$200	\$1,210	\$470	\$1,050	\$1,160	\$490	\$350	\$100
Middle 50 percent	950	70	210	150	830	380	570	1,010	510	370	80
Highest 25 percent	1,270	140	280	230	2,500	830	920	1,010	910	660	190
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	860	90	200	230	1,660	530	640	1,150	530	370	120
Worked part time	990	110	220	140	920	520	720	950	550	300	90
Worked full time	1,280	90	200	180	1,510	410	800	1,060	520	500	100
Military status											
Veterans	†	220	480	500	2,460	1,710	3,150	2,850	1,190	770	270
Military service members											
Active duty	†	480	†	670	†	†	†	†	†	2,130	540
Reserves	†	590	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,430	560
Nonmilitary students	470	70	150	140	1,130	360	470	1,020	440	290	70
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	530	80	180	190	770	340	630	990	470	360	80
Some postsecondary education	1,740	100	190	180	1,210	480	710	1,070	630	410	90
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,360	110	260	200	2,300	640	530	1,020	740	530	130
Total aid status											
No aid	980	150	360	370	2,520	1,810	1,380	1,290	840	750	200
Received aid	730	80	140	120	920	290	400	1,030	430	350	80
Grant status											
No grant	830	120	270	230	1,730	1,180	1,300	1,040	590	460	140
Received grant	750	80	140	130	1,080	290	430	1,050	420	360	80
Loan status											
No loan	590	80	230	230	2,140	890	910	1,020	550	1,000	110
Received loan	770	120	150	120	650	250	360	1,070	460	220	90

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.1-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,400</b>	<b>\$9,900</b>	<b>\$10,300</b>	<b>\$12,300</b>	<b>\$14,700</b>	<b>\$15,900</b>	<b>\$20,100</b>	<b>\$18,300</b>	<b>\$17,800</b>	<b>\$13,200</b>	<b>\$13,100</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	6,800	10,000	11,900	9,300	16,400	21,700	‡	‡	12,700	15,000
Off campus	13,500	9,900	10,800	13,400	16,500	15,000	18,500	19,900	17,900	13,300	12,900
Living with parents	12,700	10,000	10,000	11,200	10,700	14,600	16,600	15,800	18,000	13,200	11,700
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
\$7,000–12,999	‡	6,900	4,700	3,900	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,600
\$13,000–21,999	11,100	10,900	9,000	8,900	10,000	6,300	8,700	9,400	10,500	8,700	9,600
\$22,000 or more	21,700	16,900	14,300	15,300	16,100	16,300	20,400	19,600	19,000	13,900	16,600
Sex											
Male	11,800	10,200	10,600	12,900	16,700	15,500	20,600	18,200	17,900	12,900	13,300
Female	15,000	9,600	10,100	11,800	13,300	16,200	19,600	18,300	17,800	13,400	12,900
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	13,200	9,900	10,900	13,300	17,300	17,100	20,600	19,300	17,400	13,300	13,800
Black	‡	8,900	6,900	7,000	10,800	8,800	13,600	17,200	20,200	13,000	10,000
Hispanic	11,200	9,600	9,600	10,100	9,800	13,700	14,700	17,800	16,700	12,400	11,300
Asian	‡	12,500	13,300	16,600	‡	22,900	28,900	19,100	20,000	18,600	18,300
American Indian	‡	8,800	9,100	6,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	14,600	14,700	10,100
Pacific Islander	‡	10,400	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,200	12,300
Two or more races	‡	9,800	8,500	10,100	‡	13,100	20,600	21,200	12,000	12,400	12,100
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	9,700	9,600	11,900	13,300 !	15,000	20,200	16,400	17,700	15,100	12,900
19–23 years	12,200	10,300	11,100	12,900	15,000	16,600	20,600	17,800	18,300	14,500	13,800
24–29 years	13,900	10,000	8,100	10,200	13,100	13,500	17,300	18,400	18,800	12,800	11,700
30–39 years	10,700	9,000	7,500	8,300	17,800	13,100	11,900	18,900	15,400	12,800	10,900
40 years or older	15,800	8,900	8,700	10,100	14,400	13,900	16,700	19,800	18,000	13,000	12,100

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.1-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$12,400	\$10,200	\$11,000	\$12,800	\$15,100	\$16,400	\$20,600	\$16,200	\$18,500	\$14,400	\$13,800
Independent <sup>4</sup>	13,900	9,500	8,300	10,000	14,400	13,200	16,500	19,100	17,500	13,000	11,600
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	10,300	7,900	9,700	15,400	12,400	17,100	19,800	19,200	12,800	11,500
Married, no dependents	‡	11,800	11,800	14,000	‡	13,800	‡	19,400	16,500	15,100	13,800
Unmarried with dependents	13,600	8,300	8,100	8,200	10,400	12,800	13,500	18,600	16,800	12,800	11,200
Married with dependents	13,700	9,000	7,700	10,000	11,300	15,200	17,000	19,200	16,600	12,900	11,400
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	7,400	6,100	7,000	6,100	8,400	12,600	14,600	17,800	12,500	8,300
\$20,000–39,999	‡	8,600	7,900	8,500	9,600	9,400	14,900	17,400	18,000	13,200	9,700
\$40,000–59,999	‡	10,000	9,400	9,700	11,300	10,500	13,200	15,300	14,200	13,100	10,500
\$60,000–79,999	‡	11,700	12,000	13,400	16,700	14,700	18,600	21,100	17,200	16,400	13,900
\$80,000–99,999	‡	12,200	12,900	14,400	‡	16,800	19,400	15,000	18,300	18,500	15,000
\$100,000 or more	‡	13,000	14,900	17,100	22,100	23,400	27,700	17,600	24,300	19,600	19,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	8,500	8,900	7,400	8,700	13,600	11,900	14,900	19,100	16,800	12,800	10,600
\$10,000–19,999	16,400	9,100	7,800	9,400	12,600	10,000	18,700	18,300	17,900	12,800	11,400
\$20,000–29,999	‡	9,600	8,400	11,300	‡	13,200	‡	19,100	17,000	12,500	11,800
\$30,000–49,999	‡	9,600	9,200	10,600	‡	15,500	‡	21,000	19,400	13,600	12,400
\$50,000 or more	‡	12,000	13,400	15,800	‡	17,500	‡	20,000	16,500	13,500	14,400
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	9,600	8,100	7,000	7,800	11,900	9,600	13,700	18,100	17,600	12,900	9,400
Middle 50 percent	14,200	10,200	10,400	11,800	13,300	13,700	17,300	18,200	17,200	13,000	12,400
Highest 25 percent	‡	12,400	14,600	17,000	21,200	23,200	27,700	20,500	21,200	14,300	18,600

See notes at end of table.



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Table 4.1-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$12,900	\$9,400	\$10,300	\$12,900	\$15,400	\$15,900	\$21,500	\$18,200	\$18,600	\$13,700	\$13,900
Worked part time	13,600	10,100	10,500	11,800	13,600	15,700	18,500	18,000	16,700	12,600	12,500
Worked full time	14,200	10,300	9,800	11,300	13,800	16,300	16,600	19,200	17,700	13,200	12,300
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	7,800	7,100	6,900	‡	12,300	‡	16,400	17,400	12,000	10,200
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	13,900	10,600
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	8,900
Nonmilitary students	13,600	10,000	10,400	12,400	14,900	15,900	20,100	18,300	17,900	13,400	13,200
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	12,100	9,000	8,400	9,200	12,500	11,400	12,700	18,300	17,400	13,200	10,600
Some postsecondary education	16,000	9,600	9,200	9,900	14,500	12,100	14,300	18,300	18,000	12,900	11,000
Bachelor's degree or higher	14,100	11,100	12,400	14,500	17,600	19,100	23,700	17,700	18,100	13,800	15,900
Total aid status											
No aid	17,900	15,000	21,100	25,700	‡	47,900	51,200	27,500	29,700	30,300	24,300
Received aid	11,600	8,200	8,200	9,700	12,700	13,400	16,600	17,900	16,400	12,700	11,100
Grant status											
No grant	17,700	13,800	16,500	19,100	22,600	36,300	42,700	22,500	23,300	16,900	19,800
Received grant	11,400	8,100	7,600	9,100	12,400	12,900	15,800	17,600	15,600	12,300	10,700
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	14,900	11,200	14,800	18,800	21,400	28,300	33,100	22,400	24,900	19,400	17,500
Received loan	7,600	6,000	6,600	8,100	10,200	10,600	13,300	17,500	15,500	12,400	9,700

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.1-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. Averages include students who received no aid. Full-time status for the purposes of financial aid eligibility was based on 12 credit hours, unless the awarding institution employed a different standard. Students attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Estimates include students with zero values for out-of-pocket net price. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.1-B.

Standard errors for table 4.1-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,220</b>	<b>\$170</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$2,000</b>	<b>\$550</b>	<b>\$560</b>	<b>\$1,100</b>	<b>\$590</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$130</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	490	490	360	370	740	870	†	†	1,350	320
Off campus	630	220	280	240	2,910	800	1,020	1,480	910	360	170
Living with parents	2,210	200	410	260	1,400	890	1,160	860	720	860	160
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
\$7,000–12,999	†	140	370	500	†	†	†	†	†	†	130
\$13,000–21,999	1,010	180	250	130	2,110	550	1,640	990	1,150	550	100
\$22,000 or more	2,050	520	460	260	2,480	570	570	1,020	570	350	190
Sex											
Male	1,830	220	390	260	2,400	710	760	1,610	1,170	470	160
Female	1,500	180	320	190	2,380	740	880	1,200	570	430	170
Race/ethnicity											
White	1,120	200	300	210	2,720	650	580	1,520	880	470	160
Black	†	290	660	370	1,560	640	1,770	1,700	810	480	240
Hispanic	1,100	230	420	320	1,120	1,350	1,250	840	860	480	200
Asian	†	470	850	780	†	2,420	2,460	2,210	1,780	1,730	610
American Indian	†	1,100	1,570	1,230	†	†	†	†	1,930	2,310	870
Pacific Islander	†	1,520	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,650	1,060
Two or more races	†	440	700	550	†	1,920	2,550	3,590	2,120	750	510
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	200	290	310	4,200	740	780	1,240	1,580	1,460	220
19–23 years	960	190	310	220	2,140	640	690	1,260	800	630	160
24–29 years	3,420	280	450	380	2,290	1,310	2,870	1,490	750	430	230
30–39 years	1,780	320	800	640	4,000	1,380	2,290	1,150	1,120	620	250
40 years or older	2,370	350	1,130	1,020	2,190	1,320	2,410	1,110	1,190	450	300

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-B.

Standard errors for table 4.1-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$1,100	\$180	\$290	\$200	\$2,850	\$630	\$650	\$1,100	\$1,090	\$530	\$160
Independent	1,800	220	340	310	1,780	710	1,420	1,150	620	400	160
Unmarried, no dependents	†	280	480	390	2,990	1,280	2,210	1,290	1,030	550	240
Married, no dependents	†	470	1,210	880	†	1,900	†	1,610	1,240	860	370
Unmarried with dependents	4,140	280	630	580	1,600	950	2,990	1,410	560	540	250
Married with dependents	2,620	280	760	810	2,040	1,540	2,460	1,270	1,480	590	280
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	290	420	310	1,380	800	1,650	1,270	1,350	570	230
\$20,000–39,999	†	260	670	330	2,450	850	1,330	1,910	1,620	820	230
\$40,000–59,999	†	300	580	280	1,760	670	1,090	2,550	1,160	1,510	210
\$60,000–79,999	†	290	510	370	4,230	940	1,520	2,670	2,020	1,360	290
\$80,000–99,999	†	270	610	400	†	990	1,330	2,550	2,040	2,860	300
\$100,000 or more	†	270	360	320	4,920	960	1,090	2,570	1,900	1,770	290
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	2,350	280	490	430	3,190	1,160	2,960	1,490	830	450	250
\$10,000–19,999	4,410	360	680	520	2,200	1,230	2,630	1,020	1,000	550	290
\$20,000–29,999	†	340	830	1,040	†	2,740	†	1,630	1,020	360	310
\$30,000–49,999	†	470	1,070	940	†	1,400	†	1,610	1,620	720	380
\$50,000 or more	†	370	1,580	1,000	†	1,260	†	1,790	1,720	780	370
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	1,660	210	280	290	2,210	550	1,310	1,420	680	400	170
Middle 50 percent	1,670	190	340	210	1,290	580	680	1,030	670	390	140
Highest 25 percent	†	240	390	310	4,010	890	1,110	1,200	1,560	820	270

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-B.

Standard errors for table 4.1-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education among full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$1,930	\$220	\$320	\$290	\$2,930	\$670	\$730	\$1,350	\$740	\$480	\$180
Worked part time	1,360	210	320	190	1,130	710	970	920	730	470	160
Worked full time	2,460	200	470	390	3,300	980	1,420	1,300	850	520	210
Military status											
Veterans	†	510	1,100	880	†	2,370	†	3,600	2,140	960	520
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,630	1,160
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,250
Nonmilitary students	1,210	170	240	190	2,180	550	570	1,100	560	360	130
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	910	200	350	230	1,710	560	900	920	720	410	160
Some postsecondary education	2,750	210	440	240	2,130	700	1,010	1,410	1,040	450	170
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,300	230	350	270	2,870	710	620	1,750	1,030	790	180
Total aid status											
No aid	1,230	220	380	430	†	1,760	1,800	1,790	1,420	1,750	340
Received aid	1,700	160	220	160	1,630	390	470	1,160	610	340	120
Grant status											
No grant	1,210	200	320	330	3,350	1,850	1,600	1,430	910	780	240
Received grant	1,680	160	230	170	2,010	380	460	1,160	590	340	120
Loan status											
No loan	1,280	160	330	340	4,530	1,100	1,200	1,890	1,240	1,270	200
Received loan	1,540	200	200	160	770	360	440	1,120	600	270	120

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.1-C.

**DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,700</b>	<b>\$7,700</b>	<b>\$8,600</b>	<b>\$10,900</b>	<b>\$11,800</b>	<b>\$15,400</b>	<b>\$10,700</b>
Institution type							
Public							
Less-than-2-year	6,400	6,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,600
2-year	5,000	5,900	6,900	7,600	7,900	8,000	6,800
4-year							
Non-doctorate-granting	5,600	6,800	8,100	10,300	10,200	12,200	9,100
Doctorate-granting	6,600	8,000	9,100	12,300	13,300	15,400	11,800
Private nonprofit							
Less-than-4-year	8,600	9,300	9,900	13,500	‡	19,000	13,500
4-year							
Non-doctorate-granting	8,100	8,800	10,400	13,500	15,700	22,400	15,300
Doctorate-granting	12,000	13,500	12,400	17,600	17,700	26,400	19,100
For-profit							
Less-than-2-year	11,200	11,400	10,600	14,100	13,900	14,500	11,900
2-year	12,200	11,600	10,800	12,400	13,800	17,800	12,900
4-year	8,900	9,400	10,200	12,400	13,200	15,000	10,700
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>							
Full-time/full-year	8,300	9,700	10,500	13,900	15,000	19,400	13,800
Full-time/part-year	6,200	6,700	7,300	9,200	9,300	11,800	8,600
Part-time/full-year	5,600	6,400	7,400	9,200	9,900	11,000	8,200
Part-time/part-year	3,400	3,900	4,500	4,600	5,100	5,500	4,500
Housing							
On campus	7,200	8,900	9,100	13,400	14,400	20,500	14,200
Off campus	6,700	7,800	8,600	10,700	11,800	14,000	10,300
Living with parents	6,500	7,000	8,300	9,600	10,000	11,500	8,800
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>							
Less than \$7,000	2,900	3,400	4,000	4,100	4,100	4,100	3,800
\$7,000–12,999	4,800	5,500	6,900	8,100	8,300	8,400	6,700
\$13,000–21,999	6,900	7,800	9,000	11,100	11,600	12,800	10,100
\$22,000 or more	11,300	12,500	12,100	16,400	17,800	22,500	17,200
Sex							
Male	6,800	7,800	8,500	11,000	12,000	14,900	10,800
Female	6,600	7,600	8,700	10,900	11,600	15,900	10,600

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Table 4.1-C.

**DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>							
White	\$7,000	\$7,600	\$8,800	\$10,900	\$11,700	\$15,500	\$11,500
Black	5,700	6,400	7,400	8,600	10,200	10,900	7,300
Hispanic	6,400	6,900	7,900	9,700	10,400	13,200	8,500
Asian	9,100	13,100	11,100	16,400	17,600	22,600	15,100
American Indian	6,500	7,100	10,500	11,000	†	9,100	8,300
Pacific Islander	7,500	9,500	†	†	†	16,400	11,400
Two or more races	6,500	8,200	8,300	10,100	14,000	14,100	10,400
Age as of 12/31/11							
18 years or younger	6,200	7,400	8,000	10,300	11,200	16,200	10,500
19–23 years	6,800	7,800	8,700	11,000	11,900	15,200	10,800
24–29 years	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
30–39 years	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
40 years or older	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Income group <sup>4</sup>							
Lowest 25 percent	6,700	7,200	†	†	†	†	6,900
Middle 50 percent	†	8,200	8,600	10,900	11,800	13,300	10,200
Highest 25 percent	†	†	†	†	†	15,700	15,700
Worked while enrolled <sup>5</sup>							
Did not work	6,800	8,600	8,600	12,000	13,200	18,100	11,900
Worked part time	6,700	7,100	9,000	10,900	11,200	14,000	10,300
Worked full time	6,300	6,700	7,500	8,200	9,500	10,300	8,100
Military status <sup>6</sup>							
Veterans	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Military service members							
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	6,700	7,700	8,600	10,900	11,800	15,400	10,700
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>7</sup>							
High school diploma or less	6,200	6,900	7,700	9,600	9,800	11,400	7,800
Some postsecondary education	6,300	6,700	7,800	9,700	10,500	11,800	8,800
Bachelor's degree or higher	8,400	9,400	10,100	12,200	13,100	16,900	13,500

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.1-C.

**DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
Total aid status							
No aid	\$10,300	\$11,800	\$10,000	\$12,300	\$13,000	\$16,700	\$13,800
Received aid	6,200	6,800	8,200	10,200	11,000	14,500	9,500
Grant status							
No grant	10,200	11,400	9,900	11,600	12,200	15,400	13,000
Received grant	6,200	6,700	8,100	10,200	11,100	15,400	9,200
Loan status <sup>8</sup>							
No loan	7,300	8,700	9,600	12,400	13,100	17,400	12,200
Received loan	6,000	6,300	7,700	9,100	10,000	12,000	8,700

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates only. The lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Income consists of parents' income.

<sup>5</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>6</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>7</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>8</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent. Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Dependent student income includes parents' income. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for out-of-pocket net price. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S4.1-C.

Standard errors for table 4.1-C: DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:

Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$210</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>\$110</b>
Institution type							
Public							
Less-than-2-year	680	1,280	†	†	†	†	560
2-year	130	140	160	200	240	230	100
4-year							
Non-doctorate-granting	260	390	330	410	500	350	220
Doctorate-granting	260	270	240	280	350	260	160
Private nonprofit							
Less-than-4-year	1,140	1,620	1,270	2,700	†	4,370	2,170
4-year							
Non-doctorate-granting	690	700	650	850	910	850	510
Doctorate-granting	1,440	1,200	1,000	1,330	1,170	1,020	580
For-profit							
Less-than-2-year	1,240	860	1,450	2,060	2,280	970	980
2-year	770	900	870	970	1,660	1,920	640
4-year	320	680	900	960	1,590	1,120	290
Attendance status							
Full-time/full-year	230	230	210	290	300	290	160
Full-time/part-year	310	300	350	390	360	430	180
Part-time/full-year	190	170	200	280	330	310	130
Part-time/part-year	170	150	180	210	290	250	90
Housing							
On campus	450	420	360	550	540	470	300
Off campus	200	270	210	280	400	340	160
Living with parents	180	170	200	260	290	260	110
Price of attendance							
Less than \$7,000	90	90	90	100	120	90	50
\$7,000–12,999	110	110	140	130	140	110	60
\$13,000–21,999	190	150	200	190	230	150	90
\$22,000 or more	440	430	350	490	450	380	230
Sex							
Male	210	220	200	270	350	310	140
Female	210	200	190	280	350	340	140

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-C.

Standard errors for table 4.1-C: DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:

Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
Race/ethnicity							
White	\$240	\$230	\$180	\$250	\$290	\$250	\$140
Black	250	300	370	520	770	1,260	220
Hispanic	230	200	250	390	590	560	160
Asian	640	940	760	1,160	1,370	1,050	520
American Indian	1,060	1,020	3,640	1,840	†	1,040	680
Pacific Islander	1,190	1,080	†	†	†	2,680	880
Two or more races	590	820	810	530	1,770	1,020	430
Age as of 12/31/11							
18 years or younger	210	220	230	260	360	340	160
19–23 years	180	170	150	240	280	290	120
24–29 years	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
30–39 years	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
40 years or older	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Income group							
Lowest 25 percent	150	200	†	†	†	†	140
Middle 50 percent	†	230	140	210	240	440	120
Highest 25 percent	†	†	†	†	†	270	270
Worked while enrolled							
Did not work	240	290	240	280	460	380	190
Worked part time	210	190	220	290	310	300	120
Worked full time	270	250	280	440	500	390	140
Military status							
Veterans	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Military service members							
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Nonmilitary students	150	150	140	210	240	250	110
Highest education attained by either parent							
High school diploma or less	170	220	200	350	350	560	120
Some postsecondary education	240	200	220	280	430	320	120
Bachelor's degree or higher	380	310	290	320	350	270	170

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-C.

Standard errors for table 4.1-C: DEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:

Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for dependent undergraduates, by dependent student family income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Dependent student family income in 2010						All dependent students
	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000–39,999	\$40,000–59,999	\$60,000–79,999	\$80,000–99,999	\$100,000 or more	
Total aid status							
No aid	\$650	\$510	\$350	\$430	\$510	\$440	\$280
Received aid	130	150	150	210	250	260	100
Grant status							
No grant	610	460	300	300	340	340	210
Received grant	130	150	160	250	310	310	100
Loan status							
No loan	190	230	230	320	370	360	160
Received loan	200	180	160	210	290	240	110

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.1-D.

**INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000–19,999	\$20,000–29,999	\$30,000–49,999	\$50,000 or more	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$7,500</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	6,300	12,100	10,300	7,400	12,300	9,100
2-year	5,400	5,500	5,500	5,300	5,800	5,500
4-year						
Non-doctorate-granting	6,000	5,600	6,200	6,600	6,600	6,200
Doctorate-granting	7,200	7,300	8,100	7,600	8,700	7,700
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	9,900	9,700	10,500	9,800	11,800	10,100
4-year						
Non-doctorate-granting	9,300	7,300	8,300	10,100	9,800	9,100
Doctorate-granting	12,600	12,100	10,300	9,200	10,900	11,100
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	13,500	13,300	12,300	13,100	14,100	13,300
2-year	11,700	13,000	12,100	12,900	10,900	12,100
4-year	8,200	8,400	9,000	8,900	9,600	8,700
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>						
Full-time/full-year	10,600	11,400	11,800	12,400	14,400	11,600
Full-time/part-year	7,000	6,800	7,000	7,700	8,300	7,200
Part-time/full-year	6,600	6,700	7,400	7,000	8,500	7,300
Part-time/part-year	4,000	4,000	4,100	4,400	4,600	4,200
Housing						
On campus	9,300	11,600	14,600	‡	‡	10,200
Off campus	7,300	7,300	7,200	7,100	7,600	7,300
Living with parents	6,800	6,900	6,700	6,800	7,200	6,900
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>						
Less than \$7,000	3,400	3,600	3,700	3,900	3,900	3,700
\$7,000–12,999	5,200	5,400	5,700	6,200	7,100	5,900
\$13,000–21,999	7,500	7,300	8,200	8,400	10,300	8,100
\$22,000 or more	14,700	15,000	14,800	15,100	16,700	15,100
Sex						
Male	7,000	7,000	6,900	7,000	7,300	7,100
Female	7,300	7,300	7,200	7,100	7,600	7,300

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.1-D.

**INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000–19,999	\$20,000–29,999	\$30,000–49,999	\$50,000 or more	
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>						
White	\$7,200	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$6,800	\$7,400	\$7,100
Black	6,700	7,000	7,200	7,400	7,200	7,000
Hispanic	7,200	7,700	7,200	7,400	7,600	7,400
Asian	10,400	9,600	9,600	7,100	8,300	9,300
American Indian	6,100	6,300	5,400	5,800	8,000	6,200
Pacific Islander	6,300	5,600	6,600	8,400	‡	6,400
Two or more races	6,800	7,000	6,300	8,000	7,900	7,200
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	7,800	12,400	‡	‡	‡	8,200
19–23 years	7,700	8,000	7,600	7,300	9,000	7,700
24–29 years	7,500	7,200	7,300	7,400	8,100	7,400
30–39 years	6,500	6,900	7,000	7,100	7,400	7,000
40 years or older	6,400	6,800	6,600	6,600	7,200	6,800
Independent students <sup>4</sup>						
Unmarried, no dependents	7,200	7,300	7,300	7,300	7,800	7,300
Married, no dependents	7,600	7,800	7,800	7,600	7,900	7,800
Unmarried with dependents	7,000	7,100	7,300	6,900	7,500	7,100
Married with dependents	7,800	7,000	6,300	6,700	7,200	7,000
Income group <sup>5</sup>						
Lowest 25 percent	7,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,200
Middle 50 percent	7,000	7,200	7,100	7,000	‡	7,100
Highest 25 percent	‡	‡	‡	7,100	7,500	7,400
Worked while enrolled <sup>6</sup>						
Did not work	7,500	7,700	7,400	7,400	7,900	7,600
Worked part time	7,100	7,200	7,800	7,400	7,500	7,300
Worked full time	6,500	6,700	6,700	6,700	7,200	6,800
Military status <sup>7</sup>						
Veterans	5,800	6,500	7,300	6,300	6,200	6,400
Military service members						
Active duty	5,300	6,900	4,800	6,200	5,000	5,500
Reserves	4,400	4,800	6,600 !	5,300	6,300	5,500
Nonmilitary students	7,300	7,300	7,200	7,200	7,700	7,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>8</sup>						
High school diploma or less	6,900	6,900	7,100	6,800	7,300	7,000
Some postsecondary education	6,700	6,900	6,700	7,100	7,600	7,000
Bachelor's degree or higher	8,000	7,800	7,500	7,200	7,600	7,700

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.1-D.

**INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:** Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000–19,999	\$20,000–29,999	\$30,000–49,999	\$50,000 or more	
Total aid status						
No aid	\$9,300	\$8,500	\$7,800	\$7,100	\$7,600	\$8,000
Received aid	6,600	6,800	6,900	7,100	7,400	6,900
Grant status						
No grant	9,000	8,100	7,500	7,400	7,900	8,000
Received grant	6,500	6,800	6,900	6,700	6,600	6,700
Loan status <sup>9</sup>						
No loan	8,200	7,900	7,300	6,900	7,200	7,500
Received loan	6,000	6,400	6,900	7,400	8,400	6,700

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of independent undergraduates only. The lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>7</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>8</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. Students age 24 or older are independent. Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Independent student income includes the income of a spouse if the student is married. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for out-of-pocket net price. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.1-D.

**Standard errors for table 4.1-D: INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:**  
**Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education**  
**for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and**  
**student characteristics: 2011–12**

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000– 19,999	\$20,000– 29,999	\$30,000– 49,999	\$50,000 or more	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$130</b>	<b>\$130</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Institution type						
Public						
Less-than-2-year	910	2,770	2,460	750	2,070	680
2-year	110	130	140	120	160	80
4-year						
Non-doctorate-granting	250	270	370	400	290	150
Doctorate-granting	260	280	450	360	290	140
Private nonprofit						
Less-than-4-year	1,310	1,450	1,290	1,640	1,460	810
4-year						
Non-doctorate-granting	740	690	830	960	700	300
Doctorate-granting	1,680	1,770	1,490	1,210	1,020	640
For-profit						
Less-than-2-year	1,180	990	1,290	1,160	1,400	1,060
2-year	650	610	700	840	920	450
4-year	380	450	490	600	690	390
Attendance status						
Full-time/full-year	250	290	310	380	370	160
Full-time/part-year	250	260	250	260	410	170
Part-time/full-year	230	180	210	170	170	120
Part-time/part-year	100	110	150	130	130	60
Housing						
On campus	900	1,900	3,530	†	†	730
Off campus	180	160	150	170	160	100
Living with parents	170	220	240	230	330	140
Price of attendance						
Less than \$7,000	80	70	90	70	60	50
\$7,000–12,999	100	140	150	150	140	70
\$13,000–21,999	150	200	210	220	260	110
\$22,000 or more	400	390	430	460	450	210
Sex						
Male	190	200	240	230	260	130
Female	160	160	170	170	170	90

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.1-D.

**Standard errors for table 4.1-D: INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME:**  
**Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education**  
**for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and**  
**student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000– 19,999	\$20,000– 29,999	\$30,000– 49,999	\$50,000 or more	
Race/ethnicity						
White	\$170	\$170	\$180	\$170	\$170	\$90
Black	180	250	270	310	380	140
Hispanic	210	350	250	260	300	150
Asian	790	810	960	480	690	440
American Indian	610	790	1,260	720	1,040	410
Pacific Islander	590	1,250	1,810	1,900	†	510
Two or more races	560	750	810	760	870	340
Age as of 12/31/11						
18 years or younger	350	1,850	†	†	†	400
19–23 years	230	270	530	450	1,250	170
24–29 years	200	180	190	220	300	110
30–39 years	210	230	220	240	200	100
40 years or older	220	340	290	230	210	130
Independent students						
Unmarried, no dependents	170	190	210	260	450	110
Married, no dependents	530	550	480	330	310	190
Unmarried with dependents	150	190	240	270	580	120
Married with dependents	450	330	250	190	160	120
Income group						
Lowest 25 percent	140	†	†	†	†	140
Middle 50 percent	230	130	140	160	†	90
Highest 25 percent	†	†	†	210	160	140
Worked while enrolled						
Did not work	190	230	250	250	250	120
Worked part time	170	190	280	280	320	110
Worked full time	190	210	170	190	200	110
Military status						
Veterans	480	630	760	440	370	270
Military service members						
Active duty	1,040	1,180	1,140	950	840	540
Reserves	700	1,330	2,370	1,470	1,020	630
Nonmilitary students	130	130	130	140	160	80
Highest education attained by either parent						
High school diploma or less	170	190	200	170	190	100
Some postsecondary education	170	240	230	220	250	120
Bachelor's degree or higher	220	230	280	280	280	120

See notes at end of table.



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Table S4.1-D.

Standard errors for table 4.1-D: INDEPENDENT STUDENTS' OUT-OF-POCKET NET PRICE BY INCOME: Average out-of-pocket net price (total price of attendance minus total aid) of postsecondary education for independent undergraduates, by independent student income in 2010 and selected institution and student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Institution and student characteristics	Independent student income in 2010					All independent students
	Less than \$10,000	\$10,000–19,999	\$20,000–29,999	\$30,000–49,999	\$50,000 or more	
Total aid status						
No aid	\$300	\$300	\$300	\$180	\$230	\$160
Received aid	140	150	160	180	190	100
Grant status						
No grant	270	260	220	150	190	120
Received grant	130	140	180	200	260	100
Loan status						
No loan	150	180	200	140	190	100
Received loan	180	170	200	260	210	120

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.2-A.

**NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>	<b>\$11,000</b>	<b>\$16,000</b>	<b>\$16,500</b>	<b>\$21,000</b>	<b>\$24,800</b>	<b>\$18,600</b>	<b>\$18,600</b>	<b>\$16,600</b>	<b>\$12,800</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	15,100	11,700	15,600	18,800	23,600	25,500	29,900	25,600	26,400	24,600	19,500
Full-time/part-year	7,000	6,500	9,200	12,700	11,300	16,300	17,900	16,200	15,000	13,300	11,200
Part-time/full-year	9,100	7,900	10,000	14,100	13,900	17,400	18,700	18,000	19,000	16,900	10,500
Part-time/part-year	4,900	4,200	5,600	7,700	9,800	8,500	10,000	12,900	10,800	9,200	5,600
Housing											
On campus	‡	7,800	15,800	17,900	19,400	25,100	29,500	‡	‡	28,100	21,600
Off campus	10,300	7,000	10,400	15,800	16,600	16,900	21,900	20,300	19,000	17,000	11,900
Living with parents	9,200	7,100	10,100	14,500	15,500	18,200	20,000	16,200	18,200	15,100	10,900
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	3,700	3,900	4,400	4,800	‡	5,200	4,500	5,900	5,100	4,400	4,000
\$7,000–12,999	6,900	7,600	8,100	8,900	8,700	8,400	8,600	8,500	9,000	8,600	8,000
\$13,000–21,999	12,400	12,800	13,800	14,100	13,600	13,700	14,400	14,100	14,800	14,600	13,700
\$22,000 or more	23,700	21,800	21,100	23,000	26,500	25,700	29,600	26,100	27,000	25,600	25,400
Sex											
Male	9,100	7,300	11,100	16,500	19,600	21,700	25,100	19,300	21,100	16,500	13,000
Female	10,600	6,900	11,000	15,600	14,900	20,500	24,500	18,300	17,300	16,600	12,600
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	9,200	7,200	11,800	16,700	18,500	21,700	24,900	18,700	18,700	16,700	13,400
Black	9,800	6,700	9,600	13,700	17,000	17,200	20,000	18,100	19,000	15,700	11,600
Hispanic	10,300	6,600	9,300	13,800	14,200	19,800	23,500	18,500	18,400	17,300	11,200
Asian	‡	8,000	11,000	18,100	‡	24,900	31,700	20,800	19,100	17,300	15,500
American Indian	‡	6,700	8,400	11,400	‡	‡	‡	17,000 !	15,600	14,400	10,400
Pacific Islander	‡	7,700	‡	15,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	20,500	18,400	12,400
Two or more races	‡	7,500	11,800	15,400	‡	20,800	25,800	20,400	17,500	18,800	13,500

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.2-A.

**NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$8,100	\$7,500	\$12,300	\$17,200	\$20,600	\$22,600	\$28,100	\$18,900	\$21,100	\$20,300	\$14,700
19–23 years	8,300	7,300	12,400	17,100	18,700	23,700	27,600	18,200	18,700	17,600	14,400
24–29 years	11,600	7,000	9,400	13,500	14,800	18,200	18,700	18,700	18,700	16,400	11,100
30–39 years	9,800	6,900	8,900	12,300	14,800	14,700	17,900	18,900	18,100	16,100	10,900
40 years or older	11,800	6,500	8,200	11,300	14,600	13,000	14,600	18,600	18,000	16,100	10,000
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	8,200	7,400	12,700	17,300	21,600	23,900	28,000	17,800	19,800	20,500	15,000
Independent <sup>5</sup>	10,800	6,800	9,100	13,000	14,500	15,600	17,600	18,800	18,000	16,000	10,800
Unmarried, no dependents	10,100	7,000	9,500	13,500	15,700	16,600	19,400	19,000	19,200	16,500	11,100
Married, no dependents	14,500	7,200	9,300	14,400	17,600	16,800	15,900	19,500	19,000	17,200	10,900
Unmarried with dependents	10,400	6,600	8,700	12,400	12,800	15,100	18,200	18,700	17,300	15,400	10,800
Married with dependents	10,600	6,700	8,700	11,700	13,800	14,200	15,300	18,900	17,500	15,900	10,300
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	6,600	5,700	8,400	11,800	17,500	15,200	19,800	16,400	17,600	16,800	10,100
\$20,000–39,999	7,100	6,500	9,500	13,100	18,700	17,300	20,900	16,900	17,900	18,600	11,200
\$40,000–59,999	‡	7,700	11,800	15,600	19,200	19,500	23,300	18,200	20,000	23,200	13,400
\$60,000–79,999	‡	8,400	15,000	18,000	21,900	22,700	27,100	21,900	20,900	23,800	15,500
\$80,000–99,999	‡	8,700	14,200	19,100	‡	25,900	27,400	21,700	23,800	23,000	16,600
\$100,000 or more	‡	8,600	16,200	20,500	24,800	30,700	35,000	20,100	24,200	26,600	20,100
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	7,800	6,800	9,400	13,100	13,900	17,100	20,200	19,000	16,600	15,000	11,000
\$10,000–19,999	14,000	7,000	9,300	13,200	14,000	13,900	18,700	19,100	18,600	16,400	11,200
\$20,000–29,999	12,600	7,000	9,200	13,700	16,400	15,100	17,300	18,000	19,400	17,100	10,900
\$30,000–49,999	9,400	6,500	9,300	13,000	13,100	15,600	15,700	18,200	20,300	16,000	10,500
\$50,000 or more	13,600	6,800	8,400	12,300	16,500	15,400	16,000	19,400	17,600	16,300	10,200

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Table 4.2-A.

**NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$7,200	\$6,400	\$8,900	\$12,400	\$15,200	\$16,400	\$20,600	\$18,000	\$16,900	\$15,400	\$10,600
Middle 50 percent	11,500	7,400	11,500	16,100	16,300	19,900	23,300	18,800	19,300	17,000	12,800
Highest 25 percent	12,100	7,300	12,300	18,600	18,700	25,800	28,900	19,800	20,500	17,000	15,100
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	8,800	7,200	11,700	17,100	18,400	22,400	27,300	18,500	18,700	16,500	14,300
Worked part time	11,200	7,500	11,700	16,000	15,500	22,000	24,500	18,600	18,700	17,400	13,100
Worked full time	10,500	6,500	9,000	12,800	13,300	15,600	17,100	18,700	18,400	16,300	10,200
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	9,000	10,700	16,100	24,800	18,400	19,300	25,000	24,200	18,900	14,000
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	5,700	‡	10,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	9,300 !	8,400
Reserves	‡	8,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	14,400	12,000
Nonmilitary students	9,900	7,000	11,100	16,000	16,100	21,200	25,000	18,400	18,300	16,600	12,800
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	9,100	6,700	9,900	13,800	14,700	17,200	19,000	18,800	18,000	15,900	11,000
Some postsecondary education	12,300	7,100	10,600	15,000	16,200	19,200	22,100	18,600	18,500	17,100	11,800
Bachelor's degree or higher	11,000	7,600	12,400	17,500	19,300	23,900	28,000	17,700	19,700	17,600	15,300
Total aid status											
No aid	11,000	6,900	10,300	17,400	14,900	24,800	31,200	15,800	16,300	12,500	10,700
Received aid	9,500	7,200	11,300	15,600	16,900	20,500	23,600	18,900	19,100	17,000	13,700
Grant status											
No grant	11,500	7,400	12,000	18,700	17,300	24,000	29,400	18,500	19,600	16,900	12,700
Received grant	9,100	6,700	10,300	14,200	16,100	20,200	23,200	18,600	18,100	16,500	12,900
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	9,800	6,700	9,500	15,300	15,200	21,600	25,700	16,100	16,400	12,400	10,200
Received loan	10,700	9,000	13,300	16,600	17,700	20,700	24,200	19,300	19,900	18,000	16,500

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Table 4.2-A.

**NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a **student's** budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net price. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.2-A.

Standard errors for table 4.2-A: NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$510</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$1,690</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$450</b>	<b>\$1,070</b>	<b>\$490</b>	<b>\$470</b>	<b>\$90</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,090	140	230	200	2,850	500	480	1,130	790	390	120
Full-time/part-year	780	110	260	210	1,090	1,000	1,080	1,110	530	200	140
Part-time/full-year	800	90	160	140	2,500	660	930	1,620	690	1,070	100
Part-time/part-year	800	60	230	180	1,580	520	790	1,100	400	580	60
Housing											
On campus	†	460	460	280	310	620	690	†	†	1,580	260
Off campus	650	100	200	200	2,330	600	660	1,510	800	280	110
Living with parents	890	90	300	210	970	660	890	670	470	1,680	120
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	210	30	90	80	†	300	390	430	170	480	30
\$7,000–12,999	500	40	100	80	740	260	360	320	140	180	40
\$13,000–21,999	500	110	150	80	870	270	310	300	250	120	50
\$22,000 or more	1,210	330	310	210	3,020	490	460	830	620	150	150
Sex											
Male	1,000	120	240	220	3,180	560	660	2,300	1,040	740	130
Female	740	80	200	150	1,730	500	620	1,100	380	320	90
Race/ethnicity											
White	650	90	220	190	3,460	550	530	1,490	710	420	110
Black	2,080	120	330	330	1,600	560	1,310	1,340	880	460	170
Hispanic	1,090	130	360	230	920	1,340	1,160	950	750	500	180
Asian	†	310	460	530	†	1,810	1,640	2,100	1,810	2,470	420
American Indian	†	460	1,020	1,090	†	†	†	6,080	1,550	1,060	500
Pacific Islander	†	650	†	1,230	†	†	†	†	2,870	1,210	720
Two or more races	†	260	650	560	†	1,220	2,150	2,130	1,350	720	330

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Table S4.2-A.

Standard errors for table 4.2-A: NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,400	\$150	\$280	\$300	\$3,310	\$640	\$750	\$1,180	\$1,300	\$990	\$170
19–23 years	490	100	250	190	2,370	530	540	1,020	600	690	110
24–29 years	1,730	120	290	260	1,840	790	1,560	1,150	740	550	150
30–39 years	1,090	130	330	260	1,930	700	890	1,440	670	490	140
40 years or older	1,840	120	260	270	2,050	590	940	1,230	800	550	150
Dependency status											
Dependent	560	110	270	180	3,160	530	480	970	750	460	120
Independent	640	80	190	170	1,250	360	740	1,140	500	510	100
Unmarried, no dependents	1,790	100	260	220	2,830	640	1,200	1,340	800	600	140
Married, no dependents	1,900	240	500	550	3,750	1,220	1,430	1,670	1,040	840	270
Unmarried with dependents	1,730	120	250	340	1,270	590	1,570	1,130	570	370	130
Married with dependents	1,240	130	360	280	1,310	740	1,030	1,520	810	800	170
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	610	130	280	230	2,730	700	1,400	1,210	720	610	180
\$20,000–39,999	1,240	150	460	280	2,420	650	1,190	840	940	810	170
\$40,000–59,999	†	160	360	280	2,440	600	1,230	1,650	1,270	1,260	190
\$60,000–79,999	†	220	410	280	2,800	910	1,120	2,040	1,450	1,420	240
\$80,000–99,999	†	260	540	370	†	1,080	1,030	1,810	1,980	1,690	290
\$100,000 or more	†	240	430	260	5,130	840	890	1,110	2,720	1,440	280
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	810	130	270	240	1,970	750	1,670	1,310	700	430	150
\$10,000–19,999	2,220	130	260	320	1,220	850	2,130	1,000	720	450	160
\$20,000–29,999	1,830	170	440	430	2,080	850	1,910	1,320	790	620	170
\$30,000–49,999	740	130	440	390	2,100	1,150	1,510	1,360	1,090	850	200
\$50,000 or more	1,720	200	350	360	1,840	790	1,020	1,330	1,120	1,030	240

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Table S4.2-A.

Standard errors for table 4.2-A: NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$550	\$100	\$200	\$180	\$1,930	\$480	\$1,060	\$1,220	\$530	\$410	\$120
Middle 50 percent	960	80	230	170	1,240	430	570	1,070	570	480	90
Highest 25 percent	1,120	170	370	260	2,920	870	970	1,050	1,100	910	240
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	1,110	100	210	250	2,360	540	590	1,220	570	370	130
Worked part time	1,020	110	250	160	1,420	560	710	1,000	670	350	110
Worked full time	1,390	100	230	240	1,910	510	830	1,130	720	680	120
Military status											
Veterans	†	280	650	610	4,100	2,310	5,050	3,980	1,570	1,160	420
Military service members											
Active duty	†	290	†	1,020	†	†	†	†	†	2,930	830
Reserves	†	1,250	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,790	1,000
Nonmilitary students	520	80	190	160	1,600	390	450	1,050	460	300	80
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	650	80	200	220	910	390	720	1,070	560	440	100
Some postsecondary education	1,650	100	210	200	1,680	570	680	1,220	660	500	120
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,410	120	280	210	3,940	650	550	1,050	720	670	150
Total aid status											
No aid	980	150	360	370	2,520	1,810	1,380	1,290	840	750	200
Received aid	750	90	170	150	1,610	340	410	1,090	540	510	100
Grant status											
No grant	800	140	320	270	2,290	1,260	1,300	1,270	780	460	180
Received grant	750	90	160	150	1,850	340	440	1,110	530	550	100
Loan status											
No loan	610	90	250	230	2,620	860	890	1,120	600	1,160	110
Received loan	810	130	210	150	1,360	330	410	1,100	580	270	110

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table 4.2-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,100</b>	<b>\$11,700</b>	<b>\$15,600</b>	<b>\$18,800</b>	<b>\$23,600</b>	<b>\$25,500</b>	<b>\$29,900</b>	<b>\$25,600</b>	<b>\$26,400</b>	<b>\$24,600</b>	<b>\$19,500</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	9,100	17,300	19,200	21,100	25,900	31,200	‡	‡	34,200	23,300
Off campus	14,500	12,000	15,300	19,700	24,800	25,100	29,800	27,700	27,600	24,300	19,100
Living with parents	15,300	11,500	14,600	17,100	20,500	24,200	25,800	22,500	25,300	24,700	16,700
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
\$7,000–12,999	‡	7,800	6,300	6,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,600
\$13,000–21,999	12,600	12,900	14,000	14,200	12,900	13,800	13,200	15,200	15,700	15,700	13,700
\$22,000 or more	23,900	20,900	21,000	22,900	26,600	26,000	30,500	27,100	28,000	26,000	25,600
Sex											
Male	13,400	12,000	15,900	19,400	28,000	25,500	30,100	26,900	29,700	25,800	19,800
Female	16,800	11,400	15,400	18,300	20,600	25,500	29,900	25,200	24,500	23,900	19,300
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	15,300	12,000	16,600	19,900	27,000	26,400	30,100	26,900	26,800	24,500	20,300
Black	‡	11,100	13,000	15,900	22,300	20,600	26,300	25,000	26,500	24,000	17,800
Hispanic	12,000	10,600	13,400	15,700	18,200	24,300	26,000	24,200	25,600	25,400	16,900
Asian	‡	13,400	15,400	20,600	‡	28,300	36,100	25,500	27,000	29,100	22,500
American Indian	‡	10,700	13,100	12,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	23,800	23,600	15,900
Pacific Islander	‡	12,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	24,200	18,900
Two or more races	‡	11,600	14,800	17,700	‡	23,700	32,100	29,200	24,600	24,500	19,300
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	10,500	14,700	18,300	22,300	23,900	30,300	24,200	29,000	29,300	18,900
19–23 years	13,300	11,500	16,100	19,000	25,000	26,200	30,300	25,100	27,000	26,700	20,000
24–29 years	15,000	12,700	14,100	18,400	21,600	25,600	27,300	25,700	26,800	24,800	18,900
30–39 years	15,600	12,200	15,100	17,700	25,000	22,900	24,800	26,600	24,200	23,400	18,600
40 years or older	18,000	12,400	15,100	18,300	22,200	23,100	27,800	26,100	25,100	23,700	19,400

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Table 4.2-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$13,300	\$11,200	\$16,100	\$19,000	\$25,600	\$25,900	\$30,400	\$24,400	\$28,300	\$27,900	\$20,000
Independent <sup>4</sup>	15,900	12,300	14,200	17,900	22,000	23,600	26,900	26,100	25,300	24,000	18,600
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	13,000	14,200	17,800	24,600	24,100	26,900	27,200	27,700	24,900	18,800
Married, no dependents	‡	14,000	16,500	19,800	‡	24,900	‡	24,600	26,300	25,600	19,600
Unmarried with dependents	17,800	11,300	13,600	16,500	16,600	22,300	27,100	25,500	23,700	23,200	18,000
Married with dependents	15,200	11,800	13,800	18,500	20,000	23,500	28,800	26,100	25,100	23,700	18,400
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	8,200	10,500	12,700	19,400	16,900	20,800	22,000	24,500	24,200	13,400
\$20,000–39,999	‡	9,400	12,000	14,000	20,400	18,900	23,200	24,000	26,300	25,200	14,800
\$40,000–59,999	‡	11,200	14,900	16,800	23,000	20,500	25,600	25,800	27,700	28,900	17,400
\$60,000–79,999	‡	13,200	18,000	20,200	28,100	25,000	29,100	30,500	31,200	31,500	20,700
\$80,000–99,999	‡	13,500	18,400	21,400	‡	27,800	30,600	26,300	33,800	34,200	22,100
\$100,000 or more	‡	13,900	20,300	23,100	29,700	32,300	37,000	27,300	33,800	34,700	25,900
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	11,000	11,600	13,300	16,100	20,200	21,900	26,000	26,000	23,800	23,800	17,100
\$10,000–19,999	18,100	12,100	14,300	17,600	19,400	22,200	26,400	25,300	25,300	23,800	18,500
\$20,000–29,999	‡	12,400	14,500	20,200	‡	23,800	‡	26,300	25,900	23,400	18,900
\$30,000–49,999	‡	12,700	15,600	20,300	‡	24,800	‡	28,000	29,000	24,600	20,300
\$50,000 or more	‡	14,400	17,000	22,200	‡	27,400	‡	26,500	25,100	24,500	21,300
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	11,100	9,700	11,500	13,800	20,500	18,900	22,900	25,100	24,600	24,100	15,000
Middle 50 percent	16,400	12,200	16,100	18,800	23,400	24,000	27,900	25,800	26,700	24,500	19,300
Highest 25 percent	‡	14,000	20,000	23,200	28,200	32,000	37,000	27,800	29,700	25,600	25,200

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Table 4.2-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE:** Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$15,100	\$11,400	\$15,800	\$19,300	\$24,800	\$25,400	\$30,900	\$25,600	\$26,500	\$24,700	\$20,500
Worked part time	14,800	11,700	15,700	18,400	21,300	25,700	29,200	25,200	26,100	25,100	18,700
Worked full time	16,400	12,100	14,800	18,700	23,800	25,400	25,800	26,600	26,600	24,300	18,800
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	14,400	17,100	20,700	‡	30,400	‡	28,200	31,800	27,000	22,500
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	19,500	19,700
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	18,600
Nonmilitary students	15,200	11,600	15,600	18,800	23,000	25,400	29,900	25,500	26,000	24,500	19,500
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	13,600	10,900	13,800	16,100	20,400	22,400	24,100	25,700	25,600	23,900	17,000
Some postsecondary education	18,300	11,500	15,200	17,400	22,500	23,400	26,300	25,400	26,400	24,700	17,900
Bachelor's degree or higher	15,300	12,700	17,200	20,600	28,500	27,600	32,500	25,500	27,700	26,000	22,100
Total aid status											
No aid	17,900	15,000	21,100	25,700	‡	47,900	51,200	27,500	29,700	30,300	24,300
Received aid	14,000	10,600	14,500	17,500	22,600	23,800	27,600	25,500	26,000	24,400	18,700
Grant status											
No grant	18,500	15,100	21,100	25,300	30,500	42,600	49,000	29,400	31,600	28,400	24,800
Received grant	13,600	10,100	13,200	15,800	21,500	23,000	26,400	25,000	24,200	23,700	17,600
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	15,200	11,500	15,300	19,400	25,100	29,800	34,700	23,200	27,400	25,400	18,300
Received loan	14,900	12,000	15,900	18,400	22,600	23,700	27,500	26,100	26,100	24,500	20,500

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 4.2-B.**

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

‡ Reporting standards not met.

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<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net price. Full-time status for the purposes of financial aid eligibility was based on 12 credit hours, unless the awarding institution employed a different standard. Students attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Full-time/full-year students represent 37.6 percent of all undergraduates attending only one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.2-B.

Standard errors for table 4.2-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,090</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$230</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$2,850</b>	<b>\$500</b>	<b>\$480</b>	<b>\$1,130</b>	<b>\$790</b>	<b>\$390</b>	<b>\$120</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	520	510	330	360	650	720	†	†	1,480	280
Off campus	800	190	270	240	3,930	950	810	1,460	1,230	260	180
Living with parents	1,480	170	410	280	1,330	790	1,080	870	740	1,130	170
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
\$7,000–12,999	†	120	340	600	†	†	†	†	†	†	110
\$13,000–21,999	750	130	180	100	2,120	440	1,530	740	660	550	80
\$22,000 or more	1,470	360	340	230	3,160	520	480	1,010	790	190	160
Sex											
Male	1,740	170	340	260	3,650	690	620	2,000	1,740	580	160
Female	1,370	160	250	190	2,980	610	730	1,130	580	310	150
Race/ethnicity											
White	1,190	170	280	220	4,060	590	510	1,540	1,100	450	150
Black	†	260	580	420	1,650	550	1,690	1,680	1,000	340	290
Hispanic	920	240	440	260	1,010	1,210	1,360	1,310	1,170	500	240
Asian	†	450	790	700	†	2,040	1,940	2,140	1,730	1,480	560
American Indian	†	940	1,320	1,620	†	†	†	†	1,860	2,040	910
Pacific Islander	†	1,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,460	1,250
Two or more races	†	430	650	640	†	1,250	1,840	2,260	1,590	740	510
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	190	330	320	4,520	680	590	1,330	1,850	1,280	210
19–23 years	1,090	170	300	230	3,170	580	560	1,300	990	570	140
24–29 years	3,110	220	360	340	2,910	1,120	2,840	1,350	1,080	450	240
30–39 years	1,240	300	530	490	3,640	1,390	1,890	1,400	1,060	670	290
40 years or older	2,210	270	740	680	3,070	1,020	2,560	1,430	1,320	350	300

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.2-B.

