

# How to Determine Your Award Tier

**1**

How many people are in your household?

**2**

Find your total household income from 2024. To calculate your income, visit the [Interactive Income Calculator](#)

**3**

Find the column that matches the number of people in your household and your income. That's your award tier!

Number in Household	Award Tier 1 Maximum Income to receive up to \$7,686 to assist with required tuition and fees <small>*Up to \$3,843 per semester</small>	Award Tier 2 Maximum Income to receive up to \$6,918 to assist with required tuition and fees <small>*Up to \$3,459 per semester</small>	Award Tier 3 Maximum Income to receive up to \$4,612 to assist with required tuition and fees <small>*Up to \$2,306 per semester</small>	Award Tier 4 Income Not Reported or Income Above Tier 3 Maximum to receive up to \$3,458 to assist with required tuition and fees <small>*Up to \$1,729 per semester</small>
2	\$39,128	\$78,256	\$176,076	No Income Limit
3	\$49,303	\$98,606	\$221,864	
4	\$59,478	\$118,956	\$267,651	
5	\$69,653	\$139,306	\$313,439	
6	\$79,828	\$159,656	\$359,226	
7	\$90,003	\$180,006	\$405,014	
8	\$100,178	\$200,356	\$450,801	
9	\$110,353	\$220,706	\$496,589	
10	\$120,528	\$241,056	\$542,376	
11	\$130,703	\$261,406	\$588,164	
12	\$140,878	\$281,756	\$633,951	

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## What if my income doesn't match the numbers on the chart exactly?

Your income can be *up to*, but *not more* than the maximum amount listed in an Award Tier. If your income exceeds the amount listed, go to the next column to find your Award Tier.

**Example:**

People in household = 4  
 Household Income 2024 = \$75,000  
 Award Tier = **Award Tier 2** ← Income exceeds the maximum required for a four-person household in Tier 1