Standard errors for table 4.2-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$1,120	\$170	\$280	\$210	\$3,740	\$570	\$510	\$1,070	\$1,340	\$470	\$140
Independent	1,520	180	300	280	2,560	570	1,440	1,220	740	410	180
Unmarried, no dependents	†	210	340	390	4,150	1,050	2,120	1,480	1,160	620	250
Married, no dependents	†	340	1,010	720	†	1,880	†	2,040	1,150	960	380
Unmarried with dependents	2,650	260	510	560	2,190	850	3,220	1,340	620	390	260
Married with dependents	2,650	230	600	610	2,890	1,180	2,390	1,410	1,220	600	310
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	270	440	280	3,510	810	1,540	1,270	1,190	620	250
\$20,000–39,999	†	260	620	330	2,560	720	1,250	1,520	1,450	750	230
\$40,000–59,999	†	270	550	290	2,900	660	950	2,380	1,310	1,110	230
\$60,000–79,999	†	250	440	300	2,850	730	1,180	2,240	1,870	1,490	290
\$80,000–99,999	†	240	500	380	†	850	1,090	2,120	2,210	2,150	280
\$100,000 or more	†	260	430	280	5,500	870	860	1,940	2,710	1,080	260
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	2,140	240	390	350	3,610	1,030	2,670	1,540	730	400	250
\$10,000–19,999	2,540	300	530	480	2,130	1,210	2,470	1,190	960	370	290
\$20,000–29,999	†	280	600	770	†	2,020	†	1,470	1,150	570	340
\$30,000–49,999	†	390	890	650	†	1,220	†	1,510	1,770	740	480
\$50,000 or more	†	380	1,060	880	†	1,290	†	1,910	1,400	950	440
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	1,470	190	260	250	3,040	600	1,240	1,440	710	390	180
Middle 50 percent	1,570	150	310	200	2,460	500	570	1,010	870	330	140
Highest 25 percent	†	240	390	280	4,400	820	950	1,320	1,550	940	270

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.2-B.

Standard errors for table 4.2-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE: Average net price (total price of attendance minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$1,550	\$190	\$310	\$290	\$3,540	\$630	\$590	\$1,270	\$870	\$450	\$170
Worked part time	1,370	170	310	200	2,260	600	800	1,020	910	460	150
Worked full time	2,190	210	430	330	4,600	850	1,160	1,410	1,020	520	230
Military status											
Veterans	†	510	840	880	†	2,090	†	3,340	2,860	1,000	650
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,820	1,400
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,480
Nonmilitary students	1,120	150	230	200	2,800	500	470	1,120	700	300	120
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	770	180	310	250	1,580	520	850	960	820	330	170
Some postsecondary education	2,250	180	320	230	3,090	630	780	1,570	960	510	160
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,120	190	340	260	4,630	660	580	1,630	1,030	620	170
Total aid status											
No aid	1,230	220	380	430	†	1,760	1,800	1,790	1,420	1,750	340
Received aid	1,420	140	230	180	2,560	380	430	1,160	830	350	120
Grant status											
No grant	1,200	200	290	290	3,530	1,510	1,300	1,060	960	720	240
Received grant	1,400	140	220	180	3,060	360	420	1,210	760	320	120
Loan status											
No loan	1,220	150	320	330	5,330	1,080	1,160	2,170	1,280	1,400	200
Received loan	1,080	200	240	180	1,830	400	390	1,140	770	270	130

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.3-A.

**NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,300</b>	<b>\$7,600</b>	<b>\$12,200</b>	<b>\$18,600</b>	<b>\$18,300</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>	<b>\$35,500</b>	<b>\$18,900</b>	<b>\$19,000</b>	<b>\$17,300</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	15,700	12,600	17,800	22,300	27,000	38,200	44,800	26,000	26,900	25,700	24,200
Full-time/part-year	7,200	7,000	10,000	14,200	12,000	20,400	23,200	16,500	15,300	13,800	12,200
Part-time/full-year	9,400	8,400	10,700	15,500	15,600	20,800	21,600	18,400	19,400	17,700	11,400
Part-time/part-year	5,000	4,500	5,900	8,200	9,900	10,200	11,100	13,200	11,000	9,600	5,900
Housing											
On campus	‡	9,600	18,500	21,900	27,300	39,000	44,700	‡	‡	29,800	29,900
Off campus	10,600	7,500	11,300	17,800	18,400	20,800	28,900	20,600	19,500	17,600	13,100
Living with parents	9,700	7,600	11,100	16,700	16,300	23,900	27,400	16,500	18,600	15,800	12,300
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	4,000	4,100	4,600	5,100	‡	5,400	5,300	5,900	5,200	4,700	4,200
\$7,000–12,999	7,100	8,100	8,700	9,400	9,000	9,400	9,400	8,700	9,200	8,800	8,500
\$13,000–21,999	13,100	13,700	15,300	16,300	14,500	16,100	16,200	14,500	15,200	15,000	15,200
\$22,000 or more	23,900	23,500	24,300	27,200	30,600	38,100	43,700	26,400	27,500	26,700	32,000
Sex											
Male	9,600	7,700	12,200	19,000	21,200	30,500	36,100	19,600	21,600	17,200	15,200
Female	10,900	7,400	12,200	18,200	16,800	29,600	35,000	18,700	17,700	17,300	14,800
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	9,600	7,700	13,000	19,100	20,500	30,600	35,600	19,200	19,200	17,400	15,700
Black	10,000	7,300	10,800	16,600	18,900	24,000	28,500	18,400	19,300	16,300	13,300
Hispanic	10,800	7,100	10,400	17,100	15,500	29,600	36,200	18,700	18,700	18,200	13,100
Asian	‡	8,500	12,700	21,000	‡	38,800	43,400	21,000	19,300	18,200	18,700
American Indian	‡	7,500	9,300	15,700	‡	‡	‡	18,900	16,000	14,700	12,400
Pacific Islander	‡	8,400	‡	18,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	20,600	19,900	14,700
Two or more races	‡	8,100	13,400	18,100	‡	33,000	35,200	20,600	18,200	19,700	16,100

See notes at end of table.



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Table 4.3-A.

**NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$8,500	\$8,300	\$14,800	\$21,500	\$25,200	\$37,100	\$42,900	\$19,500	\$21,800	\$22,000	\$19,200
19–23 years	8,800	7,800	13,800	20,000	21,000	34,900	41,000	18,600	19,100	18,700	17,600
24–29 years	12,100	7,400	10,100	14,700	16,500	21,700	23,000	18,900	19,000	16,900	11,900
30–39 years	9,800	7,300	9,500	13,200	16,200	17,000	20,400	19,100	18,300	16,700	11,600
40 years or older	12,200	6,900	8,800	12,300	15,200	14,900	16,200	18,900	18,400	16,700	10,600
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	8,600	8,000	14,400	20,400	25,100	35,900	42,000	18,300	20,400	21,900	18,700
Independent <sup>5</sup>	11,200	7,200	9,800	14,300	15,700	18,700	21,200	19,100	18,400	16,600	11,600
Unmarried, no dependents	10,800	7,400	10,300	15,100	17,900	21,000	24,500	19,300	19,600	17,000	12,100
Married, no dependents	14,700	7,500	9,900	15,700	18,000	20,000	19,600	19,900	19,700	17,800	11,700
Unmarried with dependents	10,500	7,100	9,300	13,600	13,700	17,900	20,800	18,900	17,600	15,900	11,400
Married with dependents	10,900	7,100	9,400	12,600	14,300	16,000	17,600	19,100	17,700	16,700	11,000
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	7,100	6,400	10,300	16,100	22,200	27,500	36,000	17,000	18,100	18,400	13,500
\$20,000–39,999	7,400	7,200	11,600	17,400	22,100	30,300	37,900	17,400	18,500	19,800	15,000
\$40,000–59,999	‡	8,400	13,900	19,700	23,500	34,000	38,800	18,700	20,600	24,700	17,500
\$60,000–79,999	‡	8,900	16,500	20,700	24,700	35,500	41,300	22,200	21,700	24,600	19,100
\$80,000–99,999	‡	9,100	15,700	21,700	‡	36,500	40,700	22,200	24,100	23,600	20,000
\$100,000 or more	‡	9,000	17,400	22,800	27,200	41,600	46,800	20,500	24,400	28,700	23,900
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	8,400	7,300	10,300	14,900	15,700	22,900	27,100	19,200	17,000	15,300	12,000
\$10,000–19,999	14,700	7,400	10,100	14,800	15,200	16,900	22,700	19,400	18,800	16,900	12,000
\$20,000–29,999	12,700	7,400	9,700	14,600	17,300	17,600	19,600	18,300	19,700	17,700	11,600
\$30,000–49,999	9,500	6,900	9,900	13,800	13,700	17,600	18,900	18,400	20,800	16,600	11,200
\$50,000 or more	13,800	7,100	8,800	13,100	17,000	16,900	17,500	19,500	18,300	17,300	10,800

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.3-A.

**NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$7,700	\$7,000	\$10,400	\$15,900	\$17,900	\$26,400	\$33,700	\$18,400	\$17,400	\$16,100	\$12,900
Middle 50 percent	11,900	7,800	12,700	18,600	17,800	29,200	34,900	19,100	19,700	17,600	15,000
Highest 25 percent	12,200	7,600	13,100	20,500	20,000	33,600	37,200	20,000	20,900	17,900	17,200
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	9,300	7,700	13,300	20,300	20,900	33,800	39,400	18,800	19,000	17,000	17,400
Worked part time	11,600	8,000	13,000	18,500	16,800	30,900	36,200	18,900	19,100	18,100	15,400
Worked full time	10,700	6,900	9,600	14,000	14,100	18,700	20,700	19,100	19,000	17,000	11,000
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	9,500	11,400	17,500	26,000	20,100	21,000	25,600	24,400	19,400	14,800
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	6,100	‡	11,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	10,900	9,600
Reserves	‡	8,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	15,200	12,800
Nonmilitary students	10,300	7,500	12,300	18,600	18,000	30,500	36,100	18,700	18,700	17,300	15,100
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	9,500	7,200	11,000	16,500	16,200	23,600	28,900	19,100	18,400	16,500	12,600
Some postsecondary education	12,600	7,600	12,000	17,500	17,900	27,700	31,900	19,000	18,900	17,800	13,800
Bachelor's degree or higher	11,800	8,000	13,600	20,000	22,100	34,500	39,500	18,100	20,100	18,400	18,400
Total aid status											
No aid	11,000	6,900	10,300	17,400	14,900	24,800	31,200	15,800	16,300	12,500	10,700
Received aid	10,100	8,100	13,100	19,000	19,200	30,700	36,200	19,300	19,600	17,800	16,800
Grant status											
No grant	11,500	7,400	12,000	18,700	17,300	24,000	29,400	18,500	19,600	16,900	12,700
Received grant	9,700	7,700	12,500	18,500	18,700	31,700	37,500	19,000	18,700	17,400	16,600
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	10,100	7,100	10,500	17,900	16,800	28,900	34,300	16,500	16,700	13,300	11,700
Received loan	11,200	9,500	14,900	19,200	19,800	30,600	36,300	19,600	20,300	18,500	19,700

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.3-A.

## NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net price after federal grants. Federal grants includes Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (FSEOG), the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grants, the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grants, and a small number of other federal grants. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.3-A.

Standard errors for table 4.3-A: NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$570</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$2,310</b>	<b>\$510</b>	<b>\$520</b>	<b>\$1,080</b>	<b>\$490</b>	<b>\$460</b>	<b>\$100</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,170	140	230	210	4,020	540	460	1,150	770	410	150
Full-time/part-year	800	100	280	240	1,040	1,380	1,140	1,120	550	200	160
Part-time/full-year	830	90	160	170	3,550	920	1,010	1,690	670	1,080	100
Part-time/part-year	770	70	230	190	1,590	710	790	1,060	390	510	70
Housing											
On campus	†	530	470	280	530	700	590	†	†	1,340	310
Off campus	620	100	220	230	3,130	750	820	1,490	790	300	130
Living with parents	950	90	330	240	1,000	980	950	740	480	1,630	140
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	180	30	80	50	†	270	270	430	170	280	30
\$7,000–12,999	530	30	80	70	530	200	290	320	130	130	30
\$13,000–21,999	370	90	150	60	560	240	230	270	240	110	50
\$22,000 or more	1,250	280	270	190	4,480	530	450	800	600	160	160
Sex											
Male	1,060	120	280	250	3,390	680	870	2,260	1,010	730	150
Female	770	80	230	160	2,540	610	680	1,130	390	320	90
Race/ethnicity											
White	700	100	240	210	4,600	690	640	1,510	710	410	130
Black	2,250	120	370	350	2,470	920	1,670	1,350	870	450	190
Hispanic	1,080	130	490	290	1,710	2,060	1,450	960	750	510	230
Asian	†	300	460	510	†	2,330	1,420	2,100	1,830	2,670	490
American Indian	†	420	1,040	1,290	†	†	†	5,180	1,660	1,050	600
Pacific Islander	†	640	†	1,330	†	†	†	†	2,850	1,350	940
Two or more races	†	250	700	540	†	1,780	2,880	2,030	1,330	650	400

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.3-A.

Standard errors for table 4.3-A: NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,420	\$150	\$360	\$290	\$4,100	\$800	\$980	\$1,190	\$1,260	\$1,040	\$220
19–23 years	520	100	270	210	3,280	660	580	1,030	590	660	130
24–29 years	1,640	120	290	270	2,400	890	1,810	1,160	740	540	160
30–39 years	1,100	130	330	280	2,520	820	1,020	1,440	660	480	140
40 years or older	1,870	130	280	300	1,990	810	1,080	1,160	790	570	160
Dependency status											
Dependent	630	110	320	210	4,260	630	520	990	740	450	140
Independent	670	90	190	180	1,540	520	910	1,150	500	500	110
Unmarried, no dependents	1,710	110	290	240	4,080	920	1,530	1,310	790	580	160
Married, no dependents	1,880	250	480	590	3,730	1,550	1,730	1,680	840	790	300
Unmarried with dependents	1,750	130	250	330	810	630	1,800	1,140	570	370	140
Married with dependents	1,290	140	350	310	1,340	930	1,420	1,550	810	810	180
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	790	130	310	260	5,220	1,220	1,600	1,170	740	710	230
\$20,000–39,999	1,290	150	560	290	2,940	820	1,300	870	920	830	240
\$40,000–59,999	†	170	380	330	3,250	840	1,710	1,720	1,290	1,340	270
\$60,000–79,999	†	230	420	290	3,560	1,440	1,530	2,010	1,440	1,410	330
\$80,000–99,999	†	280	550	390	†	1,450	1,510	1,800	1,990	1,700	360
\$100,000 or more	†	250	450	270	5,700	900	810	1,220	2,720	1,390	320
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	820	130	290	250	2,860	1,120	1,970	1,310	700	440	170
\$10,000–19,999	2,310	130	280	350	940	1,000	2,560	980	700	440	160
\$20,000–29,999	1,810	170	460	440	2,260	1,060	2,150	1,380	800	580	180
\$30,000–49,999	730	140	460	410	2,190	1,300	1,980	1,400	1,050	800	210
\$50,000 or more	1,760	200	340	380	1,860	860	1,070	1,320	1,020	1,100	250

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.3-A.

Standard errors for table 4.3-A: NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$540	\$100	\$240	\$210	\$3,340	\$750	\$1,200	\$1,220	\$540	\$420	\$140
Middle 50 percent	1,010	80	270	190	1,570	530	730	1,090	560	460	110
Highest 25 percent	1,140	170	390	290	3,160	1,120	1,100	1,100	1,070	950	280
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	1,140	100	240	280	3,470	630	670	1,220	570	390	160
Worked part time	1,050	110	290	170	1,610	790	790	1,030	700	340	130
Worked full time	1,380	100	250	260	1,760	630	1,000	1,120	710	660	130
Military status											
Veterans	†	280	710	640	4,960	2,550	5,870	3,750	1,550	1,220	440
Military service members											
Active duty	†	300	†	1,180	†	†	†	†	†	2,860	780
Reserves	†	1,240	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,710	1,020
Nonmilitary students	580	80	230	190	2,240	480	530	1,070	460	300	90
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	670	80	240	230	1,290	570	1,150	1,060	560	430	110
Some postsecondary education	1,650	110	220	240	1,970	680	930	1,230	640	480	140
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,430	120	320	230	5,290	840	670	1,080	720	670	180
Total aid status											
No aid	980	150	360	370	2,520	1,810	1,380	1,290	840	750	200
Received aid	820	100	220	180	2,400	470	530	1,100	540	510	120
Grant status											
No grant	800	140	320	270	2,290	1,260	1,300	1,270	780	460	180
Received grant	830	100	220	190	2,720	470	610	1,120	530	550	120
Loan status											
No loan	690	90	290	260	3,250	1,180	970	1,190	600	1,140	140
Received loan	910	140	260	170	2,050	420	570	1,100	570	280	130

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.3-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,700</b>	<b>\$12,600</b>	<b>\$17,800</b>	<b>\$22,300</b>	<b>\$27,000</b>	<b>\$38,200</b>	<b>\$44,800</b>	<b>\$26,000</b>	<b>\$26,900</b>	<b>\$25,700</b>	<b>\$24,200</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	12,100	20,500	23,600	28,700	41,000	47,700	‡	‡	36,400	32,800
Off campus	14,900	12,900	17,200	22,600	28,600	32,300	42,500	28,100	28,100	25,300	21,900
Living with parents	16,200	12,300	16,500	20,400	21,700	34,000	38,200	22,700	25,700	25,900	19,600
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
\$7,000–12,999	‡	8,600	8,200	9,300	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	8,600
\$13,000–21,999	13,400	13,900	15,800	16,900	14,400	16,700	16,000	15,500	16,200	16,100	15,500
\$22,000 or more	24,100	22,500	24,200	27,200	30,600	39,100	45,800	27,400	28,500	27,100	32,900
Sex											
Male	14,200	12,900	18,000	22,800	30,600	37,500	45,600	27,100	30,300	27,000	24,500
Female	17,200	12,400	17,800	21,900	24,600	38,700	44,200	25,600	25,000	24,900	24,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	16,100	12,900	18,600	23,000	30,700	38,900	44,800	27,500	27,500	25,400	25,000
Black	‡	12,000	15,400	19,800	25,700	30,800	40,200	25,300	26,900	24,800	21,700
Hispanic	12,600	11,600	15,800	20,300	21,500	38,600	44,100	24,500	26,000	27,000	21,500
Asian	‡	14,200	18,600	24,400	‡	45,900	50,000	25,500	27,100	30,000	28,200
American Indian	‡	12,500	14,900	20,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	24,900	24,100	20,600
Pacific Islander	‡	13,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	27,100	24,500
Two or more races	‡	12,500	17,500	21,500	‡	39,400	45,500	29,700	25,300	25,700	24,300
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	11,800	17,900	22,600	28,000	39,700	46,300	25,100	30,000	32,200	25,400
19–23 years	13,900	12,500	18,400	22,700	28,700	39,600	45,900	25,600	27,500	28,600	25,500
24–29 years	16,000	13,400	15,700	20,400	24,500	31,600	38,400	26,100	27,200	25,500	20,800
30–39 years	15,600	12,900	16,200	19,800	29,400	28,100	30,400	26,700	24,700	24,100	19,900
40 years or older	18,300	13,200	16,000	20,100	23,500	26,200	32,700	26,300	25,400	24,600	20,600

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.3-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$13,600	\$12,300	\$18,600	\$22,700	\$30,200	\$39,900	\$46,100	\$25,000	\$28,900	\$30,200	\$25,900
Independent <sup>4</sup>	16,600	13,000	15,800	20,400	24,700	29,600	36,400	26,300	25,800	24,800	20,400
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	13,800	16,000	20,400	29,300	32,600	38,900	27,400	28,200	25,800	21,400
Married, no dependents	‡	14,700	18,400	22,300	‡	29,600	‡	25,800	26,600	26,200	21,500
Unmarried with dependents	18,000	12,000	14,800	18,800	18,200	26,700	34,400	25,700	24,200	24,000	19,300
Married with dependents	15,700	12,500	15,100	20,500	20,900	27,600	34,200	26,300	25,400	24,500	19,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	9,400	13,500	17,700	27,800	33,200	39,900	22,900	25,100	27,000	19,100
\$20,000–39,999	‡	10,600	15,300	19,200	24,400	34,500	42,000	24,400	27,000	27,100	21,200
\$40,000–59,999	‡	12,500	18,200	21,700	26,900	37,200	44,000	26,400	28,600	31,100	24,100
\$60,000–79,999	‡	14,300	19,800	23,600	31,800	40,300	45,300	31,100	31,900	33,000	26,700
\$80,000–99,999	‡	14,400	20,500	24,400	‡	40,000	46,500	26,900	34,200	35,100	27,700
\$100,000 or more	‡	14,700	22,100	25,700	32,700	44,500	49,800	28,500	34,100	37,500	31,400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	12,300	12,400	15,000	19,100	24,500	31,300	38,800	26,200	24,400	24,500	19,500
\$10,000–19,999	19,200	12,800	15,900	20,300	21,300	27,200	36,100	25,800	25,600	24,500	20,200
\$20,000–29,999	‡	13,200	15,700	21,800	‡	28,500	‡	26,500	26,400	24,100	20,200
\$30,000–49,999	‡	13,300	17,200	21,700	‡	28,300	‡	28,300	29,300	25,500	21,900
\$50,000 or more	‡	15,000	17,900	23,900	‡	30,300	‡	26,800	25,400	25,600	22,400
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	12,100	10,800	14,100	18,400	26,000	32,900	40,500	25,400	25,200	25,400	19,600
Middle 50 percent	16,900	13,100	18,400	22,300	26,000	37,300	43,700	26,200	27,200	25,400	24,000
Highest 25 percent	‡	14,800	21,600	25,700	30,500	42,900	48,900	28,300	30,100	26,800	29,800

See notes at end of table.



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Table 4.3-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$15,900	\$12,400	\$18,400	\$23,300	\$29,200	\$39,500	\$46,400	\$26,000	\$27,000	\$25,600	\$26,300
Worked part time	15,300	12,700	17,900	21,600	23,600	37,600	44,200	25,500	26,600	26,400	23,000
Worked full time	16,700	12,900	16,100	21,000	25,000	32,100	34,700	27,000	27,000	25,300	20,800
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	14,900	18,000	22,900	‡	33,500	‡	29,100	32,100	27,700	23,800
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	22,200	22,200
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	20,800
Nonmilitary students	15,800	12,500	17,800	22,300	26,700	38,300	44,900	25,900	26,500	25,500	24,200
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	14,100	11,900	16,100	20,100	23,500	33,000	40,700	25,900	26,000	24,800	20,500
Some postsecondary education	18,600	12,600	17,600	21,000	25,400	35,800	41,100	25,900	27,000	25,900	22,200
Bachelor's degree or higher	16,500	13,500	19,200	23,800	33,100	41,200	47,100	26,000	28,200	27,200	27,800
Total aid status											
No aid	17,900	15,000	21,100	25,700	‡	47,900	51,200	27,500	29,700	30,300	24,300
Received aid	14,900	11,900	17,200	21,700	26,400	37,400	44,100	25,900	26,500	25,500	24,200
Grant status											
No grant	18,500	15,100	21,100	25,300	30,500	42,600	49,000	29,400	31,600	28,400	24,800
Received grant	14,500	11,400	16,400	20,900	26,000	37,500	44,000	25,400	24,900	25,000	24,000
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	15,800	12,500	17,500	23,300	28,500	42,000	48,100	23,900	27,600	27,200	22,100
Received loan	15,400	12,900	18,100	21,700	26,000	36,600	43,100	26,400	26,600	25,500	25,800

See notes at end of table.

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Table 4.3-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Dependent student income includes parents' income. Independent student income includes the income of a spouse if the student is married.

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net price after federal grants. Full-time status for the purposes of financial aid eligibility was based on 12 credit hours, unless the awarding institution employed a different standard. Students attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Full-time/full-year students represent 37.6 percent of all undergraduates attending only one institution. Federal grants includes Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (FSEOG), the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grants, the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grants, and a small number of other federal grants. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S4.3-B.

Standard errors for table 4.3-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,170</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$230</b>	<b>\$210</b>	<b>\$4,020</b>	<b>\$540</b>	<b>\$460</b>	<b>\$1,150</b>	<b>\$770</b>	<b>\$410</b>	<b>\$150</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	610	460	320	460	710	550	†	†	1,050	330
Off campus	830	190	260	260	5,490	990	770	1,430	1,230	270	210
Living with parents	1,500	160	410	310	1,280	770	910	900	720	1,120	190
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
\$7,000–12,999	†	100	260	530	†	†	†	†	†	†	90
\$13,000–21,999	580	120	180	70	1,800	480	740	590	570	450	60
\$22,000 or more	1,550	270	260	200	4,690	560	470	1,010	770	210	180
Sex											
Male	1,690	170	340	270	3,800	680	590	2,020	1,710	600	190
Female	1,390	150	240	190	4,780	580	640	1,170	570	330	170
Race/ethnicity											
White	1,130	170	270	220	5,780	670	480	1,500	1,070	470	180
Black	†	270	630	410	2,070	730	1,590	1,720	990	330	350
Hispanic	940	210	510	280	2,850	850	1,140	1,380	1,110	490	320
Asian	†	420	650	610	†	1,470	1,280	2,120	1,750	1,550	560
American Indian	†	640	1,150	1,590	†	†	†	†	1,580	2,050	1,060
Pacific Islander	†	950	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,220	1,590
Two or more races	†	410	720	530	†	1,450	1,260	1,950	1,570	870	610
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	190	370	310	4,920	790	510	1,490	1,770	950	250
19–23 years	1,060	160	270	240	4,470	620	540	1,310	970	530	160
24–29 years	2,710	210	340	340	4,320	960	2,450	1,390	1,060	440	300
30–39 years	1,230	300	520	460	5,460	1,410	2,290	1,400	1,040	660	300
40 years or older	2,230	280	790	650	2,860	1,050	2,670	1,490	1,280	360	320

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.3-B.

Standard errors for table 4.3-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$1,040	\$170	\$270	\$220	\$5,070	\$620	\$500	\$1,070	\$1,310	\$460	\$160
Independent	1,540	180	310	270	3,520	560	1,380	1,240	730	420	220
Unmarried, no dependents	†	210	350	350	6,410	1,070	2,160	1,520	1,160	610	330
Married, no dependents	†	350	830	760	†	1,410	†	1,770	1,150	990	430
Unmarried with dependents	2,620	260	500	480	2,050	730	2,880	1,330	600	390	270
Married with dependents	2,540	220	530	650	3,060	1,390	2,430	1,440	1,180	610	360
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	220	370	300	8,270	1,110	1,040	1,170	1,200	580	310
\$20,000–39,999	†	230	630	290	3,240	800	1,140	1,550	1,380	760	330
\$40,000–59,999	†	260	520	320	3,380	710	770	2,310	1,280	950	340
\$60,000–79,999	†	230	370	290	3,980	840	1,220	2,350	1,870	1,420	390
\$80,000–99,999	†	260	340	360	†	840	1,080	2,250	2,150	2,240	340
\$100,000 or more	†	260	370	270	5,900	870	770	1,770	2,630	740	310
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	1,620	240	380	320	5,860	1,250	2,420	1,540	710	430	300
\$10,000–19,999	2,460	300	500	440	2,240	1,110	1,630	1,230	920	380	310
\$20,000–29,999	†	260	610	720	†	2,020	†	1,570	1,110	510	370
\$30,000–49,999	†	400	980	630	†	1,350	†	1,600	1,750	640	590
\$50,000 or more	†	360	910	810	†	1,390	†	1,860	1,450	990	460
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	1,060	180	240	260	5,800	700	1,070	1,430	690	410	210
Middle 50 percent	1,630	160	290	210	2,990	540	550	1,050	860	340	160
Highest 25 percent	†	240	340	270	4,670	860	820	1,320	1,520	930	310

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.3-B.

Standard errors for table 4.3-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET PRICE AFTER FEDERAL GRANTS: Average net price after federal grants for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$1,480	\$170	\$290	\$290	\$5,270	\$630	\$510	\$1,280	\$860	\$460	\$200
Worked part time	1,440	160	300	190	2,610	690	680	1,070	900	420	190
Worked full time	2,140	210	440	360	4,310	820	1,250	1,380	990	530	260
Military status											
Veterans	†	510	850	870	†	2,340	†	2,850	2,800	1,030	650
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,840	1,720
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,510
Nonmilitary students	1,190	150	230	210	4,040	540	470	1,140	680	320	140
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	820	170	290	250	2,640	560	700	990	790	340	190
Some postsecondary education	2,200	180	290	270	3,760	600	790	1,530	930	500	210
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,490	180	330	260	6,700	730	560	1,630	1,020	660	210
Total aid status											
No aid	1,230	220	380	430	†	1,760	1,800	1,790	1,420	1,750	340
Received aid	1,510	140	240	210	3,960	460	480	1,180	810	370	160
Grant status											
No grant	1,200	200	290	290	3,530	1,510	1,300	1,060	960	720	240
Received grant	1,490	150	240	220	4,620	460	490	1,230	740	350	170
Loan status											
No loan	1,300	150	300	310	6,690	1,180	820	2,390	1,240	1,350	230
Received loan	1,040	200	280	210	2,820	460	470	1,150	750	280	160

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-A.

**NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,900</b>	<b>\$800</b>	<b>\$2,400</b>	<b>\$5,100</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	<b>\$10,100</b>	<b>\$13,100</b>	<b>\$9,700</b>	<b>\$9,500</b>	<b>\$6,300</b>	<b>\$4,200</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	3,200	1,200	3,600	6,000	9,900	12,600	16,200	11,900	13,600	10,400	7,100
Full-time/part-year	1,100	800	2,300	4,500	5,100	7,500	9,100	8,900	7,800	4,100	3,900
Part-time/full-year	1,300	800	1,600	4,200	5,500 !	8,000	8,700	9,900	9,300	7,300	2,500
Part-time/part-year	900	500	1,200	2,300	5,800	3,200	4,700	7,500	4,800	3,100	1,300
Housing											
On campus	‡	1,000	4,500	6,100	4,400	12,800	16,100	‡	‡	13,400	9,500
Off campus	2,100	800	1,900	5,100	8,000	7,400	11,300	11,200	9,900	6,300	3,600
Living with parents	1,700	800	2,200	4,200	4,900	8,300	10,000	7,500	9,100	6,200	3,100
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	600	500	900	1,400	‡	1,600	1,300	2,700	1,700	1,000	700
\$7,000–12,999	1,000	900	1,600	2,700	4,100	3,200	3,200	4,400	4,100	3,000	1,600
\$13,000–21,999	2,100	1,200	2,700	3,700	5,400	5,300	6,200	7,100	7,100	5,200	3,400
\$22,000 or more	6,700	2,200	5,600	8,300	11,800	12,900	16,200	13,800	14,300	10,400	11,200
Sex											
Male	1,500 !	900	2,500	5,500	8,800	10,500	13,400	10,600	11,200	6,500	4,300
Female	2,200	700	2,300	4,700	6,300	9,800	12,900	9,400	8,600	6,200	4,100
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	1,900	900	2,800	5,600	7,700 !	10,900	13,200	10,200	9,700	6,400	4,600
Black	‡	600	1,500	3,100	7,600	6,400	9,100	9,800	9,800	5,800	3,300
Hispanic	1,600 !	600	1,400	3,300	7,600	8,700	12,100	8,900	8,900	6,600	3,100
Asian	‡	1,200	2,900	7,200	‡	13,100	18,600	11,200	9,800	7,400	6,200
American Indian	‡	600	1,100	2,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,600	5,300	2,600
Pacific Islander	‡	600	‡	6,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,100	7,600	4,000
Two or more races	‡	700	2,500	4,400	‡	9,900	14,300	10,300	8,300	7,400	4,400

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-A.

**NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,400 !	\$900	\$2,700	\$5,600	\$9,200	\$10,900	\$14,800	\$11,000	\$11,200	\$9,100	\$5,100
19–23 years	1,600	900	3,100	5,800	8,900	11,900	15,100	9,900	9,800	7,400	5,200
24–29 years	1,600 !	700	1,500	3,400	5,900	8,100	9,400	9,200	9,500	6,300	3,100
30–39 years	1,700	600	1,200	2,900	6,200	5,600	7,600	9,600	8,800	5,800	3,000
40 years or older	3,000 !	700	1,300	2,700	5,800	5,600	6,700	8,700	8,700	5,800	2,800
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	1,800	1,000	3,200	5,900	10,000	12,000	15,300	10,100	10,700	9,300	5,500
Independent <sup>5</sup>	1,900	600	1,400	3,200	6,100	6,500	8,400	9,500	8,900	5,900	3,000
Unmarried, no dependents	1,700 !	700	1,600	3,500	6,600	7,500	10,100	9,800	10,200	6,800	3,200
Married, no dependents	4,200 !	900	1,900	3,800	7,000 !	7,200	8,000	9,100	9,800	7,100	3,100
Unmarried with dependents	1,300 !	400	900	2,300	5,600	5,700	8,600	9,300	8,300	5,200	2,900
Married with dependents	1,900 !	700	1,300	2,900	5,400	5,800	6,000	9,800	7,900	5,600	2,700
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	900 !	300	900	1,900	7,100	5,100	9,400	9,200	8,600	6,600	2,500
\$20,000–39,999	‡	600	1,600	2,900	7,500	6,500	9,800	9,200	8,900	7,800	3,000
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,000	2,600	4,300	8,500	8,000	11,100	10,600	11,100	11,000	4,100
\$60,000–79,999	‡	1,400	4,500	6,500	10,600	11,200	14,300	12,200	12,100	13,000	5,800
\$80,000–99,999	‡	1,500	4,300	7,200	‡	13,700	14,400	13,300	14,000	10,600	6,400
\$100,000 or more	‡	1,500	5,100	8,300	12,300	17,500	20,900	11,700	14,400	13,500	9,000
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	700 !	500	1,300	2,800	5,800	7,200	9,900	9,800	7,900	5,300	3,000
\$10,000–19,999	3,300 !	500	1,100	2,900	5,400	5,200	9,700	9,200	9,300	6,100	3,000
\$20,000–29,999	2,200 !	700	1,500	3,800	7,400	6,100	8,100	9,000	9,400	6,500	3,000
\$30,000–49,999	1,100 !	700	1,500	3,400	5,600	6,100	7,500	8,900	10,900	5,800	2,900
\$50,000 or more	3,700	900	1,800	3,500	7,300	7,200	7,000	9,900	8,900	6,200	2,900

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-A.

**NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$800	\$500	\$1,100	\$2,400	\$6,300	\$6,200	\$9,900	\$9,500	\$8,100	\$5,700	\$2,800
Middle 50 percent	2,300	800	2,500	5,000	7,000	9,100	11,800	9,600	10,000	6,500	4,000
Highest 25 percent	3,100	1,100	3,400	7,100	8,800	14,200	16,600	10,500	11,200	6,600	5,900
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	1,700	800	2,700	5,900	7,800	10,700	15,000	9,400	9,400	6,300	5,200
Worked part time	2,200	900	2,600	4,800	6,700	11,100	12,800	10,000	9,900	6,900	4,200
Worked full time	1,800 !	700	1,700	3,500	6,400	6,800	7,600	9,600	9,000	6,000	2,800
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	900	1,700	3,900	12,100	8,500	8,800 !	14,700	11,800	7,200	4,100
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	900	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,600 !	2,200
Reserves	‡	500	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	5,100	2,800
Nonmilitary students	1,900	800	2,400	5,100	7,000	10,200	13,300	9,500	9,400	6,400	4,200
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	1,500	600	1,700	3,400	6,300	7,200	9,100	9,800	9,000	5,900	3,100
Some postsecondary education	3,000	800	2,100	4,300	7,300	8,700	11,000	9,400	9,300	6,500	3,500
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,100	1,000	3,200	6,200	8,400	12,400	15,500	9,400	10,600	7,000	5,800
Total aid status											
No aid	3,100	1,300	3,300	8,000	8,100	16,200	21,300	9,800	9,900	5,900	4,000
Received aid	1,400	400	2,000	4,200	6,900	9,200	11,700	9,600	9,400	6,400	4,300
Grant status											
No grant	3,200	1,400	3,800	8,100	9,000	14,600	19,000	10,800	11,700	7,700	5,000
Received grant	1,100 !	200	1,300	3,100	6,400	8,800	11,100	9,300	8,300	5,700	3,700
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	1,800	800	2,200	5,800	7,100	12,100	15,300	8,800	8,700	4,700	3,200
Received loan	2,200	800	2,600	4,500	7,300	9,000	11,700	9,900	9,900	6,900	5,700

See notes at end of table.



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**Table 4.4-A.**

**NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. If the grant amount is greater than tuition and fees, the net tuition was set to zero. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net tuition. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S4.4-A.

Standard errors for table 4.4-A: NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$340</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$110</b>	<b>\$1,300</b>	<b>\$320</b>	<b>\$360</b>	<b>\$920</b>	<b>\$440</b>	<b>\$270</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	740	40	160	150	2,120	410	430	1,020	690	270	90
Full-time/part-year	270	30	170	140	1,160	670	880	1,020	490	140	110
Part-time/full-year	360	30	100	90	1,880	650	750	1,430	560	710	60
Part-time/part-year	170	20	60	80	1,490	330	590	1,140	310	300	30
Housing											
On campus	†	100	330	190	210	510	620	†	†	1,000	220
Off campus	480	20	90	130	1,530	410	520	1,240	630	150	70
Living with parents	430	20	120	120	1,140	480	660	620	450	960	70
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	80	20	50	60	†	260	280	450	350	270	20
\$7,000–12,999	200	20	70	70	930	280	320	390	290	190	30
\$13,000–21,999	360	40	90	60	1,260	310	360	630	380	130	50
\$22,000 or more	1,120	210	330	200	2,400	410	410	1,010	590	150	140
Sex											
Male	550	30	120	150	1,920	440	500	2,100	840	430	80
Female	360	20	110	100	1,380	400	500	840	360	190	60
Race/ethnicity											
White	410	20	130	120	2,340	440	410	1,270	600	250	70
Black	†	30	190	170	1,130	340	890	1,030	490	270	100
Hispanic	500	30	160	150	1,190	1,000	860	1,030	860	310	120
Asian	†	90	250	410	†	1,320	1,330	1,760	1,280	1,410	280
American Indian	†	100	280	630	†	†	†	†	1,340	690	270
Pacific Islander	†	110	†	900	†	†	†	†	1,880	900	390
Two or more races	†	50	240	330	†	800	1,590	1,480	880	610	240

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.4-A.

Standard errors for table 4.4-A: NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$690	\$30	\$160	\$190	\$2,680	\$510	\$550	\$1,050	\$970	\$520	\$110
19–23 years	310	20	140	130	1,540	430	460	860	520	380	70
24–29 years	580	30	100	110	1,480	590	1,070	970	480	310	90
30–39 years	420	20	90	150	1,220	450	670	1,150	530	270	80
40 years or older	970	40	110	130	1,480	420	650	1,160	760	340	80
Dependency status											
Dependent	470	20	150	130	2,120	430	430	830	640	260	80
Independent	370	20	60	90	1,150	280	530	990	420	280	60
Unmarried, no dependents	550	30	80	130	1,730	510	910	1,210	610	350	90
Married, no dependents	1,260	60	190	220	2,560	760	1,220	1,500	710	540	130
Unmarried with dependents	420	20	100	160	1,090	450	1,070	880	420	200	80
Married with dependents	690	30	90	120	1,350	410	700	1,260	660	390	80
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	430	20	130	140	1,300	470	1,140	980	640	350	120
\$20,000–39,999	†	40	220	160	1,690	490	930	740	690	540	100
\$40,000–59,999	†	40	200	200	1,890	500	860	1,040	850	670	120
\$60,000–79,999	†	50	230	190	2,300	710	980	1,570	1,090	1,060	160
\$80,000–99,999	†	60	270	250	†	870	840	1,590	1,480	1,140	190
\$100,000 or more	†	50	230	190	3,550	700	760	1,050	1,790	720	180
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	270	30	110	160	1,420	560	1,290	1,050	550	250	100
\$10,000–19,999	1,030	20	110	160	1,030	580	1,380	1,050	550	270	100
\$20,000–29,999	740	30	140	240	1,690	620	1,530	990	630	350	90
\$30,000–49,999	490	30	100	170	1,340	660	1,140	1,000	900	410	100
\$50,000 or more	770	50	140	130	1,370	440	620	1,330	660	510	100

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.4-A.

Standard errors for table 4.4-A: NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$220	\$20	\$70	\$110	\$1,270	\$370	\$780	\$950	\$450	\$250	\$80
Middle 50 percent	530	20	120	110	1,220	360	460	950	470	270	60
Highest 25 percent	510	40	170	160	1,970	630	760	1,090	730	470	130
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	420	20	130	160	1,550	460	500	1,010	500	240	90
Worked part time	450	30	130	110	1,320	430	570	860	550	190	70
Worked full time	790	20	90	120	1,550	310	480	1,000	500	360	60
Military status											
Veterans	†	70	210	270	2,710	1,360	3,240	4,210	1,120	710	250
Military service members											
Active duty	†	190	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,160	370
Reserves	†	130	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,060	460
Nonmilitary students	350	20	100	110	1,260	320	370	880	430	190	50
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	370	20	90	130	960	330	500	930	440	240	60
Some postsecondary education	770	30	90	120	1,370	410	510	1,080	470	310	70
Bachelor's degree or higher	390	30	150	150	2,470	500	450	910	600	400	90
Total aid status											
No aid	560	40	160	250	1,810	1,460	1,060	1,140	640	410	100
Received aid	350	10	100	90	1,240	260	330	950	450	270	60
Grant status											
No grant	470	40	150	170	1,550	1,010	1,010	1,130	590	300	100
Received grant	360	10	80	90	1,360	250	340	930	440	270	60
Loan status											
No loan	390	20	110	160	1,950	670	670	1,120	600	630	60
Received loan	360	30	130	100	1,040	250	360	930	440	170	80

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 4.4-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,200</b>	<b>\$1,200</b>	<b>\$3,600</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>	<b>\$9,900</b>	<b>\$12,600</b>	<b>\$16,200</b>	<b>\$11,900</b>	<b>\$13,600</b>	<b>\$10,400</b>	<b>\$7,100</b>
Housing											
On campus	‡	1,100	5,000	6,400	4,800	13,100	17,000	‡	‡	17,300	10,300
Off campus	3,200 !	1,200	2,900	6,300	11,600	11,800	16,100	13,700	14,600	9,800	6,400
Living with parents	3,600	1,200	3,200	5,000	6,500	11,500	13,800	9,200	12,700	11,500	5,200
Price of attendance <sup>1</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
\$7,000–12,999	‡	900	900	1,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	1,000
\$13,000–21,999	2,200	1,200	2,800	3,400	3,500 !	4,000	2,700 !	7,000	6,600	7,200	2,700
\$22,000 or more	6,700	2,500	5,700	8,200	11,800	13,000	16,700	12,600	14,700	10,900	11,200
Sex											
Male	2,200 !	1,400	3,700	6,400	12,900	12,700	16,300	14,000	15,900	11,400	7,300
Female	4,300	1,000	3,500	5,600	8,000	12,500	16,200	11,300	12,300	9,800	7,000
Race/ethnicity <sup>2</sup>											
White	3,900	1,400	4,200	6,700	11,800	13,600	16,400	13,200	14,300	10,400	7,700
Black	‡	700	1,800	3,400	8,700	7,600	12,700	12,000	14,100	9,700	5,500
Hispanic	1,700 !	700	2,100	3,600	7,900	11,100	13,300	10,200	11,700	10,700	5,100
Asian	‡	2,300	3,800	8,000	‡	15,100	21,300	11,800	14,500	13,800	9,700
American Indian	‡	800 !	1,100 !	2,700 !	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,400	11,000	4,400
Pacific Islander	‡	1,000 !	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,300	6,800
Two or more races	‡	900	3,100	5,000	‡	11,200	17,600	13,000	12,800	10,500	6,800
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	‡	1,200	3,300	5,900	9,600 !	11,500	16,100	12,900	15,900	13,700	7,000
19–23 years	3,100	1,400	4,100	6,300	11,300	13,300	16,700	12,400	14,300	12,200	7,700
24–29 years	1,900 !	1,000	1,900	4,200	8,000	11,500	14,900	11,600	13,700	10,500	5,800
30–39 years	3,400 !	800	1,500	3,900	10,900	9,200	9,700	11,700	11,800	9,400	5,500
40 years or older	5,300 !	900	1,500	3,700	8,500 !	10,300	14,800	10,900	12,200	9,400	6,300

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status <sup>3</sup>											
Dependent	\$3,200 !	\$1,400	\$4,200	\$6,400	\$11,900	\$13,100	\$16,600	\$12,600	\$15,600	\$13,300	\$7,800
Independent <sup>4</sup>	3,200	900	1,800	4,000	8,500	10,100	13,800	11,700	12,500	9,800	5,600
Unmarried, no dependents	‡	1,200	2,100	4,300	10,200 !	11,200	13,900	12,500	15,000	11,100	6,000
Married, no dependents	‡	1,600	3,800	4,700	‡	11,500	‡	10,100	13,500	12,100	6,200
Unmarried with dependents	2,700 !	400	900	2,600	5,300	8,200	14,400	11,200	10,900	8,900	5,200
Married with dependents	3,800 !	800	1,200	4,100	7,300	10,100	13,200	11,900	11,900	9,200	5,400
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	300	900	1,900	5,800	5,700	9,800	11,000	12,900	10,200	3,300
\$20,000–39,999	‡	800	1,700	3,000	7,800	7,000	10,600	12,500	13,600	11,100	4,100
\$40,000–59,999	‡	1,300	3,100	4,500	10,500	8,300	12,200	14,100	15,300	14,300	5,500
\$60,000–79,999	‡	2,200	5,400	7,100	14,400	12,400	15,100	15,600	18,400	17,500	8,000
\$80,000–99,999	‡	2,300	5,800	8,000	‡	15,000	16,300	14,300	20,200	18,400	9,100
\$100,000 or more	‡	2,500	6,700	9,400	15,400	18,400	22,200	14,600	19,100	18,400	12,200
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	700 !	700	1,500	3,200	7,300 !	9,400	13,100	12,100	10,800	9,300	4,700
\$10,000–19,999	4,700 !	500	1,500	3,500	6,100	8,500	14,100	10,800	12,500	9,900	5,500
\$20,000–29,999	‡	900	1,800	5,400	‡	10,300	‡	11,900	12,800	9,700	5,900
\$30,000–49,999	‡	1,100	2,200	4,900	‡	9,900	‡	12,500	16,400	10,100	6,700
\$50,000 or more	‡	2,000	4,400	6,700	‡	13,800	‡	10,300	13,300	10,400	7,600
Income group <sup>6</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	1,100 !	500	1,100	2,500	7,100	7,100	10,900	11,900	12,200	9,600	4,000
Middle 50 percent	3,500	1,300	3,800	5,800	10,000	11,300	14,200	11,800	13,800	10,500	6,700
Highest 25 percent	‡	2,200	6,400	9,300	13,700	18,100	22,200	12,700	16,500	11,100	11,400

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION:** Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled <sup>7</sup>											
Did not work	\$3,600	\$1,200	\$3,800	\$6,700	\$10,600	\$12,400	\$17,100	\$11,800	\$13,500	\$10,400	\$8,000
Worked part time	3,000	1,300	3,600	5,400	8,600	13,000	15,600	12,100	13,900	11,200	6,400
Worked full time	‡	1,100	2,900	4,900	10,500	12,100	12,600	12,200	13,300	10,000	6,100
Military status <sup>8</sup>											
Veterans	‡	1,300	2,800	4,600	‡	14,600	‡	16,700	16,900	11,500	7,800
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,800	5,600
Reserves	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	5,400
Nonmilitary students	3,300	1,200	3,600	6,000	9,600	12,600	16,200	11,800	13,400	10,300	7,100
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>9</sup>											
High school diploma or less	2,600 !	900	2,300	3,900	7,800	9,700	11,400	12,200	13,100	10,000	5,200
Some postsecondary education	4,800	1,200	3,200	4,800	9,900	10,800	13,200	11,700	13,700	10,300	5,800
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,000	1,700	4,700	7,300	12,500	14,500	18,400	11,600	14,400	11,400	9,100
Total aid status											
No aid	5,900	3,100	7,400	12,100	‡	33,600	36,100	14,100	17,700	16,100	11,200
Received aid	2,200 !	600	2,800	4,800	9,300	11,000	14,100	11,800	13,100	10,200	6,400
Grant status											
No grant	6,000	3,100	7,500	11,300	15,200	28,300	33,900	15,600	18,900	14,800	11,400
Received grant	1,900 !	300	1,800	3,500	8,400	10,300	12,900	11,300	11,400	9,300	5,500
Loan status <sup>10</sup>											
No loan	3,300	1,300	3,800	7,200	10,900 !	17,400	21,300	9,600 !	14,600	11,200	6,700
Received loan	3,000	1,100	3,400	5,200	9,300	10,600	13,600	12,400	13,300	10,300	7,400

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 4.4-B.

**FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>2</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>3</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>4</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>5</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>6</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>8</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>9</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. If the grant amount is greater than tuition and fees, the net tuition was set to zero. Averages include students who received no aid and students with zero values for net tuition. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Full-time status for the purposes of financial aid eligibility was based on 12 credit hours, unless the awarding institution employed a different standard. Students attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month. Full-time/full-year students represent 37.6 percent of all undergraduates attending only one institution. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table S4.4-B.

Standard errors for table 4.4-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$740</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$2,120</b>	<b>\$410</b>	<b>\$430</b>	<b>\$1,020</b>	<b>\$690</b>	<b>\$270</b>	<b>\$90</b>
Housing											
On campus	†	170	380	240	250	550	660	†	†	980	240
Off campus	990	50	170	180	2,410	640	660	1,140	1,000	180	130
Living with parents	900	50	200	190	1,630	640	930	1,020	790	770	140
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
\$7,000–12,999	†	50	120	360	†	†	†	†	†	†	50
\$13,000–21,999	500	50	100	70	1,260	410	860	950	550	720	50
\$22,000 or more	1,400	260	350	210	2,440	430	440	1,090	720	160	140
Sex											
Male	1,050	50	230	190	2,960	590	570	2,050	1,340	390	130
Female	760	40	170	150	2,150	500	660	910	610	210	120
Race/ethnicity											
White	990	50	210	160	3,060	520	470	1,360	860	320	120
Black	†	80	190	250	2,010	410	1,390	1,130	920	280	190
Hispanic	840	50	290	190	1,200	930	1,110	1,620	1,550	350	180
Asian	†	220	510	580	†	1,580	1,690	1,840	1,280	1,030	470
American Indian	†	310	550	920	†	†	†	†	1,730	1,620	610
Pacific Islander	†	290	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,330	980
Two or more races	†	140	330	430	†	1,050	1,810	2,170	1,200	750	440
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	†	60	220	220	3,470	570	510	1,390	1,520	700	160
19–23 years	800	50	200	170	2,100	490	520	870	890	370	110
24–29 years	900	90	280	200	2,310	910	2,220	980	720	320	200
30–39 years	1,140	90	290	350	2,410	950	1,540	1,480	750	390	200
40 years or older	1,710	100	360	400	2,610	930	2,160	1,940	1,530	250	250

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.4-B.

Standard errors for table 4.4-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Dependency status											
Dependent	\$990	\$50	\$190	\$160	\$2,480	\$480	\$470	\$800	\$1,160	\$330	\$110
Independent	910	60	170	200	2,080	430	1,180	1,160	620	270	140
Unmarried, no dependents	†	110	240	260	3,150	840	1,700	1,620	980	340	210
Married, no dependents	†	140	640	430	†	1,320	†	2,110	1,090	690	330
Unmarried with dependents	1,320	60	190	330	1,330	640	2,970	940	610	230	190
Married with dependents	1,830	80	250	330	1,880	990	2,000	1,460	830	390	230
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	60	190	160	1,370	550	1,240	980	1,300	520	170
\$20,000–39,999	†	90	240	190	1,980	590	1,040	1,060	1,230	600	170
\$40,000–59,999	†	90	350	230	2,350	560	840	1,200	990	760	180
\$60,000–79,999	†	100	280	240	2,000	690	1,090	1,850	1,770	1,000	240
\$80,000–99,999	†	130	360	300	†	750	990	2,080	1,690	1,000	240
\$100,000 or more	†	110	330	230	4,180	760	780	1,440	2,100	570	230
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	280	90	230	270	2,550	790	2,190	1,220	740	280	200
\$10,000–19,999	1,800	70	280	330	1,390	940	1,830	1,390	830	280	220
\$20,000–29,999	†	100	320	510	†	1,610	†	1,310	800	310	280
\$30,000–49,999	†	130	430	390	†	1,000	†	1,440	1,530	480	370
\$50,000 or more	†	140	760	440	†	950	†	1,700	770	530	320
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	470	50	120	150	1,800	420	1,000	1,090	760	280	130
Middle 50 percent	930	50	200	150	2,140	460	550	1,020	700	250	110
Highest 25 percent	†	80	320	230	3,320	710	820	1,490	1,210	550	220

See notes at end of table.

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Table S4.4-B.

Standard errors for table 4.4-B: FULL-TIME/FULL-YEAR NET TUITION: Average net tuition (tuition and fees minus all grants) of postsecondary education for full-time/full-year undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	\$930	\$70	\$210	\$210	\$2,450	\$530	\$540	\$1,030	\$800	\$300	\$130
Worked part time	840	50	200	140	2,080	540	720	1,110	810	340	130
Worked full time	†	70	310	260	3,080	650	1,040	1,310	770	310	170
Military status											
Veterans	†	160	690	430	†	1,740	†	3,700	1,920	590	510
Military service members											
Active duty	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,120	1,030
Reserves	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,080
Nonmilitary students	760	40	160	150	2,040	420	430	970	670	230	90
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	970	50	180	170	1,520	420	750	1,050	750	240	120
Some postsecondary education	1,150	60	160	160	2,240	540	680	1,170	820	370	120
Bachelor's degree or higher	670	60	250	200	3,370	550	510	1,200	860	380	140
Total aid status											
No aid	860	80	330	370	†	1,620	1,630	1,620	1,300	960	290
Received aid	860	30	140	120	1,880	290	390	1,050	720	240	90
Grant status											
No grant	780	70	260	250	2,880	1,360	1,130	1,110	790	430	210
Received grant	850	20	120	110	2,180	270	390	1,090	710	220	90
Loan status											
No loan	850	40	210	260	4,010	900	940	2,980	1,360	880	150
Received loan	750	50	160	120	1,480	320	400	900	660	200	110

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.1.

**EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,600</b>	<b>\$6,400</b>	<b>\$8,200</b>	<b>\$11,500</b>	<b>\$5,900</b>	<b>\$11,600</b>	<b>\$13,200</b>	<b>\$2,400</b>	<b>\$4,400</b>	<b>\$3,700</b>	<b>\$8,100</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	4,900	6,100	9,100	12,200	8,600	13,700	15,700	1,700	4,400	3,400	9,900
Full-time/part-year	3,400 !	5,500	8,000	12,200	3,200	8,600	8,600	2,400	4,500	3,300	6,400
Part-time/full-year	6,500 !	6,100	6,600	9,400	10,000 !	8,600	8,800	2,800 !	3,500 !	4,600	6,700
Part-time/part-year	5,300	7,100	8,200	9,500	4,500 !	7,500	8,500	4,000	4,300	4,300	7,200
Housing <sup>2</sup>											
On campus	‡	9,300	11,900	14,600	6,400	15,300	17,400	‡	‡	6,800	14,800
Off campus	5,000	6,100	7,300	11,000	6,000	8,200	10,100	2,200	4,500	3,500	6,900
Living with parents	3,700	6,700	7,900	9,300	5,200	8,600	9,400	2,800	4,300	4,000	7,000
Price of attendance <sup>2,3</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	3,700 !	7,100	8,400	9,900	‡	5,900	5,400	‡	1,900 !	5,600	7,300
\$7,000–12,999	4,700	5,800	6,500	8,800	4,900	6,900	6,400	3,000	4,700	3,100	5,900
\$13,000–21,999	5,300	5,500	8,200	10,700	2,700	6,400	9,200	2,100	4,000	3,300	7,400
\$22,000 or more	‡	7,600	11,800	13,800	9,700	13,900	15,100	2,300	4,600	3,900	11,400
Sex											
Male	4,000 !	7,300	8,400	12,000	9,400	12,200	13,200	1,800	5,200	4,600	8,900
Female	5,000	5,700	8,000	11,100	4,000	11,100	13,100	2,600	3,900	3,100	7,500
Race/ethnicity <sup>4</sup>											
White	4,900	7,800	9,500	13,900	8,100	13,500	15,100	3,900	6,300	4,400	10,000
Black	5,800 !	3,600	5,500	5,300	4,000 !	4,400	6,800	1,400	2,800	2,300	4,000
Hispanic	‡	5,000	5,600	7,800	3,000 !	8,400	10,700	1,500	2,100	3,400	5,700
Asian	‡	5,800	8,800	9,900	‡	12,500	13,400	3,100 !	5,000	4,300	8,300
American Indian	‡	5,300	6,100	5,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	1,300 !	3,000 !	5,200
Pacific Islander	‡	3,900	‡	7,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,300	5,700
Two or more races	‡	6,000	6,100	9,500	‡	9,500	10,100	2,200 !	4,900 !	3,800	7,200

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 5.1.

**EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$4,200 !	\$8,300	\$11,000	\$14,800	\$11,000	\$14,800	\$18,000	\$2,900	\$6,000	\$5,600	\$11,700
19–23 years	6,400 !	8,000	10,400	13,800	10,100	14,500	15,400	3,300	6,000	4,100	10,900
24–29 years	‡	3,700	3,400	3,300	2,300 !	2,900	4,100	1,500	2,800	2,900	3,400
30–39 years	2,900 !	4,600	5,000	5,400	2,500	5,800	6,800	1,600	2,400	3,200	4,400
40 years or older	4,900 !	6,300	6,700	6,700	4,000	5,800	6,900	2,600	3,700	4,600	5,900
Dependency status <sup>5</sup>											
Dependent	7,600	9,600	11,700	14,700	14,700	15,400	16,700	4,900	8,300	6,500	12,500
Independent <sup>6</sup>	3,100	4,200	4,200	4,000	2,400	4,400	5,300	1,500	2,500	3,200	3,900
Unmarried, no dependents	2,000 !	4,300	3,500	3,300	2,900	3,900	4,700	2,100	3,300	4,200	3,900
Married, no dependents	9,400 !	7,700	6,700	7,400	7,500	9,100	7,100	5,300	9,000	8,200	7,700
Unmarried with dependents	1,100 !	1,800	1,500	1,700	400 !	1,500	2,900	600	1,000 !	900	1,500
Married with dependents	3,600 !	5,500	6,400	5,700	2,400 !	5,900	7,400	1,900	2,100	4,200	5,200
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>7</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	300	300	300	‡	400 !	300	100 !	100 !	100 !	300
\$20,000–39,999	‡	1,700	1,500	1,500	‡	1,300	1,500	700	1,300	1,100	1,500
\$40,000–59,999	‡	4,800	4,400	4,700	4,900	4,000	4,500	3,100	3,700	3,600	4,600
\$60,000–79,999	‡	9,300	9,200	9,400	9,500	9,700	9,200	9,700	10,000	9,000	9,300
\$80,000–99,999	‡	14,500	14,400	14,100	‡	13,900	14,000	13,800	14,300	15,100	14,300
\$100,000 or more	‡	27,800	29,500	30,700	35,200	32,400	34,400	25,300	33,900	28,900	30,600
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	‡	1,500	1,400	1,100	1,000 !	800 !	1,400	500 !	500	600	1,200
\$10,000–19,999	1,300	2,700	1,700	2,000	900	2,100	1,600 !	800	1,800 !	1,200	2,100
\$20,000–29,999	‡	3,600	3,400	3,800	1,800 !	3,000	4,200	1,500	2,400	2,200	3,300
\$30,000–49,999	3,500 !	5,100	5,400	5,600	4,100	4,600	5,200	3,700	3,700	4,600	5,100
\$50,000 or more	10,400	9,100	9,500	10,100	8,700	10,200	11,300	7,500	11,200	9,700	9,600

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 5.1.

**EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>8</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	‡	\$1,100	\$900	\$700	\$1,100 !	\$600	\$800	\$400 !	\$500	\$600	\$900
Middle 50 percent	4,000	5,400	6,000	7,300	2,900	7,100	7,100	2,400	3,500	2,700	5,700
Highest 25 percent	13,200	14,800	19,700	26,600	19,700	25,800	27,800	12,500	18,200	9,900	20,200
Worked while enrolled <sup>9</sup>											
Did not work	3,500	5,300	8,000	12,400	5,400	12,500	13,900	2,000	3,700	2,800	8,200
Worked part time	5,200	7,300	9,000	11,700	6,400	12,200	14,200	2,700	5,400	3,100	9,200
Worked full time	6,300	6,400	7,100	8,200	6,000	7,900	8,300	3,200	4,700	4,600	6,500
Military status <sup>10</sup>											
Veterans	‡	5,300	4,200	4,700	3,100 !	5,500	4,700	1,800 !	3,300	4,400	4,700
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	4,100	‡	4,900	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,500	5,600
Reserves	‡	4,600	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	3,700	4,600
Nonmilitary students	4,600	6,400	8,400	11,700	6,000	11,800	13,500	2,500	4,400	3,500	8,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>11</sup>											
High school diploma or less	3,300	4,600	4,900	5,900	1,900	5,100	6,300	1,400	2,800	3,100	4,500
Some postsecondary education	6,000 !	6,600	6,900	8,400	11,600	8,100	9,500	2,900	4,900	3,700	7,000
Bachelor's degree or higher	7,800	8,900	12,000	15,500	6,200	16,600	17,600	4,700	7,700	5,200	12,500
Total aid status											
No aid	10,600	10,100	12,500	16,400	10,600	15,900	15,500	7,900	9,000	6,200	11,800
Received aid	2,000	3,600	6,200	10,000	4,700	11,000	12,700	1,700	3,400	3,400	6,600
Grant status											
No grant	10,700	10,200	13,000	16,900	12,200	14,800	16,200	8,800	10,200	8,800	12,400
Received grant	1,200	2,600	4,300	7,900	3,300	10,700	12,100	600	1,200	1,600	5,200
Loan status <sup>12</sup>											
No loan	4,800	6,700	9,100	14,800	7,300	15,800	16,700	4,300	5,900	5,500	9,100
Received loan	3,800 !	4,700	6,800	8,900	4,500	9,200	10,900	1,900	3,500	3,000	6,800

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.1.

## EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes those attending more than one institution.

<sup>3</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>4</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>5</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>6</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>7</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>9</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>10</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>12</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. The federal expected family contribution (EFC) used in federal need analysis is an estimate of the amount that students and parents should be able to contribute toward educational expenses. Parents' income is included in calculating the EFC of dependent students and the student's (and spouse's) income is included in calculating the EFC of independent students. For students who did not apply for financial aid, the EFC is calculated using the student interview and institution records. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.1.

Standard errors for table 5.1: EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$720</b>	<b>\$120</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$690</b>	<b>\$330</b>	<b>\$410</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$70</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,110	230	300	180	1,600	470	530	260	510	150	140
Full-time/part-year	1,080	330	650	590	760	980	1,040	380	660	170	180
Part-time/full-year	3,210	200	340	390	4,130	1,080	1,240	1,300	1,130	290	150
Part-time/part-year	1,050	270	680	610	2,080	900	1,380	810	1,110	460	230
Housing											
On campus	†	1,180	590	340	580	550	750	†	†	890	270
Off campus	1,410	140	340	240	950	610	630	260	500	150	100
Living with parents	1,070	200	520	250	1,000	510	630	670	480	300	150
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	1,320	260	800	650	†	1,180	930	†	770	1,050	250
\$7,000–12,999	1,210	130	300	410	1,350	950	1,220	480	1,230	160	110
\$13,000–21,999	1,050	250	320	260	640	530	1,150	370	530	130	150
\$22,000 or more	†	960	440	280	1,950	420	490	330	490	180	180
Sex											
Male	1,350	170	330	250	2,160	460	570	420	490	240	110
Female	580	160	320	210	810	390	630	350	560	80	100
Race/ethnicity											
White	830	160	270	190	1,220	510	510	570	630	220	100
Black	2,080	250	1,180	320	1,720	440	1,550	360	550	160	180
Hispanic	†	300	470	390	1,280	1,000	2,000	270	300	200	210
Asian	†	580	1,280	680	†	2,470	1,400	1,460	1,410	1,090	330
American Indian	†	980	1,360	740	†	†	†	†	440	1,170	550
Pacific Islander	†	840	†	1,570	†	†	†	†	†	1,790	710
Two or more races	†	530	910	610	†	1,270	1,460	1,090	2,170	510	300

See notes at end of table.



# National Center for Education Statistics

Table S5.1.

Standard errors for table 5.1: EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,680	\$380	\$570	\$440	\$2,600	\$820	\$720	\$500	\$1,090	\$960	\$230
19–23 years	1,930	230	370	190	1,810	550	630	540	680	230	120
24–29 years	†	170	190	150	830	410	570	230	650	120	90
30–39 years	1,140	200	500	380	560	690	1,030	250	500	210	120
40 years or older	1,890	290	580	550	880	670	1,310	610	690	290	170
Dependency status											
Dependent	2,040	240	390	180	2,250	490	540	680	870	340	130
Independent	600	100	210	150	290	320	490	200	250	120	60
Unmarried, no dependents	640	170	230	170	320	490	650	440	410	170	90
Married, no dependents	2,960	430	550	680	2,110	1,500	940	1,110	2,010	630	270
Unmarried with dependents	420	140	230	240	130	350	570	120	330	80	90
Married with dependents	1,350	220	460	370	740	750	1,550	200	380	320	140
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	50	70	40	†	150	80	40	20	30	20
\$20,000–39,999	†	80	130	110	†	180	250	180	270	140	50
\$40,000–59,999	†	220	170	140	680	210	460	220	290	180	90
\$60,000–79,999	†	240	230	190	800	690	440	1,020	840	470	130
\$80,000–99,999	†	330	290	270	†	440	650	990	1,870	710	150
\$100,000 or more	†	700	1,130	390	3,910	770	1,230	1,930	2,330	1,360	290
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	†	140	240	150	480	240	380	170	140	130	80
\$10,000–19,999	300	180	210	170	260	530	520	180	580	90	110
\$20,000–29,999	†	200	400	250	600	600	590	210	560	230	120
\$30,000–49,999	1,430	210	450	410	570	630	1,180	380	400	260	140
\$50,000 or more	3,010	380	610	610	2,140	810	1,760	1,040	1,960	470	240

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.1.

Standard errors for table 5.1: EXPECTED FAMILY CONTRIBUTION: Average federal expected family contribution (EFC) among undergraduates, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	†	\$100	\$120	\$70	\$460	\$130	\$200	\$130	\$120	\$120	\$50
Middle 50 percent	880	90	180	100	330	230	260	200	290	100	50
Highest 25 percent	2,380	440	850	450	2,770	970	1,130	1,480	1,970	390	260
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	910	190	340	290	1,050	440	530	340	450	150	110
Worked part time	1,290	200	420	240	1,150	580	880	360	780	210	130
Worked full time	1,330	170	390	340	1,640	560	870	440	640	150	110
Military status											
Veterans	†	500	640	770	1,190	1,300	1,370	650	560	670	280
Military service members											
Active duty	†	1,040	†	1,010	†	†	†	†	†	1,080	500
Reserves	†	1,180	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,060	570
Nonmilitary students	750	120	240	160	750	350	420	310	430	100	70
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	810	160	260	250	460	340	720	140	240	160	90
Some postsecondary education	1,930	170	320	250	2,490	560	800	500	570	150	110
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,950	280	460	250	1,060	530	630	720	1,250	260	150
Total aid status											
No aid	2,650	250	640	390	2,680	990	1,030	1,190	1,570	600	190
Received aid	540	90	220	150	630	340	430	240	280	100	70
Grant status											
No grant	2,180	230	470	270	2,400	790	870	1,060	860	260	150
Received grant	320	90	220	180	740	380	440	90	190	140	80
Loan status											
No loan	1,080	140	390	300	950	780	810	740	1,040	460	120
Received loan	1,440	230	210	130	1,000	300	360	270	310	110	70

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.2-A.

**FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>70.6</b>	<b>77.0</b>	<b>78.8</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>89.1</b>	<b>89.6</b>	<b>96.6</b>	<b>93.4</b>	<b>93.6</b>	<b>72.3</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	91.0	85.8	86.3	83.5	91.8	93.1	92.7	99.2	97.3	98.4	88.1
Full-time/part-year	86.1	76.8	76.6	70.7	92.0	86.5	88.5	96.2	91.2	93.5	79.4
Part-time/full-year	77.4	75.9	81.4	82.3	66.7	93.0	89.7	98.0	95.9	95.9	80.1
Part-time/part-year	72.5	56.3	57.6	60.0	87.3	70.3	74.3	92.0	88.8	84.6	57.1
Housing											
On campus	‡	72.7	79.4	77.4	95.1	92.1	90.2	‡	‡	98.3	83.6
Off campus	81.8	70.3	75.7	77.7	90.5	84.9	88.2	97.3	94.2	95.1	78.0
Living with parents	90.3	71.0	77.6	81.6	89.3	88.3	90.5	95.7	92.7	90.0	78.0
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	76.6	54.8	51.1	43.3	‡	54.8	52.7	79.8	81.8	62.8	54.3
\$7,000–12,999	82.8	79.8	79.6	69.8	83.3	77.3	82.6	90.6	86.6	90.3	80.0
\$13,000–21,999	88.4	89.6	86.1	80.7	96.3	91.1	84.7	97.9	93.5	98.2	87.2
\$22,000 or more	99.4	96.7	87.7	86.5	92.1	92.5	93.1	99.1	97.6	98.6	92.1
Sex											
Male	81.8	67.0	74.6	77.9	86.8	89.7	91.1	98.5	94.3	90.7	70.7
Female	88.0	73.5	78.7	79.6	92.3	88.5	88.5	96.0	92.9	95.6	73.4
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	85.8	63.3	72.7	73.9	87.8	86.9	87.2	94.5	89.9	92.0	67.6
Black	75.8	84.3	87.2	90.4	94.8	95.4	97.0	97.9	96.0	95.8	82.4
Hispanic	91.1	78.2	82.2	85.7	95.4	93.3	92.6	98.0	98.3	95.5	77.2
Asian	‡	76.0	79.8	84.1	‡	92.3	92.5	95.1	86.5	93.9	74.5
American Indian	‡	77.4	81.6	83.8	‡	‡	‡	100.0	98.8	94.8	77.5
Pacific Islander	‡	83.6	‡	95.4	‡	‡	‡	‡	100.0	91.4	79.2
Two or more races	‡	73.1	83.9	82.9	‡	95.0	87.8	100.0	90.7	93.8	74.3

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-A.

**FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	82.4	68.6	76.3	78.1	83.2	90.1	86.8	97.6	91.5	96.5	71.9
19–23 years	80.5	67.8	75.9	76.0	85.0	88.9	90.0	95.6	90.2	94.1	69.4
24–29 years	90.3	79.4	86.5	90.2	98.6	95.6	95.4	98.4	96.2	95.3	79.6
30–39 years	92.0	74.3	76.7	82.3	92.7	87.2	92.0	97.6	96.9	93.8	75.8
40 years or older	82.8	63.2	65.0	75.5	89.8	84.0	84.0	94.0	94.7	90.6	68.3
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	75.8	62.7	73.1	75.1	77.5	88.5	88.8	93.9	86.3	92.9	67.1
Independent <sup>5</sup>	89.8	75.9	81.4	87.3	95.4	90.2	91.5	97.7	96.8	93.7	77.2
Unmarried, no dependents	92.1	75.2	86.0	91.5	92.6	87.7	94.7	96.7	97.0	94.7	77.0
Married, no dependents	63.9	60.3	70.4	78.2	87.1	86.7	97.3	95.3	90.0	88.7	66.1
Unmarried with dependents	97.0	88.4	91.9	92.5	100.0	96.2	89.6	98.9	98.3	97.3	86.1
Married with dependents	90.7	68.8	70.1	78.4	96.8	88.5	86.4	96.6	95.6	89.1	71.2
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	100.0	98.9	99.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.1
\$20,000–39,999	99.1	91.3	95.7	99.3	97.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.9	99.7	87.9
\$40,000–59,999	‡	82.0	92.5	98.0	97.8	99.8	97.6	100.0	98.3	99.5	83.6
\$60,000–79,999	‡	53.0	85.5	88.6	94.2	93.7	95.8	94.3	81.3	88.7	69.3
\$80,000–99,999	‡	28.8	59.4	80.5	‡	93.2	89.2	94.4	77.4	85.2	56.4
\$100,000 or more	‡	10.2	31.0	41.9	38.4 !	72.6	76.0	50.6	41.9	62.7	36.2
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	95.4	89.8	93.8	95.1	97.4	98.2	94.8	98.6	99.0	98.7	86.5
\$10,000–19,999	98.2	86.6	95.0	95.7	100.0	93.0	100.0	99.2	98.1	97.7	85.1
\$20,000–29,999	100.0	79.1	85.9	92.0	95.0	94.0	93.8	99.1	97.3	97.4	79.8
\$30,000–49,999	80.2	67.3	75.6	82.9	91.7	88.3	96.6	90.5	98.4	92.3	72.4
\$50,000 or more	70.3	51.0	55.1	65.7	85.3	79.3	80.2	93.1	81.0	79.0	56.7

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-A.

**FINANCIAL NEED:** Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	97.6	92.8	95.9	98.1	97.8	99.9	97.9	98.9	98.9	98.8	88.6
Middle 50 percent	85.4	72.4	84.3	89.8	96.9	93.8	96.0	97.6	95.8	96.1	76.6
Highest 25 percent	61.5	40.3	43.4	46.3	64.9	74.5	76.7	80.0	69.1	81.1	47.3
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	89.0	76.3	80.4	79.7	94.2	90.5	90.7	96.9	95.2	95.7	76.5
Worked part time	82.7	70.0	78.2	79.0	88.5	90.4	88.8	97.1	91.1	96.7	70.8
Worked full time	80.2	65.5	70.2	75.7	84.1	83.1	88.2	94.5	91.6	90.7	68.2
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	77.6	84.1	90.7	100.0	88.5	100.0	100.0	98.1	89.8	77.8
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	66.1	‡	74.1	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	62.6	61.0
Reserves	‡	79.1	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	97.7	74.9
Nonmilitary students	85.1	70.3	76.7	78.5	89.9	89.3	89.5	96.5	93.1	95.0	72.1
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	88.6	77.5	83.9	88.6	97.0	94.8	95.1	98.1	96.5	94.3	79.0
Some postsecondary education	85.0	69.3	79.7	85.1	81.2	91.8	92.9	95.9	92.4	94.4	72.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	71.9	60.8	68.4	71.3	89.6	84.8	85.8	93.1	86.7	90.3	64.9
Total aid status											
No aid	63.7	47.4	54.0	56.5	75.1	68.0	82.3	81.1	79.2	77.6	49.2
Received aid	94.5	88.2	87.5	85.5	94.2	92.1	90.9	98.6	96.4	95.3	81.8
Grant status											
No grant	62.7	50.2	58.8	64.4	75.7	77.2	82.7	86.5	83.9	85.6	54.9
Received grant	97.5	90.7	91.6	88.4	96.3	92.4	92.0	99.6	98.5	97.0	84.3
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	84.5	66.7	69.4	65.4	86.2	78.8	83.8	89.3	86.8	79.5	64.2
Received loan	87.7	89.2	88.5	89.5	94.7	94.8	93.4	98.9	97.0	98.3	83.5

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-A.

**FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Financial need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC). Those with a negative or zero balance after subtraction are considered to have zero need. The federal expected family contribution (EFC) used in federal need analysis is an estimate of the amount that students and parents should be able to contribute toward educational expenses. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.2-A.

Standard errors for table 5.2-A: FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>2.08</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>0.93</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>1.07</b>	<b>1.20</b>	<b>0.29</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	3.44	0.69	0.73	0.45	2.70	0.64	0.62	0.36	0.96	0.23	0.26
Full-time/part-year	6.57	1.26	2.38	1.56	3.57	2.66	2.68	0.95	1.91	0.82	0.60
Part-time/full-year	9.81	0.92	1.29	1.14	19.96	1.59	2.73	1.70	1.96	1.24	0.59
Part-time/part-year	6.77	1.74	2.92	2.50	8.87	4.02	5.06	1.81	3.29	4.79	1.01
Housing											
On campus	†	4.70	1.43	0.87	1.55	0.83	1.01	†	†	0.63	0.52
Off campus	5.27	0.89	1.42	0.69	2.64	1.93	2.20	0.55	1.11	1.07	0.56
Living with parents	3.60	0.93	1.54	0.87	4.59	1.55	2.59	1.41	1.60	3.92	0.65
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	9.32	1.42	3.13	2.97	†	8.33	12.37	10.70	8.57	7.71	1.33
\$7,000–12,999	5.50	0.54	1.39	1.58	4.17	4.39	5.64	1.81	3.52	1.14	0.45
\$13,000–21,999	4.03	0.73	0.83	0.62	1.20	1.66	3.13	0.64	1.34	0.19	0.37
\$22,000 or more	1.84	1.35	1.12	0.55	3.08	0.65	0.54	0.36	0.63	0.25	0.27
Sex											
Male	6.93	0.98	1.37	0.66	3.13	1.02	1.04	0.60	1.14	2.11	0.45
Female	2.71	0.75	0.94	0.60	2.32	1.13	1.36	0.72	1.43	0.68	0.31
Race/ethnicity											
White	2.71	0.90	1.15	0.62	3.31	0.99	1.35	1.10	1.87	1.85	0.40
Black	14.67	1.12	2.00	0.93	3.28	1.65	1.45	0.42	1.33	0.96	0.56
Hispanic	10.42	0.89	2.09	1.17	2.41	1.78	2.33	1.33	0.63	0.64	0.65
Asian	†	2.43	4.14	1.22	†	2.60	2.03	3.60	8.53	2.09	1.03
American Indian	†	5.34	7.39	4.50	†	†	†	†	0.96	3.09	2.52
Pacific Islander	†	4.68	†	2.58	†	†	†	†	†	4.94	2.97
Two or more races	†	2.59	3.82	2.12	†	2.71	6.59	†	6.73	1.87	1.38

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.2-A.

Standard errors for table 5.2-A: FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	8.72	1.33	1.64	0.94	8.34	0.90	2.00	1.24	3.29	0.93	0.65
19–23 years	7.66	0.92	0.95	0.62	4.58	1.09	0.99	1.17	2.08	0.98	0.40
24–29 years	5.74	1.56	1.50	1.10	1.93	1.91	2.42	1.02	1.61	1.27	0.71
30–39 years	5.51	1.34	2.57	1.67	4.05	2.86	3.88	0.93	1.33	1.83	0.71
40 years or older	9.36	1.40	4.04	2.74	2.68	3.62	5.51	1.74	1.72	2.09	0.83
Dependency status											
Dependent	7.06	0.97	0.97	0.58	7.29	0.95	0.91	1.37	2.59	0.86	0.41
Independent	2.79	0.95	1.37	0.85	1.13	1.51	2.35	0.66	0.71	1.41	0.43
Unmarried, no dependents	5.26	1.38	2.02	0.96	2.71	2.99	2.26	1.50	1.13	1.09	0.65
Married, no dependents	10.99	2.05	3.36	2.63	10.36	4.68	1.72	3.39	4.21	2.32	1.24
Unmarried with dependents	2.84	1.15	1.69	1.51	†	1.99	6.65	0.50	0.84	0.58	0.60
Married with dependents	4.84	1.19	2.95	1.90	1.39	3.38	4.34	0.88	1.90	3.83	0.86
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	0.41	0.20	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.37
\$20,000–39,999	1.18	1.03	1.28	0.35	4.47	†	†	†	1.89	0.19	0.63
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.58	1.30	0.59	3.71	0.16	2.78	†	1.78	0.26	0.78
\$60,000–79,999	†	2.26	2.65	1.22	5.36	3.67	2.51	4.47	6.58	4.65	1.07
\$80,000–99,999	†	2.14	3.51	1.62	†	3.74	3.54	3.77	9.98	6.39	1.20
\$100,000 or more	†	0.90	1.93	1.17	14.85	2.04	1.95	8.66	9.25	4.57	0.72
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	4.12	1.06	1.52	0.87	2.02	1.45	4.45	0.83	0.78	0.44	0.48
\$10,000–19,999	1.75	1.23	1.42	1.10	†	3.52	†	0.56	1.38	0.92	0.65
\$20,000–29,999	†	1.84	3.12	1.79	2.87	3.81	3.61	1.04	1.96	1.61	1.10
\$30,000–49,999	10.28	1.87	3.72	2.28	5.89	3.98	2.03	2.04	1.66	1.58	1.00
\$50,000 or more	11.64	1.30	3.06	2.30	8.39	3.93	5.60	2.87	4.78	4.37	0.99

See notes at end of table.



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Table S5.2-A.

Standard errors for table 5.2-A: FINANCIAL NEED: Percentage of undergraduates who had financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	3.38	0.74	0.92	0.39	1.72	0.05	1.96	0.65	0.75	0.42	0.34
Middle 50 percent	5.04	0.80	1.12	0.48	1.35	1.09	0.99	0.38	0.96	0.99	0.35
Highest 25 percent	8.05	0.91	1.78	1.06	5.49	1.87	1.85	3.60	4.71	2.84	0.54
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	3.96	0.99	1.23	0.63	1.79	0.89	0.88	0.84	1.13	0.71	0.37
Worked part time	7.16	0.92	1.14	0.62	2.63	1.26	1.66	0.70	1.83	0.77	0.43
Worked full time	7.06	1.01	1.96	1.52	4.31	2.53	3.57	1.50	2.38	2.10	0.60
Military status											
Veterans	†	2.56	5.18	2.55	†	6.19	†	†	1.14	3.35	1.41
Military service members											
Active duty	†	9.11	†	5.12	†	†	†	†	†	8.58	4.62
Reserves	†	8.01	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1.72	4.69
Nonmilitary students	2.84	0.73	0.83	0.48	2.13	0.80	0.88	0.64	1.15	0.67	0.30
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	3.13	0.95	1.74	0.85	1.78	1.25	1.82	0.37	0.80	1.45	0.47
Some postsecondary education	4.46	1.05	1.52	0.92	4.50	1.88	1.75	1.51	1.72	1.21	0.55
Bachelor's degree or higher	8.32	0.97	1.25	0.66	5.22	1.31	1.29	1.50	3.28	1.73	0.41
Total aid status											
No aid	8.58	0.95	2.12	1.32	6.03	3.34	3.09	3.73	4.11	3.61	0.66
Received aid	2.21	0.41	0.76	0.42	1.96	0.61	0.89	0.35	0.61	1.16	0.27
Grant status											
No grant	7.52	0.89	1.61	0.92	5.32	2.17	2.21	2.38	2.33	1.49	0.51
Received grant	0.63	0.49	0.65	0.45	1.82	0.67	0.95	0.19	0.55	1.35	0.26
Loan status											
No loan	3.96	0.87	1.39	0.96	2.62	1.95	2.11	2.22	2.90	4.67	0.53
Received loan	6.97	0.75	0.70	0.34	2.50	0.54	0.89	0.34	0.58	0.15	0.31

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.2-B.

**FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT:** Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,400</b>	<b>\$7,900</b>	<b>\$11,100</b>	<b>\$15,300</b>	<b>\$17,700</b>	<b>\$24,600</b>	<b>\$28,700</b>	<b>\$20,400</b>	<b>\$19,100</b>	<b>\$17,600</b>	<b>\$14,300</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	16,500	12,600	15,100	18,000	24,600	30,200	35,300	28,600	26,500	26,400	21,000
Full-time/part-year	8,000	7,100	8,600	10,800	12,900	17,500	19,700	17,800	15,300	13,600	11,700
Part-time/full-year	10,600	8,100	9,800	12,400	15,100	16,600	17,500	18,800	20,100	16,600	10,500
Part-time/part-year	5,300	4,200	5,200	6,900	9,000	8,400	7,700	13,000	11,100	9,400	5,700
Housing											
On campus	‡	8,800	14,400	17,100	25,100	29,700	34,300	‡	‡	26,000	23,700
Off campus	11,700	7,900	10,600	14,700	17,800	19,000	25,100	22,100	19,200	17,900	13,100
Living with parents	10,500	7,800	10,500	14,500	16,100	21,000	23,200	17,900	19,000	16,400	12,200
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	4,200	4,000	4,300	4,300	‡	4,600	‡	5,700	5,700	4,800	4,100
\$7,000–12,999	7,900	7,800	8,000	7,900	8,900	7,200	6,800	9,400	8,900	8,600	7,900
\$13,000–21,999	14,000	13,000	13,200	13,600	15,500	14,000	12,900	15,600	15,600	14,600	13,600
\$22,000 or more	23,400	18,800	18,300	20,300	27,500	30,100	34,500	28,000	26,800	26,600	26,400
Sex											
Male	11,200	7,800	11,100	15,200	19,100	24,300	28,400	21,200	20,400	17,000	14,100
Female	11,500	7,900	11,200	15,300	17,100	24,800	29,000	20,100	18,500	17,900	14,300
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	10,000	7,600	10,900	14,100	18,500	23,700	27,200	19,400	18,200	17,300	14,000
Black	11,100	8,600	12,100	17,100	19,400	24,200	25,300	20,800	20,400	17,400	14,500
Hispanic	14,000	7,600	10,800	16,200	16,900	26,800	33,300	21,100	19,900	18,300	13,700
Asian	‡	8,600	11,200	18,500	‡	32,700	35,600	22,100	19,700	17,300	17,300
American Indian	‡	8,000	9,800	17,500	‡	‡	‡	22,000	16,900	16,100	13,500
Pacific Islander	‡	8,700	‡	14,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	21,600	18,500	13,800
Two or more races	‡	8,500	12,700	15,100	‡	27,700	31,300	21,200	19,100	20,200	15,600

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-B.

**FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT:** Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$8,700	\$8,100	\$13,000	\$16,500	\$22,000	\$29,900	\$33,800	\$20,200	\$20,800	\$20,500	\$16,900
19–23 years	9,400	7,800	11,400	15,400	19,200	27,200	32,400	19,800	18,700	18,700	15,500
24–29 years	14,500	7,800	10,400	15,500	17,000	22,000	21,600	20,900	19,900	17,500	12,800
30–39 years	11,400	8,200	10,800	13,100	17,100	16,400	17,900	21,100	19,200	17,200	12,600
40 years or older	11,800	7,600	9,300	11,900	15,100	13,700	14,700	20,400	18,400	16,600	11,500
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	8,400	7,600	11,600	15,400	21,900	27,700	32,800	18,200	18,900	20,200	16,100
Independent <sup>5</sup>	12,600	8,000	10,600	15,100	16,400	18,800	19,900	21,200	19,300	17,200	12,700
Unmarried, no dependents	11,600	7,600	10,600	15,600	18,400	22,300	23,400	20,700	19,100	16,100	12,700
Married, no dependents	‡	6,500	9,500	14,700	14,800	15,300	14,800	17,700	15,700	13,800	10,700
Unmarried with dependents	13,600	8,800	11,500	16,400	16,100	20,200	22,200	22,100	20,100	18,500	13,800
Married with dependents	12,000	7,900	10,000	12,400	14,600	14,300	15,300	20,700	18,800	17,200	11,900
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	9,100	9,100	14,000	20,400	25,500	31,500	40,100	20,400	21,000	22,000	16,900
\$20,000–39,999	9,100	8,500	13,900	19,800	25,300	33,200	40,100	20,100	20,500	22,000	17,300
\$40,000–59,999	‡	6,500	12,000	17,200	20,300	32,400	37,800	17,700	18,800	23,100	16,200
\$60,000–79,999	‡	5,400	9,800	13,900	16,600	29,000	34,300	13,900	16,500	18,700	15,300
\$80,000–99,999	‡	4,900	7,400	11,100	‡	24,900	30,800	9,400	14,900	11,700	14,500
\$100,000 or more	‡	4,400	7,500	9,500	16,700	21,500	24,600	8,900	10,700	11,800	15,000
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	10,600	9,300	12,800	18,100	17,900	25,900	30,000	22,500	19,400	18,100	14,700
\$10,000–19,999	16,300	8,500	11,300	16,100	16,600	18,600	23,100	22,200	20,500	19,000	13,600
\$20,000–29,999	14,200	7,500	10,000	13,700	18,300	17,600	17,800	19,700	20,500	18,500	12,100
\$30,000–49,999	12,800	6,900	9,100	12,400	12,900	17,200	15,700	18,700	19,100	15,400	11,200
\$50,000 or more	‡	5,800	7,000	9,600	12,300	11,800	11,900	14,800	12,900	13,200	8,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-B.

**FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT:** Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$9,700	\$9,100	\$13,500	\$19,600	\$20,400	\$29,800	\$37,500	\$21,700	\$19,900	\$18,900	\$15,900
Middle 50 percent	13,500	7,500	10,700	14,900	17,500	25,700	30,600	20,000	19,500	18,200	14,200
Highest 25 percent	10,400	5,900	7,600	9,600	12,500	17,800	19,700	15,100	14,200	13,600	11,300
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	9,600	8,500	11,900	16,500	19,700	27,500	31,600	21,000	19,300	18,000	16,200
Worked part time	13,000	8,000	11,400	15,000	16,600	24,400	29,400	19,700	18,800	18,400	14,200
Worked full time	13,300	6,900	9,400	12,500	14,100	16,700	17,100	20,000	19,300	16,800	11,200
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	9,300	11,700	16,800	25,100	18,600	17,300	‡	26,300	23,600	19,800
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	6,500	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,600	10,000
Reserves	‡	8,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	13,500	12,900
Nonmilitary students	11,300	7,800	11,100	15,200	17,300	24,900	29,100	20,300	18,900	17,600	14,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	10,500	8,100	11,300	16,300	17,700	22,500	27,200	21,400	19,000	17,200	13,500
Some postsecondary education	14,200	7,800	11,300	15,200	15,100	24,800	27,100	20,200	18,700	17,900	13,700
Bachelor's degree or higher	12,500	7,500	10,700	14,700	20,000	25,600	29,900	17,700	19,200	17,900	15,500
Total aid status											
No aid	8,800	5,500	7,300	12,500	11,100	18,600	22,800	12,200	14,000	10,800	8,800
Received aid	12,100	8,800	12,200	15,800	19,000	25,200	29,600	21,300	20,100	18,100	15,600
Grant status											
No grant	9,200	5,500	7,400	11,200	12,300	15,700	19,600	13,000	14,700	11,400	9,200
Received grant	12,100	9,200	13,100	17,200	19,400	26,700	31,500	22,300	21,200	19,800	16,500
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	10,900	7,400	9,500	14,100	15,200	21,800	25,200	16,600	16,000	12,900	10,800
Received loan	12,900	9,400	13,100	15,900	20,000	25,900	30,700	21,500	20,700	18,800	17,900

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.2-B.

**FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT: Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: This table excludes students attending more than one institution and students who have no need. Financial need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC). Those with a negative or zero balance after subtraction are considered to have zero need. The federal expected family contribution (EFC) used in federal need analysis is an estimate of the amount that students and parents should be able to contribute toward educational expenses. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.2-B.

Standard errors for table 5.2-B: FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT: Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$560</b>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$1,960</b>	<b>\$370</b>	<b>\$510</b>	<b>\$1,070</b>	<b>\$470</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,250	130	190	150	3,220	420	480	1,200	750	350	120
Full-time/part-year	920	100	250	270	940	990	1,130	990	490	190	150
Part-time/full-year	660	90	210	200	3,260	860	1,120	2,190	800	810	100
Part-time/part-year	1,200	80	210	210	1,850	790	850	1,070	410	290	80
Housing											
On campus	†	460	360	210	540	500	570	†	†	1,410	230
Off campus	540	110	190	220	2,570	710	900	1,380	730	240	130
Living with parents	970	110	250	210	890	850	940	910	520	1,180	130
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	180	40	110	170	†	540	†	230	150	210	40
\$7,000–12,999	810	60	120	130	470	380	410	380	310	100	50
\$13,000–21,999	590	130	130	80	800	380	490	380	290	110	50
\$22,000 or more	2,220	930	360	200	3,330	420	470	850	550	180	160
Sex											
Male	1,240	80	240	200	2,150	540	820	1,990	890	440	120
Female	820	110	180	170	2,220	430	580	1,100	430	200	100
Race/ethnicity											
White	610	110	170	160	3,560	430	600	1,510	610	220	120
Black	1,550	160	360	320	2,380	910	1,450	1,390	900	300	180
Hispanic	1,460	140	370	270	1,810	1,560	1,480	900	730	480	230
Asian	†	290	640	510	†	2,730	1,500	1,970	1,720	2,120	460
American Indian	†	650	860	1,380	†	†	†	5,150	2,250	1,280	750
Pacific Islander	†	690	†	1,720	†	†	†	†	2,740	1,800	910
Two or more races	†	320	820	480	†	2,190	2,280	3,040	1,330	880	400

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.2-B.

Standard errors for table 5.2-B: FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT: Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,240	\$130	\$430	\$240	\$3,360	\$710	\$600	\$1,070	\$970	\$850	\$170
19–23 years	580	110	190	180	2,570	490	610	1,080	540	500	130
24–29 years	2,010	140	260	310	2,380	1,080	1,850	1,180	740	420	170
30–39 years	1,530	170	390	360	2,460	980	1,350	1,350	680	260	160
40 years or older	2,040	180	410	450	1,790	990	1,360	1,380	800	370	180
Dependency status											
Dependent	550	110	220	160	3,470	470	510	990	610	490	120
Independent	750	110	180	210	1,510	610	1,020	1,120	510	290	100
Unmarried, no dependents	2,060	130	270	300	3,820	1,070	1,630	1,330	760	460	160
Married, no dependents	†	240	520	640	2,200	2,150	1,900	1,810	940	860	290
Unmarried with dependents	2,060	170	300	350	670	760	1,780	1,120	600	380	160
Married with dependents	1,360	160	400	440	1,050	1,100	1,610	1,580	970	370	170
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	1,430	150	400	290	4,560	1,290	1,750	1,280	790	860	250
\$20,000–39,999	870	180	600	290	2,710	980	1,480	1,040	980	790	280
\$40,000–59,999	†	190	480	330	2,950	880	1,560	1,870	1,150	1,480	310
\$60,000–79,999	†	150	440	300	3,380	1,100	1,350	1,590	1,160	1,330	330
\$80,000–99,999	†	230	410	400	†	840	1,120	1,220	2,000	990	320
\$100,000 or more	†	440	410	280	6,380	650	720	1,630	1,540	1,090	300
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	920	180	360	290	2,630	1,190	2,070	1,300	690	450	190
\$10,000–19,999	2,620	180	330	390	1,060	1,140	2,680	890	690	420	180
\$20,000–29,999	2,800	200	410	440	2,060	1,230	2,430	1,400	740	460	200
\$30,000–49,999	1,550	200	390	450	1,660	1,340	2,090	1,510	990	560	210
\$50,000 or more	†	170	430	500	1,720	990	1,140	1,280	1,290	480	220

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.2-B.

Standard errors for table 5.2-B: FINANCIAL NEED AMOUNT: Average financial need (total price of attendance minus expected family contribution) among undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$560	\$130	\$320	\$230	\$2,980	\$820	\$1,320	\$1,210	\$520	\$450	\$160
Middle 50 percent	1,240	100	190	180	1,360	480	640	1,020	540	310	110
Highest 25 percent	1,580	150	260	230	2,190	640	760	930	930	360	170
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	1,040	110	220	230	2,780	510	640	1,220	570	290	140
Worked part time	1,410	110	210	150	1,430	590	710	990	670	400	120
Worked full time	2,000	110	300	280	1,660	630	1,020	1,300	740	330	120
Military status											
Veterans	†	330	750	780	4,560	3,370	6,200	4,000	1,530	950	500
Military service members											
Active duty	†	650	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,810	780
Reserves	†	1,120	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,520	1,030
Nonmilitary students	570	90	160	140	1,880	360	500	1,060	450	190	80
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	840	120	300	250	1,300	620	1,220	1,080	570	240	130
Some postsecondary education	1,760	120	210	250	2,020	710	830	1,250	630	310	130
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,550	110	200	160	4,370	530	680	1,110	600	540	140
Total aid status											
No aid	1,050	120	250	350	1,900	1,460	1,450	940	860	620	160
Received aid	770	140	180	140	2,060	360	530	1,140	560	310	120
Grant status											
No grant	880	100	210	220	1,550	960	1,090	1,100	630	330	120
Received grant	770	140	210	140	2,160	390	540	1,150	620	420	130
Loan status											
No loan	690	80	200	240	2,610	870	870	1,070	590	760	100
Received loan	1,060	190	220	140	1,690	370	560	1,150	580	210	130

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).



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Table 5.3-A.

**REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates who had remaining need after receiving financial aid (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>76.6</b>	<b>59.2</b>	<b>58.2</b>	<b>53.5</b>	<b>79.1</b>	<b>56.9</b>	<b>60.1</b>	<b>86.0</b>	<b>79.4</b>	<b>72.0</b>	<b>60.4</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	87.0	76.3	63.1	57.4	80.1	58.0	60.8	95.5	88.1	83.8	66.4
Full-time/part-year	74.0	63.4	59.0	48.9	80.5	63.0	65.3	84.7	74.6	73.0	64.9
Part-time/full-year	69.5	63.0	62.6	52.4	49.1 !	62.5	57.8	85.7	84.6	70.0	62.1
Part-time/part-year	59.9	45.6	45.6	40.3	85.3	39.9	51.6	71.4	70.1	51.7	46.2
Housing											
On campus	‡	46.9	47.1	47.0	62.8	53.6	58.3	‡	‡	58.4	51.0
Off campus	75.9	58.7	59.1	54.5	80.5	60.5	59.7	88.0	79.0	74.8	61.6
Living with parents	78.9	60.1	61.2	58.2	76.7	58.9	64.1	83.1	80.2	65.9	62.1
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	70.1	48.8	47.0	36.4	‡	42.4	40.4 !	73.4	77.5	51.1	48.1
\$7,000–12,999	72.3	64.7	63.2	50.7	69.8	48.4	56.8	70.2	69.9	66.3	62.9
\$13,000–21,999	78.3	73.9	60.8	54.4	89.6	63.6	57.7	84.1	76.4	70.7	64.6
\$22,000 or more	97.3	65.3	57.6	56.8	77.1	57.5	61.9	94.0	86.4	80.8	65.0
Sex											
Male	75.6	55.5	57.0	52.8	71.5	55.4	63.1	88.0	74.5	65.6	57.4
Female	77.3	62.1	59.2	54.3	83.0	58.1	57.7	85.3	82.0	76.2	62.7
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	75.5	51.2	52.8	48.6	76.6	54.2	56.3	81.1	72.9	70.1	54.1
Black	73.0	70.8	65.1	57.9	81.1	65.7	64.6	88.0	85.5	75.2	69.6
Hispanic	87.9	69.7	69.2	63.0	86.0	60.5	64.7	89.5	88.3	72.5	70.0
Asian	‡	68.2	69.0	70.2	‡	72.2	72.6	90.2	70.7	77.2	70.3
American Indian	‡	66.6	65.2	49.3	‡	‡	‡	92.6	85.5	70.5	65.3
Pacific Islander	‡	74.4	‡	59.2	‡	‡	‡	‡	82.6	66.1	67.5
Two or more races	‡	60.1	61.5	53.7	‡	49.3	63.4	90.0	70.7	67.3	60.0

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.3-A.

**REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID:** Percentage of undergraduates who had remaining need after receiving financial aid (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	73.9	59.0	53.1	49.2	61.7	53.4	54.0	85.8	75.0	75.2	55.9
19–23 years	73.6	57.8	56.6	50.8	71.0	54.5	60.8	83.5	75.2	73.3	57.4
24–29 years	85.9	66.3	68.9	69.0	90.5	71.7	70.7	91.3	84.6	72.8	69.8
30–39 years	69.4	60.6	59.7	53.3	80.6	59.7	60.0	87.3	84.2	73.7	63.9
40 years or older	78.1	51.7	49.9	52.5	83.4	57.3	54.2	80.2	79.7	66.9	56.4
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	68.0	53.0	53.1	48.9	59.0	52.9	57.9	77.1	69.8	67.3	53.3
Independent <sup>5</sup>	80.7	63.4	64.2	64.5	86.9	64.7	64.9	89.5	84.0	72.7	66.9
Unmarried, no dependents	86.5	61.8	67.4	66.7	86.6	62.4	63.6	87.0	80.7	64.8	65.1
Married, no dependents	57.7	48.1	50.7	56.7	78.6	49.9	71.3	72.2	63.7	61.8	53.1
Unmarried with dependents	86.1	75.5	78.6	69.1	92.1	74.0	67.1	93.7	91.4	82.0	78.2
Married with dependents	78.5	57.5	53.0	59.5	83.1	64.4	62.5	86.7	80.8	70.8	61.6
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	98.0	89.3	86.2	81.8	89.1	78.4	74.8	91.2	91.0	85.9	85.7
\$20,000–39,999	95.1	82.1	81.0	78.5	85.7	73.2	82.3	91.2	86.7	82.2	80.9
\$40,000–59,999	‡	65.6	71.3	68.9	75.1	69.1	74.9	73.7	80.4	74.0	68.9
\$60,000–79,999	‡	40.5	56.0	55.7	56.0	57.5	63.8	59.6	52.3	54.4	50.9
\$80,000–99,999	‡	19.4	28.8	41.8	‡	46.1	52.7	38.0	46.9	29.5	34.0
\$100,000 or more	‡	6.5	12.9	18.6	‡	31.4	38.4	30.1	21.7 !	19.1	19.0
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	89.9	78.6	78.5	75.5	89.3	77.6	70.7	92.9	88.9	83.3	79.9
\$10,000–19,999	93.0	73.2	74.1	72.4	91.5	66.6	79.0	93.1	91.0	77.3	75.7
\$20,000–29,999	87.8	62.3	71.1	68.2	85.0	64.1	66.2	88.0	84.2	77.9	68.0
\$30,000–49,999	76.6	53.9	55.6	54.0	87.9	68.7	66.8	78.2	80.1	67.0	58.9
\$50,000 or more	47.5	41.0	39.8	42.7	71.4	48.0	50.6	71.1	50.2	50.8	43.8

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.3-A.

**REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID:** Percentage of undergraduates who had remaining need after receiving financial aid (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	93.4	82.8	82.0	78.6	88.8	76.0	75.8	92.0	89.0	83.7	82.1
Middle 50 percent	75.2	58.9	61.9	60.6	84.2	61.5	66.8	85.2	81.6	74.1	63.0
Highest 25 percent	47.4	31.9	27.2	23.2	52.9	37.3	43.0	61.0	45.3	52.1	32.8
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	77.8	64.1	59.4	54.0	83.4	55.6	62.1	87.9	80.8	76.7	63.2
Worked part time	79.0	59.2	59.4	53.8	79.4	59.3	57.5	85.5	79.2	73.3	59.6
Worked full time	68.3	54.2	54.8	51.6	66.8	56.3	59.9	80.4	76.0	67.9	57.2
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	48.9	53.4	55.6	85.2	49.8	45.4	79.6	70.0	55.0	52.9
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	54.8	‡	55.9	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	50.2	51.7
Reserves	‡	53.3	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	69.8	54.9
Nonmilitary students	76.4	59.6	58.6	53.5	78.9	57.3	60.5	86.1	80.4	74.3	60.7
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	79.4	65.1	65.6	62.6	88.5	65.2	62.6	89.3	82.2	73.9	67.5
Some postsecondary education	78.3	56.8	58.4	55.4	67.8	57.8	59.7	83.2	77.9	71.1	59.4
Bachelor's degree or higher	61.6	51.7	51.2	48.4	75.0	52.2	58.6	79.0	72.3	66.7	53.0
Total aid status											
No aid	63.7	47.4	54.0	56.5	75.1	68.0	82.3	81.1	79.2	77.6	53.2
Received aid	82.1	68.1	60.2	52.7	80.1	55.3	56.2	86.6	79.5	71.4	63.4
Grant status											
No grant	60.6	44.7	46.0	46.0	69.6	59.0	64.4	69.3	67.4	57.0	48.2
Received grant	85.3	73.4	68.2	58.6	82.9	56.4	58.6	90.8	86.0	78.2	68.8
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	80.1	61.8	64.4	58.5	81.1	63.2	68.6	87.0	80.7	69.9	63.0
Received loan	63.8	46.9	48.7	49.6	77.1	53.4	54.6	85.6	78.7	72.7	56.6

See notes at end of table.

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Table 5.3-A.

**REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates who had remaining need after receiving financial aid (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Remaining need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC) minus all types of financial aid except federal education tax benefits. The calculation of the percentage with remaining need includes students who had no need and those who received no aid. The calculation of the average amount of remaining need includes only those who had any remaining need and excludes those with zero remaining need. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.3-A.

Standard errors for table 5.3-A: REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID: Percentage of undergraduates who had remaining need after receiving financial aid (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.50</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>0.52</b>	<b>2.88</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>1.62</b>	<b>1.87</b>	<b>1.06</b>	<b>1.55</b>	<b>0.40</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	3.85	0.77	1.02	0.68	2.67	1.27	1.35	0.99	1.51	0.82	0.37
Full-time/part-year	9.30	1.30	2.81	1.58	4.54	3.08	4.30	2.26	1.81	1.39	0.69
Part-time/full-year	10.67	0.79	1.25	1.41	19.07	3.33	4.88	4.55	2.70	1.86	0.56
Part-time/part-year	9.22	1.13	2.24	1.87	9.01	4.05	5.95	5.09	3.52	3.54	0.98
Housing											
On campus	†	4.31	1.47	1.04	3.31	1.70	1.62	†	†	5.29	0.66
Off campus	4.65	0.85	1.58	0.74	3.51	2.22	2.93	1.96	1.77	1.01	0.54
Living with parents	5.84	0.83	1.36	0.91	4.13	2.14	3.92	3.11	1.87	4.24	0.62
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	11.43	1.14	2.96	2.75	†	7.89	12.21	12.57	8.10	7.93	1.11
\$7,000–12,999	8.88	0.69	1.78	1.63	7.94	5.26	7.21	3.51	2.99	1.97	0.55
\$13,000–21,999	4.75	0.90	1.35	0.73	2.97	2.75	4.42	2.20	2.22	1.56	0.56
\$22,000 or more	4.76	3.37	1.93	0.86	3.75	1.32	1.36	1.36	1.26	0.80	0.52
Sex											
Male	9.16	0.92	1.26	0.87	2.55	1.62	2.30	2.98	1.95	2.48	0.58
Female	6.79	0.76	1.22	0.75	4.01	1.59	2.02	1.96	1.60	1.21	0.44
Race/ethnicity											
White	5.84	0.89	1.35	0.64	3.27	1.48	1.93	3.28	1.77	1.91	0.53
Black	13.47	1.29	2.44	1.73	4.54	2.66	3.71	2.03	1.86	2.08	0.70
Hispanic	11.64	0.95	1.89	1.66	6.79	3.71	3.47	1.79	1.45	1.71	0.60
Asian	†	2.26	4.75	1.35	†	5.44	4.04	5.30	7.15	3.67	1.19
American Indian	†	5.82	6.17	6.84	†	†	†	5.98	6.12	8.27	3.12
Pacific Islander	†	5.73	†	8.05	†	†	†	†	6.73	5.92	3.86
Two or more races	†	2.54	5.10	2.89	†	5.96	7.16	6.80	9.40	3.89	1.49

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.3-A.

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	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	12.85	1.18	2.04	1.16	7.47	1.80	1.94	3.25	3.75	2.11	0.64
19–23 years	7.72	0.88	1.15	0.68	5.44	1.57	1.59	2.50	1.82	1.52	0.45
24–29 years	6.97	1.45	2.03	1.24	3.18	3.45	6.12	1.94	2.25	1.78	0.86
30–39 years	11.97	1.23	2.97	1.96	7.39	4.21	5.61	1.82	2.42	2.14	0.84
40 years or older	9.46	1.28	3.50	3.07	4.63	3.87	6.61	4.78	3.79	2.12	0.95
Dependency status											
Dependent	10.87	0.84	1.21	0.62	5.91	1.44	1.53	3.17	2.16	1.54	0.42
Independent	3.92	0.86	1.47	0.96	2.92	2.07	3.37	1.88	1.41	1.77	0.61
Unmarried, no dependents	6.25	1.33	2.38	1.46	2.64	4.37	5.45	3.57	2.07	1.98	0.82
Married, no dependents	14.12	2.03	3.41	2.77	10.59	6.52	7.09	5.91	7.18	2.91	1.33
Unmarried with dependents	7.39	1.36	2.26	2.31	2.82	3.65	7.09	1.26	1.47	1.47	0.86
Married with dependents	11.17	1.19	3.18	2.40	8.20	4.17	4.94	2.32	3.40	3.28	0.97
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	8.51	1.07	1.86	1.59	5.94	2.81	4.27	2.38	1.72	1.86	0.68
\$20,000–39,999	7.28	1.22	1.96	1.21	8.40	2.73	3.19	2.37	2.58	2.36	0.69
\$40,000–59,999	†	1.83	2.56	1.43	10.17	2.79	4.19	5.99	4.04	3.85	0.95
\$60,000–79,999	†	2.20	3.07	1.70	12.43	4.14	4.04	10.71	5.77	5.20	1.22
\$80,000–99,999	†	1.83	2.86	1.74	†	3.05	3.82	8.64	10.26	5.46	1.12
\$100,000 or more	†	0.69	1.43	0.89	†	2.32	2.29	7.31	6.57	3.78	0.62
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	4.43	1.23	2.16	1.73	3.20	3.87	5.61	1.80	1.80	1.59	0.75
\$10,000–19,999	4.93	1.32	3.01	1.68	5.37	5.24	7.68	1.62	1.71	2.40	0.91
\$20,000–29,999	8.41	1.90	3.48	2.92	8.58	7.34	7.87	3.79	3.37	2.74	1.28
\$30,000–49,999	11.42	1.76	3.48	2.81	7.88	4.89	8.67	2.16	3.77	2.37	1.12
\$50,000 or more	13.15	1.42	2.86	2.28	12.84	4.12	5.62	5.94	7.18	3.33	1.00

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Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	4.95	0.93	1.48	1.07	2.95	2.12	3.59	1.68	1.54	1.35	0.55
Middle 50 percent	3.23	0.75	1.28	0.75	3.91	1.59	2.07	1.85	1.35	1.64	0.48
Highest 25 percent	11.05	0.92	1.46	0.79	5.80	1.90	2.18	3.28	4.32	2.37	0.50
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	7.20	0.90	1.39	0.79	3.02	1.56	2.09	1.96	1.39	1.79	0.49
Worked part time	6.25	0.94	1.37	0.75	3.65	1.99	2.54	2.05	2.26	1.86	0.56
Worked full time	9.76	0.90	1.98	1.22	7.47	2.59	4.58	3.67	2.83	2.18	0.68
Military status											
Veterans	†	2.72	4.66	4.23	9.35	6.79	13.56	9.37	5.30	5.02	2.03
Military service members											
Active duty	†	12.59	†	6.52	†	†	†	†	†	6.31	5.60
Reserves	†	10.02	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	9.53	5.36
Nonmilitary students	4.51	0.64	0.93	0.55	2.99	1.22	1.54	1.94	1.19	1.09	0.38
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	7.22	0.89	1.87	1.17	4.92	1.93	3.46	1.49	1.43	1.44	0.52
Some postsecondary education	5.12	0.99	1.78	1.13	5.05	2.43	3.16	3.67	2.15	2.37	0.72
Bachelor's degree or higher	7.90	0.92	1.29	0.72	5.11	1.57	1.56	3.16	2.85	2.60	0.51
Total aid status											
No aid	8.58	0.95	2.12	1.32	6.03	3.34	3.09	3.73	4.11	3.61	0.81
Received aid	6.28	0.65	1.06	0.55	2.94	1.16	1.63	1.92	1.29	1.45	0.37
Grant status											
No grant	7.62	0.84	1.54	0.86	5.70	2.80	3.63	4.30	1.95	1.76	0.58
Received grant	6.25	0.68	1.06	0.66	3.33	1.30	1.61	1.53	1.42	1.88	0.40
Loan status											
No loan	6.07	0.81	1.42	0.94	3.11	2.23	2.57	2.14	2.47	5.14	0.71
Received loan	9.66	1.48	1.40	0.65	3.71	1.32	1.80	2.21	1.12	0.80	0.48

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.3-B.

**AVERAGE REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID:** Average amount of remaining financial need (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), among undergraduates with financial need after receiving financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,000</b>	<b>\$5,300</b>	<b>\$6,300</b>	<b>\$8,400</b>	<b>\$9,700</b>	<b>\$11,200</b>	<b>\$14,200</b>	<b>\$13,000</b>	<b>\$12,300</b>	<b>\$9,400</b>	<b>\$7,900</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	11,600	7,900	7,700	9,400	11,800	13,100	16,800	17,700	16,500	12,900	10,700
Full-time/part-year	5,700	4,700	5,600	7,100	8,200	9,100	11,900	10,900	9,800	7,900	7,200
Part-time/full-year	5,900	5,500	5,900	7,400	‡	9,100	10,200	12,100	12,600	7,900	6,400
Part-time/part-year	‡	3,200	3,900	4,800	7,000	5,200	5,400	9,800	7,500	5,300	3,900
Housing											
On campus	‡	4,400	6,900	8,800	7,300	12,900	16,200	‡	‡	13,000	11,300
Off campus	8,500	5,400	6,200	8,700	10,200	9,600	13,800	14,400	12,100	9,600	7,700
Living with parents	7,100	5,300	6,100	7,700	7,800	10,400	11,400	11,000	12,500	8,700	7,100
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	3,100	3,000	3,300	3,400	‡	‡	‡	4,200	4,500	3,500	3,100
\$7,000–12,999	5,100	5,200	4,900	5,000	6,600	4,700	4,300	5,300	6,600	5,400	5,200
\$13,000–21,999	9,100	8,800	7,000	6,500	8,800	7,100	7,900	8,600	9,400	7,200	7,700
\$22,000 or more	19,000	15,000	11,200	12,300	13,300	13,500	16,800	18,200	16,800	13,700	14,300
Sex											
Male	7,500	5,300	6,300	8,800	9,900	11,400	14,100	12,600	12,800	9,000	7,900
Female	8,400	5,300	6,200	8,000	9,500	11,100	14,400	13,100	12,100	9,700	7,900
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	6,800	5,100	6,100	8,400	10,100	11,400	14,000	12,800	11,900	9,400	7,900
Black	7,500	5,500	6,100	6,900	9,700	8,400	10,300	12,900	13,900	9,300	7,500
Hispanic	9,800	5,200	6,400	7,700	9,200	10,800	12,900	13,200	11,800	9,200	7,400
Asian	‡	6,600	7,300	11,900	‡	17,400	20,500	15,400	13,400	10,600	10,800
American Indian	‡	4,900	5,900	5,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	11,600	9,400	7,200
Pacific Islander	‡	6,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	12,600	9,300	8,100
Two or more races	‡	5,700	7,200	7,200	‡	11,700	16,100	13,500	9,500	11,000	8,300

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Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$6,300	\$5,400	\$6,800	\$8,500	\$10,000	\$11,300	\$14,100	\$12,800	\$12,500	\$10,100	\$8,100
19–23 years	6,600	5,400	6,500	8,800	10,000	12,300	15,700	12,600	12,100	9,800	8,400
24–29 years	10,000	5,300	6,100	8,300	8,900	11,300	12,800	13,100	12,800	9,400	7,600
30–39 years	7,100	5,400	5,500	6,600	11,000	8,900	10,800	13,400	11,700	9,300	7,300
40 years or older	9,100	5,200	5,500	6,600	8,500	8,000	9,800	13,900	12,800	9,200	7,100
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	6,300	5,200	6,400	8,600	10,700	12,000	15,300	11,500	11,900	10,500	8,300
Independent <sup>5</sup>	8,700	5,400	6,100	8,100	9,400	10,000	12,100	13,500	12,500	9,300	7,600
Unmarried, no dependents	8,500	5,400	6,000	8,300	9,700	10,900	14,200	13,100	12,700	8,800	7,500
Married, no dependents	‡	5,400	7,200	10,000	11,000	8,800	9,900	13,200	11,400	8,000	7,400
Unmarried with dependents	7,700	5,500	6,300	8,000	8,800	10,300	13,200	13,700	12,700	9,800	8,000
Married with dependents	8,900	5,300	5,500	6,900	9,100	8,900	9,200	13,900	11,800	9,300	7,100
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	6,500	5,400	6,200	7,700	9,400	10,000	15,700	12,100	13,400	10,300	7,600
\$20,000–39,999	5,900	5,500	6,800	8,600	10,000	10,500	14,700	11,700	12,100	10,500	7,900
\$40,000–59,999	‡	4,900	6,100	7,800	7,400	10,400	11,900	11,000	9,500	10,000	7,300
\$60,000–79,999	‡	4,600	6,500	9,500	10,900	12,300	16,300	10,300	11,400	10,400	8,800
\$80,000–99,999	‡	4,900	5,700	9,000	‡	13,000	15,100	9,500	9,600	11,800	9,400
\$100,000 or more	‡	4,300	6,200	9,200	‡	15,600	17,200	7,200 !	9,200	12,900	11,800
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	6,500	5,800	6,700	8,600	10,000	11,300	16,100	14,100	12,700	9,500	8,200
\$10,000–19,999	11,700	5,500	5,800	8,100	9,600	8,700	13,600	13,600	12,900	9,800	7,800
\$20,000–29,999	9,700	5,300	5,600	7,800	10,500	10,300	10,100	12,400	12,300	9,600	7,300
\$30,000–49,999	6,900	4,900	6,200	7,800	7,300	10,000	8,200	12,800	12,300	8,600	7,000
\$50,000 or more	‡	5,000	5,800	7,400	7,700	8,800	10,300	11,600	9,500	8,000	6,600

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Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
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Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$6,300	\$5,600	\$6,500	\$8,300	\$10,200	\$10,700	\$15,700	\$13,400	\$12,900	\$9,700	\$7,900
Middle 50 percent	9,400	5,300	6,200	8,600	9,500	10,900	13,700	12,900	12,100	9,500	7,900
Highest 25 percent	10,100	4,900	5,900	8,200	8,800	12,700	14,100	11,400	10,900	8,400	8,000
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	6,700	5,500	6,400	9,200	10,000	12,000	15,700	12,900	12,700	9,800	8,700
Worked part time	9,300	5,500	6,300	8,000	9,600	10,900	13,800	13,100	11,500	9,400	7,700
Worked full time	9,200	5,000	5,900	7,300	8,400	9,900	10,200	13,300	12,200	9,100	6,900
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	5,200	5,700	6,900	‡	11,000	‡	15,000	12,600	9,700	7,600
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	4,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,500	5,700
Reserves	‡	4,700	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	7,000	6,100
Nonmilitary students	8,100	5,400	6,300	8,500	9,700	11,200	14,300	13,000	12,300	9,500	7,900
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	7,100	5,200	6,100	7,400	9,800	9,300	11,700	13,300	12,200	9,300	7,300
Some postsecondary education	10,200	5,300	6,000	7,600	8,200	10,000	11,600	12,800	12,000	9,400	7,200
Bachelor's degree or higher	9,700	5,500	6,600	9,400	10,700	13,100	16,100	11,700	12,300	9,800	9,100
Total aid status											
No aid	8,800	5,500	7,300	12,500	11,100	18,600	22,800	12,200	14,000	10,800	8,800
Received aid	7,700	5,300	5,800	7,100	9,300	9,900	12,000	13,100	11,900	9,300	7,600
Grant status											
No grant	9,000	5,400	7,000	11,000	10,100	16,200	20,700	11,800	12,700	9,000	8,600
Received grant	7,700	5,300	5,800	7,100	9,500	9,800	11,800	13,300	12,100	9,500	7,600
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	8,600	5,600	7,000	10,800	11,300	15,500	18,400	14,000	13,800	10,000	8,000
Received loan	5,400	4,000	4,700	6,100	8,000	8,400	10,800	12,700	11,400	9,200	7,700

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! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution. Remaining need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC) minus all types of financial aid except federal education tax benefits. The calculation of the percentage with remaining need includes students who had no need and those who received no aid. The calculation of the average amount of remaining need includes only those who had any remaining need and excludes those with zero remaining need. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$680</b>	<b>\$70</b>	<b>\$130</b>	<b>\$130</b>	<b>\$870</b>	<b>\$390</b>	<b>\$450</b>	<b>\$950</b>	<b>\$380</b>	<b>\$230</b>	<b>\$80</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,260	120	200	170	1,750	510	510	1,060	540	330	120
Full-time/part-year	960	120	270	280	760	610	1,150	1,000	420	180	150
Part-time/full-year	640	100	190	210	†	520	910	1,840	950	530	100
Part-time/part-year	†	60	190	220	1,430	390	710	1,130	320	240	60
Housing											
On campus	†	320	420	300	120	660	670	†	†	1,060	280
Off campus	640	90	170	200	1,130	420	800	1,270	590	170	110
Living with parents	1,170	90	220	150	620	700	800	560	400	710	90
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	470	50	120	180	†	†	†	580	380	250	40
\$7,000–12,999	480	50	130	150	690	480	620	500	300	190	50
\$13,000–21,999	1,020	130	160	100	1,010	280	600	300	390	150	70
\$22,000 or more	2,110	410	500	210	2,020	490	470	940	450	260	170
Sex											
Male	1,150	90	190	210	1,170	490	650	1,480	750	310	100
Female	880	90	180	140	1,060	490	610	1,050	330	220	90
Race/ethnicity											
White	740	90	150	150	1,610	460	550	1,290	500	210	90
Black	2,200	120	350	250	700	430	780	1,300	750	280	130
Hispanic	1,070	110	220	230	880	920	1,150	820	500	300	140
Asian	†	290	540	640	†	1,780	1,670	2,100	1,170	1,800	380
American Indian	†	510	780	610	†	†	†	†	1,580	1,200	510
Pacific Islander	†	710	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,590	990	520
Two or more races	†	250	740	550	†	2,500	2,470	2,710	780	470	340

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.3-B.

Standard errors for table 5.3-B: AVERAGE REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID: Average amount of remaining financial need (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), among undergraduates with financial need after receiving financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$1,530	\$120	\$250	\$270	\$2,250	\$660	\$630	\$980	\$920	\$610	\$130
19–23 years	380	90	190	160	1,120	530	570	910	540	390	100
24–29 years	2,200	110	200	240	980	870	1,680	1,030	600	280	120
30–39 years	730	130	300	320	1,570	600	1,030	1,290	600	280	130
40 years or older	2,130	150	400	420	1,290	600	1,340	1,010	590	320	140
Dependency status											
Dependent	490	90	190	140	2,040	540	540	900	580	240	110
Independent	840	90	150	180	670	420	790	980	400	250	90
Unmarried, no dependents	2,260	110	260	260	1,650	860	1,520	1,040	560	370	130
Married, no dependents	†	240	470	580	2,590	1,150	1,650	1,350	800	470	210
Unmarried with dependents	1,650	130	260	350	750	510	1,480	1,060	500	320	130
Married with dependents	910	140	340	340	860	760	1,010	1,340	630	330	130
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	850	130	250	250	1,250	790	1,790	1,230	840	380	160
\$20,000–39,999	770	150	460	290	1,700	830	1,280	720	940	670	160
\$40,000–59,999	†	170	410	270	1,430	690	970	1,750	950	1,110	170
\$60,000–79,999	†	170	410	330	2,620	950	1,560	1,620	1,330	1,210	290
\$80,000–99,999	†	270	530	510	†	1,200	1,330	1,770	1,850	1,980	360
\$100,000 or more	†	550	590	470	†	970	870	2,190	1,700	2,830	400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	870	120	270	270	1,270	800	1,840	1,080	580	330	130
\$10,000–19,999	2,910	150	260	340	1,150	680	1,770	850	520	340	150
\$20,000–29,999	2,150	140	400	500	810	1,000	1,880	1,270	650	300	160
\$30,000–49,999	1,150	160	310	360	1,090	960	1,300	1,400	880	480	160
\$50,000 or more	†	170	480	540	1,110	910	1,220	1,370	1,010	450	190

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.3-B.

Standard errors for table 5.3-B: AVERAGE REMAINING NEED AFTER FINANCIAL AID: Average amount of remaining financial need (total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution and any financial aid), among undergraduates with financial need after receiving financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$590	\$90	\$190	\$190	\$1,180	\$520	\$1,230	\$1,090	\$410	\$330	\$110
Middle 50 percent	1,270	80	180	160	680	430	580	900	490	240	90
Highest 25 percent	1,550	150	320	340	1,820	840	820	990	820	430	180
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	830	90	190	230	1,360	550	610	1,130	470	290	120
Worked part time	1,270	100	180	120	720	450	810	890	460	210	90
Worked full time	1,520	90	210	230	1,380	530	920	980	510	310	100
Military status											
Veterans	†	270	580	530	†	2,860	†	2,830	1,040	710	340
Military service members											
Active duty	†	410	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,630	460
Reserves	†	680	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,710	690
Nonmilitary students	680	70	130	130	890	380	470	960	370	190	70
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	810	100	190	190	660	400	880	940	460	280	100
Some postsecondary education	2,150	100	230	200	1,010	500	770	1,020	570	260	90
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,880	100	190	200	2,140	590	600	990	570	370	120
Total aid status											
No aid	1,050	120	250	350	1,900	1,460	1,450	940	860	620	160
Received aid	900	90	140	110	840	330	360	1,000	400	220	90
Grant status											
No grant	950	110	230	280	1,270	1,150	1,230	1,000	590	440	130
Received grant	910	90	150	110	870	320	440	1,010	410	250	90
Loan status											
No loan	760	80	170	200	1,540	710	780	940	530	590	90
Received loan	1,040	110	150	110	450	330	390	1,020	440	180	110

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.4-A.

**AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>77.5</b>	<b>71.1</b>	<b>77.9</b>	<b>83.4</b>	<b>83.5</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>86.1</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>84.9</b>	<b>92.0</b>	<b>80.0</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	76.8	81.4	87.2	87.6	91.0	93.1	90.2	95.8	89.4	97.2	88.1
Full-time/part-year	72.7	74.9	75.8	78.6	78.7	91.3	78.8	87.0	79.9	87.2	80.1
Part-time/full-year	95.3	75.0	78.8	80.5	92.4	84.5	88.3	93.3	91.9	94.5	79.0
Part-time/part-year	78.1 !	56.9	55.6	64.4	62.9	77.6	67.1	89.0	85.8	90.4	63.1
Housing											
On campus	‡	89.1	88.3	87.3	98.9	92.4	88.6	‡	‡	89.4	89.0
Off campus	78.2	70.5	75.4	80.1	80.1	86.5	80.5	91.5	84.0	92.3	78.2
Living with parents	76.5	71.5	77.0	84.5	93.2	90.9	89.2	88.8	85.6	91.4	79.0
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	64.4 !	55.6	50.6	52.2	‡	55.0	‡	53.8	65.3	72.3	55.7
\$7,000–12,999	85.2	78.2	75.3	73.0	68.6	79.9	69.6	84.4	71.5	83.6	77.6
\$13,000–21,999	81.2	81.3	87.7	88.2	91.5	90.9	79.2	90.3	87.4	95.5	86.7
\$22,000 or more	67.1	81.9	83.2	84.0	92.4	92.9	89.8	94.3	90.6	96.8	89.4
Sex											
Male	80.6	70.1	74.6	81.9	82.7	90.0	83.3	93.3	87.8	91.8	78.7
Female	75.2	71.9	80.3	84.7	83.9	90.7	88.4	89.5	83.3	92.1	81.0
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	77.3	69.5	77.2	81.8	87.3	89.6	86.1	87.2	83.1	91.4	79.2
Black	59.5 !	78.7	85.0	92.1	91.3	95.7	89.0	93.7	82.9	92.6	85.9
Hispanic	81.3	70.6	78.9	87.1	77.7	89.6	90.7	91.3	89.3	94.4	80.0
Asian	‡	57.6	61.9	70.4	‡	80.3	78.4	86.8	81.2	83.1	67.6
American Indian	‡	75.9	81.0	95.6	‡	‡	‡	96.6	88.3	90.6	85.0
Pacific Islander	‡	63.3	‡	80.9	‡	‡	‡	‡	87.8	85.1	73.0
Two or more races	‡	76.3	82.1	88.2	‡	94.5	80.3	90.5	91.9	96.7	83.7

See notes at end of table.

# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 5.4-A.

**AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	75.1	79.2	88.4	89.8	95.7	95.5	91.3	88.9	85.2	90.9	86.7
19–23 years	84.0	71.8	80.1	83.9	85.7	91.5	87.2	90.0	83.4	89.7	80.9
24–29 years	80.4	68.8	71.2	78.8	78.9	89.0	82.3	92.4	85.3	92.7	77.0
30–39 years	90.5	72.7	76.5	83.0	84.7	87.8	83.6	91.1	89.2	92.8	81.0
40 years or older	50.9	66.2	69.6	75.9	81.9	81.2	78.4	86.1	82.7	92.4	75.3
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	85.1	73.4	82.7	85.2	89.6	92.1	88.4	88.9	83.7	91.3	82.7
Independent <sup>5</sup>	74.4	69.8	72.9	79.8	81.6	87.2	81.3	90.9	85.4	92.1	77.8
Unmarried, no dependents	64.0	66.4	70.1	79.8	81.7	88.8	84.0	93.9	88.3	92.8	76.0
Married, no dependents	‡	52.0	66.3	76.9	65.1	75.2	67.4	75.7	71.2	88.5	65.8
Unmarried with dependents	77.7	77.4	79.5	84.9	87.7	95.0	89.1	92.7	84.7	92.1	83.4
Married with dependents	76.6	70.3	73.9	76.0	79.2	81.6	77.3	84.6	88.0	92.3	77.5
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	95.3	82.5	90.4	94.9	99.8	93.8	91.7	91.8	84.1	92.3	88.4
\$20,000–39,999	83.6	75.4	86.1	90.1	96.1	98.3	90.8	91.1	83.0	92.2	84.3
\$40,000–59,999	‡	71.6	83.1	91.2	98.3	98.3	95.2	94.4	92.3	91.2	84.5
\$60,000–79,999	‡	60.3	72.7	81.5	82.0	93.0	87.7	85.0	83.5	94.3	77.1
\$80,000–99,999	‡	58.5	75.5	77.0	‡	91.2	88.8	75.4	78.8	85.0	77.6
\$100,000 or more	‡	54.4	78.5	76.5	62.8	85.1	83.6	64.6	71.7	86.8	78.6
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	70.6	77.2	79.2	84.2	87.6	96.2	79.9	94.1	88.0	91.4	82.6
\$10,000–19,999	84.4	74.7	76.9	83.3	84.9	89.8	86.7	91.9	84.1	93.6	81.4
\$20,000–29,999	64.8 !	69.7	72.5	75.9	80.6	87.8	91.6	92.9	86.6	94.1	77.8
\$30,000–49,999	100.0	65.9	69.8	77.9	67.5	81.9	82.2	82.3	83.3	93.9	76.1
\$50,000 or more	‡	48.3	57.0	68.5	72.0	77.1	73.2	71.3	77.1	86.9	63.2

See notes at end of table.



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Table 5.4-A.

**AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	78.8	78.8	85.2	90.0	90.3	96.1	86.1	93.3	86.3	90.7	84.8
Middle 50 percent	78.9	70.6	76.7	82.8	84.1	92.4	90.5	90.1	85.3	93.8	80.3
Highest 25 percent	69.8	52.2	66.1	74.8	66.2	81.3	78.8	74.9	77.3	88.8	70.3
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	74.5	74.5	79.5	82.2	85.6	91.6	85.2	92.1	83.9	91.3	81.6
Worked part time	78.2	71.6	80.7	85.5	80.5	90.4	88.8	86.7	83.8	93.6	80.9
Worked full time	85.1	66.6	70.5	80.3	83.4	87.1	83.0	92.5	89.3	91.8	76.2
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	†	84.3	84.1	94.0	100.0	92.0	92.8	96.5	98.2	97.3	90.1
Military service members											
Active duty	†	67.1	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	98.3	84.3
Reserves	†	81.9	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	99.5	91.6
Nonmilitary students	77.2	70.6	77.5	83.0	82.5	90.3	85.9	90.2	83.9	91.3	79.5
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	83.1	75.7	80.9	89.6	87.8	91.1	89.2	93.5	87.5	92.2	83.2
Some postsecondary education	81.9	70.9	80.3	85.9	76.6	92.0	87.1	88.8	80.9	92.6	80.2
Bachelor's degree or higher	65.6	62.7	72.2	78.5	80.5	88.7	84.9	83.9	82.6	91.2	76.1
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Grant status											
No grant	13.5	17.9	35.2	49.3	31.1	49.3	40.7	52.2	52.4	70.2	35.8
Received grant	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	71.0	62.9	59.5	55.0	65.5	69.7	62.3	56.6	54.4	62.0	61.4
Received loan	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

See notes at end of table.

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**Table 5.4-A.**

**AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

! Interpret data with caution (estimates are unstable).

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution and students who have no need. Financial need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC). Those with a negative or zero balance after subtraction are considered to have zero need. The federal expected family contribution (EFC) used in federal need analysis is an estimate of the amount that students and parents should be able to contribute toward educational expenses. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPTO87 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.4-A.

Standard errors for table 5.4-A: AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.53</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.79</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>3.69</b>	<b>0.79</b>	<b>0.94</b>	<b>0.89</b>	<b>1.49</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.43</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	4.86	1.09	0.95	0.50	3.39	0.69	0.88	0.75	1.55	0.48	0.35
Full-time/part-year	3.82	2.28	2.46	1.54	5.98	2.14	3.66	1.75	2.86	1.59	1.17
Part-time/full-year	3.66	1.08	1.73	1.20	9.19	3.21	3.02	2.58	2.80	1.05	0.69
Part-time/part-year	27.32	2.63	3.17	2.89	18.44	4.60	5.47	2.05	2.99	1.90	1.73
Housing											
On campus	†	3.42	1.71	0.83	0.29	0.86	1.24	†	†	3.20	0.53
Off campus	6.14	1.28	1.22	0.79	5.08	2.16	2.06	1.04	2.14	0.99	0.67
Living with parents	6.83	0.96	1.44	0.85	5.78	1.75	2.41	2.24	2.04	1.22	0.57
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	19.40	2.25	3.59	4.81	†	11.86	†	10.06	10.78	7.01	1.97
\$7,000–12,999	4.75	0.74	1.66	1.60	9.70	4.57	7.80	3.96	4.50	2.59	0.69
\$13,000–21,999	3.10	1.22	0.93	0.63	4.23	1.88	3.95	2.31	2.08	0.62	0.48
\$22,000 or more	18.56	2.92	1.47	0.70	3.45	0.67	0.84	0.86	1.30	0.67	0.34
Sex											
Male	6.03	1.21	1.17	0.66	5.23	1.06	1.72	1.36	1.87	0.97	0.55
Female	6.81	0.93	1.05	0.68	4.09	1.00	1.23	1.10	1.91	0.98	0.47
Race/ethnicity											
White	2.96	0.97	1.12	0.63	3.68	0.96	1.36	1.49	2.35	0.78	0.47
Black	18.42	1.44	2.06	0.93	5.62	1.19	3.51	1.90	2.86	1.42	0.75
Hispanic	12.25	1.62	1.56	1.25	11.02	2.70	2.86	1.75	2.16	1.13	0.85
Asian	†	2.97	5.07	2.23	†	5.19	3.84	7.57	6.63	4.41	1.67
American Indian	†	7.13	6.30	3.29	†	†	†	10.27	12.67	5.03	3.04
Pacific Islander	†	8.41	†	6.20	†	†	†	†	13.38	8.56	3.97
Two or more races	†	2.68	4.94	2.17	†	2.81	7.15	5.96	7.35	1.95	1.40

See notes at end of table.

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Table S5.4-A.

Standard errors for table 5.4-A: AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	9.93	1.37	1.22	0.77	3.75	0.78	1.20	3.98	3.86	2.33	0.59
19–23 years	6.49	1.16	1.12	0.55	4.38	0.88	1.33	1.23	1.81	1.74	0.48
24–29 years	9.89	1.51	2.44	1.17	7.37	3.07	4.45	1.44	2.62	1.16	0.90
30–39 years	4.44	1.43	2.69	1.75	7.31	3.56	4.83	2.58	2.35	1.19	0.79
40 years or older	10.49	2.27	3.74	2.92	5.20	4.03	5.55	2.63	3.56	1.19	1.31
Dependency status											
Dependent	4.89	1.11	1.05	0.52	3.37	0.79	1.15	1.61	2.34	1.89	0.44
Independent	5.16	1.09	1.36	0.90	4.50	1.83	2.23	0.97	1.77	0.86	0.64
Unmarried, no dependents	9.72	1.39	1.98	1.12	7.76	2.52	3.47	2.54	2.13	1.14	0.77
Married, no dependents	†	3.73	3.92	3.01	19.23	5.44	8.86	6.61	8.50	2.80	2.41
Unmarried with dependents	10.56	1.06	2.52	1.79	5.16	2.05	4.63	1.16	2.65	1.49	0.64
Married with dependents	11.20	1.80	3.59	2.46	11.96	4.64	5.32	3.38	2.94	1.13	1.13
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	3.53	1.39	1.74	0.79	0.39	2.20	3.45	2.72	3.46	2.17	0.71
\$20,000–39,999	10.67	1.99	1.90	1.04	5.47	0.51	2.82	3.68	4.29	3.23	0.89
\$40,000–59,999	†	2.15	2.22	1.01	2.28	0.85	2.95	3.43	3.75	3.97	0.99
\$60,000–79,999	†	2.42	2.85	1.24	10.10	1.75	3.50	5.81	6.72	2.13	1.02
\$80,000–99,999	†	3.86	3.81	1.59	†	2.21	2.77	9.74	9.75	5.20	1.14
\$100,000 or more	†	5.27	3.10	1.32	18.12	1.99	1.75	10.34	8.90	5.79	0.84
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	14.27	1.12	2.12	1.17	3.34	1.80	5.24	1.40	2.13	1.15	0.64
\$10,000–19,999	9.73	1.84	2.64	1.77	5.45	3.16	7.76	2.25	3.09	1.22	1.04
\$20,000–29,999	21.96	1.87	3.50	2.84	10.97	3.95	3.69	2.16	3.86	1.02	1.04
\$30,000–49,999	†	2.01	3.13	2.78	11.14	5.35	5.73	4.97	4.85	1.47	1.14
\$50,000 or more	†	3.05	4.39	2.66	12.34	4.06	5.83	7.33	6.92	2.55	2.04

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Table S5.4-A.

Standard errors for table 5.4-A: AID AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Percentage of undergraduates with financial need who received any financial aid, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	8.79	1.08	1.23	0.68	2.80	1.00	2.36	1.58	1.47	1.09	0.54
Middle 50 percent	5.24	0.95	1.22	0.68	4.76	1.04	1.31	0.94	2.15	0.85	0.46
Highest 25 percent	14.03	2.56	2.79	1.31	7.24	1.81	2.38	5.05	4.75	2.12	1.16
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	5.37	1.56	1.40	0.72	3.98	0.85	1.48	0.89	1.40	0.91	0.65
Worked part time	7.75	0.96	1.05	0.65	6.51	1.43	1.87	1.65	3.41	1.04	0.49
Worked full time	7.84	1.25	2.00	1.21	6.34	2.17	3.44	1.60	2.11	1.11	0.72
Military status											
Veterans	†	2.64	4.67	1.59	†	5.40	8.22	4.29	2.54	0.82	1.29
Military service members											
Active duty	†	7.61	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.90	3.42
Reserves	†	9.25	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	0.41	3.97
Nonmilitary students	3.55	0.94	0.79	0.47	4.02	0.80	0.97	0.90	1.60	0.97	0.45
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	4.98	1.09	1.32	0.78	5.38	1.65	2.20	0.94	1.39	1.03	0.56
Some postsecondary education	6.80	1.38	1.39	0.90	5.69	1.72	2.22	1.59	3.34	1.03	0.75
Bachelor's degree or higher	10.97	1.12	1.37	0.71	5.11	1.20	1.54	2.81	2.97	1.51	0.47
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Grant status											
No grant	2.90	1.09	1.96	1.04	7.72	2.74	3.27	3.89	3.81	2.32	0.81
Received grant	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Loan status											
No loan	4.71	1.15	1.35	1.14	7.37	2.39	2.48	4.17	4.54	3.33	0.86
Received loan	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table 5.4-B.

**AID AMOUNT AMONG THOSE WITH NEED:** Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,500</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$9,200</b>	<b>\$13,000</b>	<b>\$11,500</b>	<b>\$21,700</b>	<b>\$24,900</b>	<b>\$10,100</b>	<b>\$10,700</b>	<b>\$11,900</b>	<b>\$11,300</b>
Attendance status <sup>1</sup>											
Full-time/full-year	7,300	7,000	12,100	14,800	16,400	26,700	30,200	12,200	13,400	16,400	16,200
Full-time/part-year	4,400	4,500	6,600	8,800	7,500	13,100	15,700	9,700	9,700	9,200	8,200
Part-time/full-year	5,600	4,900	7,300	11,100	10,500	14,000	13,800	9,300	10,300	12,500	7,700
Part-time/part-year	‡	3,200	4,400	6,600	3,500	8,500	7,300	6,800	6,600	7,700	4,800
Housing											
On campus	‡	7,400	13,900	15,800	21,800	27,500	30,400	‡	‡	23,500	21,800
Off campus	5,100	5,100	8,300	12,100	11,100	15,400	21,800	10,200	11,300	11,700	9,600
Living with parents	5,800	4,800	8,200	11,700	10,700	17,100	18,700	9,800	10,000	11,700	9,000
Price of attendance <sup>2</sup>											
Less than \$7,000	2,100	2,400	2,500	3,100	‡	‡	‡	‡	2,200	2,900	2,500
\$7,000–12,999	4,200	4,900	5,900	6,400	5,000	6,500	6,100	6,600	5,500	6,000	5,400
\$13,000–21,999	7,500	7,400	10,500	11,700	8,100	11,200	10,500	9,500	9,600	10,600	10,000
\$22,000 or more	7,200	11,500	15,300	16,900	18,400	26,300	29,100	11,700	13,600	16,600	20,300
Sex											
Male	5,400	5,100	9,400	13,000	13,900	21,900	24,900	10,800	12,500	12,200	11,600
Female	5,600	5,000	9,000	13,000	10,400	21,600	24,900	9,800	9,700	11,700	11,100
Race/ethnicity <sup>3</sup>											
White	5,300	5,300	9,700	12,500	11,800	21,300	24,300	10,200	11,000	11,900	11,700
Black	6,600	5,200	9,400	14,800	12,400	20,400	22,700	9,900	10,000	11,300	10,700
Hispanic	5,500	4,300	7,500	12,900	11,300	23,900	28,300	10,000	10,700	12,700	10,000
Asian	‡	4,600	8,300	13,000	‡	25,700	26,400	8,800	11,500	11,200	12,700
American Indian	‡	5,300	7,300	15,200	‡	‡	‡	11,800	8,600	10,400	10,000
Pacific Islander	‡	5,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	13,400	14,600	11,300
Two or more races	‡	5,300	10,400	13,600	‡	25,700	27,700	10,200	13,100	13,400	12,600

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# National Center for Education Statistics

Table 5.4-B.

**AID AMOUNT AMONG THOSE WITH NEED:** Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$4,200	\$4,700	\$10,900	\$14,700	\$16,500	\$27,400	\$30,600	\$10,400	\$13,300	\$15,300	\$14,400
19–23 years	4,100	4,600	9,300	13,200	13,400	24,500	28,400	10,200	11,000	13,300	12,900
24–29 years	6,200	5,200	8,300	12,100	11,300	15,700	15,200	9,600	10,500	11,600	9,100
30–39 years	6,900	5,600	8,900	11,700	9,100	13,100	14,100	10,100	10,500	11,300	9,100
40 years or older	6,500	5,500	7,900	10,500	8,900	11,200	12,100	10,300	9,600	11,400	8,600
Dependency status <sup>4</sup>											
Dependent	3,500	4,600	9,800	13,500	16,800	25,600	29,300	10,500	12,000	15,400	13,900
Independent <sup>5</sup>	6,500	5,300	8,400	12,000	9,700	14,200	14,800	9,900	10,200	11,400	8,900
Unmarried, no dependents	5,700	5,200	9,000	12,600	11,500	17,100	17,100	9,700	10,200	11,800	9,600
Married, no dependents	‡	5,100	7,500	10,700	‡	15,600	12,800	11,000	12,300	10,500	8,900
Unmarried with dependents	8,700	5,400	7,800	12,500	9,200	13,200	14,100	9,900	9,800	11,300	8,600
Married with dependents	5,900	5,300	8,400	10,300	8,700	10,900	12,600	9,900	10,500	11,200	8,500
Dependency status and income level in 2010 <sup>6</sup>											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	‡	5,100	9,500	14,900	17,500	25,300	30,900	10,100	10,600	14,200	11,800
\$20,000–39,999	4,200	4,700	9,600	14,500	17,900	26,200	31,000	10,400	12,000	14,700	12,700
\$40,000–59,999	‡	3,800	9,300	13,700	15,300	26,400	30,900	10,800	12,400	18,000	13,300
\$60,000–79,999	‡	3,700	10,000	11,800	14,700	25,400	28,700	10,400	13,400	14,800	14,000
\$80,000–99,999	‡	4,000	10,000	12,400	‡	24,400	28,800	11,800	14,500	13,900	15,800
\$100,000 or more	‡	4,800	11,700	13,100	14,900	25,500	27,400	13,100	13,800	19,900	18,900
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	6,300	5,500	9,100	13,500	10,000	17,700	22,500	9,800	9,200	11,100	9,400
\$10,000–19,999	6,200	5,400	9,100	12,200	9,200	14,000	14,600	10,400	10,100	12,300	9,100
\$20,000–29,999	8,800	5,300	7,900	11,000	11,100	13,400	12,100	9,500	11,700	11,900	8,700
\$30,000–49,999	6,300	5,000	7,600	10,900	8,800	12,300	13,100	9,600	11,700	10,600	8,500
\$50,000 or more	‡	4,700	6,100	9,000	8,600	10,700	9,900	9,400	11,300	10,900	8,100

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Table 5.4-B.

**AID AMOUNT AMONG THOSE WITH NEED:** Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group <sup>7</sup>											
Lowest 25 percent	\$4,600	\$5,300	\$9,400	\$14,500	\$12,500	\$22,600	\$29,500	\$9,900	\$9,700	\$11,800	\$10,800
Middle 50 percent	6,900	4,900	9,100	12,500	11,400	22,000	24,900	10,200	11,300	12,200	11,300
Highest 25 percent	4,300	4,700	8,800	12,100	9,100	20,300	21,700	10,100	11,600	11,100	12,500
Worked while enrolled <sup>8</sup>											
Did not work	5,200	5,400	10,000	14,200	13,000	24,700	27,000	10,300	10,600	11,700	12,700
Worked part time	5,400	5,000	9,200	12,800	10,400	21,700	26,500	9,800	11,000	12,800	11,500
Worked full time	6,400	4,600	7,500	10,600	9,100	13,000	13,900	9,800	10,900	11,600	8,400
Military status <sup>9</sup>											
Veterans	‡	8,000	10,300	14,700	17,800	14,900	15,300	15,000	15,400	15,100	12,100
Military service members											
Active duty	‡	4,800	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	6,000	7,200
Reserves	‡	8,200	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	9,200	10,500
Nonmilitary students	5,500	4,900	9,100	13,000	11,100	22,100	25,400	9,900	10,300	11,800	11,300
Highest education attained by either parent <sup>10</sup>											
High school diploma or less	5,100	5,000	8,700	13,100	10,100	19,000	23,600	10,100	10,300	11,400	9,800
Some postsecondary education	6,000	5,200	9,700	13,600	11,500	22,200	24,800	10,600	11,200	12,300	11,200
Bachelor's degree or higher	6,700	4,800	9,200	12,700	14,500	23,200	25,800	9,700	11,500	12,700	13,400
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	5,500	5,000	9,200	13,000	11,500	21,700	24,900	10,100	10,700	11,900	11,300
Grant status											
No grant	4,800	5,200	8,300	10,400	10,600	9,800	12,300	8,600	10,600	9,900	9,000
Received grant	5,600	5,000	9,300	13,700	11,600	23,100	26,500	10,200	10,800	12,400	11,600
Loan status <sup>11</sup>											
No loan	4,000	3,700	5,200	8,700	7,100	15,100	18,200	5,300	6,100	7,200	6,100
Received loan	9,300	7,900	12,000	14,400	14,200	23,900	27,400	10,800	12,000	12,600	14,700

See notes at end of table.



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**Table 5.4-B.**

**AID AMOUNT AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12—Continued**

† Not applicable.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

<sup>1</sup> Students were considered to have attended for a full year if they were enrolled 9 or more months during the academic year. Months did not have to be contiguous and students did not have to be enrolled for a full month in order to be considered enrolled for that month.

<sup>2</sup> Total price of attendance is the total budget (attendance intensity-adjusted) at the institution for students who attended only one institution during the academic year. The budget includes room and board, books and supplies, transportation, and personal expenses. Institutions typically use this value as a student's budget for the purpose of awarding federal financial aid. Average tuition and average total price estimates are shown for those attending one institution only.

<sup>3</sup> Black includes African American, Hispanic includes Latino, American Indian includes Alaska Native, Pacific Islander includes Native Hawaiian, and Two or more races includes respondents having origins in more than one race. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin unless specified.

<sup>4</sup> Independent students are age 24 or over and students under 24 who are married, have dependents, are veterans or on active duty, are orphans or wards of the courts, are homeless or at risk of homelessness, or were determined to be independent by a financial aid officer using professional judgment. Other undergraduates under age 24 are considered to be dependent.

<sup>5</sup> Unmarried includes students who were separated, widowed, or divorced.

<sup>6</sup> Total income in 2010 was used because it was reported on the federal financial aid application and used for federal need analysis for 2011–12. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>7</sup> Dollar cutoffs are based on the income distributions of dependent undergraduates and independent undergraduates, calculated separately and combined into this variable. Among dependent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$31,900, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$31,900–\$112,600, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$112,600. Among independent undergraduates, the lowest 25 percent included students whose family income was less than \$7,500, the middle 50 percent included students whose family income was \$7,500–\$41,200, and the highest 25 percent included students whose family income was more than \$41,200. Income consists of parents' income for dependent students. For independent students, consists of the income of the student (and spouse if the student is married).

<sup>8</sup> Estimates exclude students who worked in school-related jobs (e.g., work-study or assistantships) and jobs held while not enrolled, including summer break. Before NPSAS:12, students in NPSAS studies were not asked to exclude jobs held while not enrolled. Full-time status was defined as working 35 or more hours per week, and part-time status was defined as working less than 35 hours per week.

<sup>9</sup> The 0.14 percent of respondents who were National Guard members were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>10</sup> The 3.5 percent of respondents who reported that they did not know their parents' highest level of education were included in the total but not shown separately.

<sup>11</sup> Loans include only loans to students and may be from any source, but exclude other forms of financing such as credit cards, home equity loans, loans from individuals, and Direct PLUS Loans to parents.

NOTE: Federal education tax benefits are not included in this table. This table excludes students attending more than one institution, those who did not have any financial need, and those who did not receive any financial aid. Financial need is defined as the total price of attendance minus the expected family contribution (EFC). Those with a negative or zero balance after subtraction are considered to have zero need. The federal expected family contribution (EFC) used in federal need analysis is an estimate of the amount that students and parents should be able to contribute toward educational expenses. Average aid includes students who received no aid. Estimates include students enrolled in Title IV eligible postsecondary institutions in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Prior cycles of NPSAS included sampled institutions from Puerto Rico; to yield comparable estimates across cycles, use the COMPT087 variable to exclude Puerto Rican institutions from estimates.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).

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Table S5.4-B.

Standard errors for table 5.4-B: AID AMOUNT AMONG THOSE WITH NEED: Average amount of financial aid received by undergraduates with financial need, by type of institution and selected student characteristics: 2011–12

Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$400</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$190</b>	<b>\$110</b>	<b>\$1,560</b>	<b>\$360</b>	<b>\$510</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$90</b>
Attendance status											
Full-time/full-year	1,110	130	250	130	2,390	400	480	660	400	270	110
Full-time/part-year	840	130	400	300	800	1,100	1,180	290	400	120	140
Part-time/full-year	530	100	210	200	2,440	760	950	560	650	630	110
Part-time/part-year	†	110	350	260	710	1,020	910	370	350	300	120
Housing											
On campus	†	470	400	190	200	550	620	†	†	1,280	240
Off campus	910	100	190	150	1,960	600	900	340	440	200	110
Living with parents	610	110	270	180	930	680	750	420	280	760	130
Price of attendance											
Less than \$7,000	480	50	160	240	†	†	†	†	360	190	40
\$7,000–12,999	550	70	150	160	510	380	520	520	280	140	50
\$13,000–21,999	900	140	180	100	1,060	390	400	300	310	160	70
\$22,000 or more	1,730	690	530	190	2,490	400	510	530	330	230	170
Sex											
Male	850	100	290	160	2,010	620	980	590	520	340	130
Female	740	100	190	130	1,680	470	590	330	270	100	100
Race/ethnicity											
White	510	100	240	130	2,870	460	600	610	390	150	120
Black	1,900	150	340	260	2,280	900	1,420	360	500	170	160
Hispanic	910	140	410	330	1,510	1,950	1,500	490	550	390	220
Asian	†	210	510	400	†	2,260	1,890	860	1,200	1,670	450
American Indian	†	610	650	1,600	†	†	†	2,130	1,040	1,010	680
Pacific Islander	†	780	†	†	†	†	†	†	2,780	1,630	1,060
Two or more races	†	240	850	610	†	1,830	2,280	690	1,520	500	390

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Table S5.4-B.

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Student characteristics	Public				Private nonprofit			For-profit			All institutions
	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Age as of 12/31/11											
18 years or younger	\$400	\$130	\$480	\$250	\$2,700	\$780	\$700	\$500	\$760	\$780	\$180
19–23 years	700	90	240	150	2,600	470	610	360	270	410	130
24–29 years	890	150	270	230	1,890	840	1,500	360	560	260	150
30–39 years	710	150	400	370	1,640	800	1,240	430	530	170	130
40 years or older	1,280	160	390	460	1,570	680	900	670	630	310	140
Dependency status											
Dependent	720	90	300	140	3,090	460	540	490	350	440	120
Independent	240	110	170	180	1,160	510	770	290	300	150	100
Unmarried, no dependents	890	130	250	250	2,350	1,120	1,370	300	530	310	150
Married, no dependents	†	280	400	590	†	2,090	1,930	1,610	850	720	280
Unmarried with dependents	510	150	320	330	630	650	1,570	280	390	220	140
Married with dependents	810	160	460	390	1,250	790	1,250	480	640	310	160
Dependency status and income level in 2010											
Dependent											
Less than \$20,000	†	110	390	300	4,930	1,230	1,830	600	460	720	220
\$20,000–39,999	840	120	470	270	2,700	1,000	1,500	540	600	630	250
\$40,000–59,999	†	140	400	300	2,890	1,020	1,500	870	850	1,200	300
\$60,000–79,999	†	190	650	310	2,790	1,060	1,430	1,340	850	1,210	350
\$80,000–99,999	†	330	540	380	†	910	1,340	1,340	1,340	1,590	410
\$100,000 or more	†	470	770	310	3,690	620	1,040	1,340	1,520	1,410	400
Independent											
Less than \$10,000	970	140	330	300	1,670	1,010	2,130	350	360	270	160
\$10,000–19,999	960	160	390	360	1,150	1,220	1,720	430	500	290	150
\$20,000–29,999	1,100	190	350	480	1,960	1,310	1,630	490	730	260	160
\$30,000–49,999	1,330	180	420	430	1,720	950	1,610	580	740	370	180
\$50,000 or more	†	230	630	420	1,210	730	850	360	920	460	190

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	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-4-year	4-year non-doctorate-granting	4-year doctorate-granting	Less-than-2-year	2-year	4-year	
Income group											
Lowest 25 percent	\$980	\$100	\$280	\$200	\$2,240	\$810	\$1,480	\$370	\$300	\$300	\$130
Middle 50 percent	540	100	210	150	1,330	440	630	320	350	170	110
Highest 25 percent	410	180	480	270	1,180	710	1,060	480	720	340	240
Worked while enrolled											
Did not work	770	100	270	190	2,120	540	610	360	320	230	140
Worked part time	560	100	230	170	1,200	580	880	380	420	340	140
Worked full time	970	120	240	230	1,340	520	910	350	460	230	120
Military status											
Veterans	†	380	840	810	4,010	1,880	4,370	2,040	950	600	340
Military service members											
Active duty	†	1,020	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	890	790
Reserves	†	1,980	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	1,150	1,090
Nonmilitary students	410	80	200	110	1,520	370	500	270	230	110	90
Highest education attained by either parent											
High school diploma or less	580	100	260	210	930	590	1,090	280	310	180	120
Some postsecondary education	610	130	270	200	1,740	680	1,080	460	470	220	160
Bachelor's degree or higher	920	120	240	160	3,530	480	640	470	460	410	140
Total aid status											
No aid	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Received aid	400	90	190	110	1,560	360	510	300	250	150	90
Grant status											
No grant	1,130	220	340	220	2,390	610	1,420	770	550	290	150
Received grant	420	90	200	130	1,650	380	510	290	290	190	100
Loan status											
No loan	420	70	200	220	1,820	840	1,000	670	510	680	100
Received loan	460	120	240	120	1,810	390	580	280	250	100	90

† Not applicable.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011–12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12).