

Need more information or have a question?

Our staff is available to you in a variety of ways. You may contact us by e-mail, office visit, or phone call. However you choose, a financial aid professional will respond to any questions as soon as possible. We look forward to helping you achieve your educational and career goals.

E-Mail Us

e-mail at: sfa@ihl.state.ms.us

Mailing Address

Mississippi Student Financial Aid
3825 Ridgewood Road
Jackson, MS 39211-6453

Call Us

Assistance is available during office hours at 1-800-327-2980 (toll-free in Mississippi) or at (601) 432-6997

Visit Us

We are located on the 2nd floor of the Paul B. Johnson Tower Building in the Education and Research Complex (Old R & D Center). Our office hours are:
Monday - Friday
8 a.m. til 12 noon and 1 p.m. til 5 p.m.

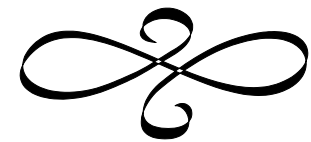
To Make Application or Learn More

www.ihl.state.ms.us/financialaid/default.asp

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Summer Developmental Program Grant

**State-Funded Financial
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Funds are now available for high school graduates attending the Mississippi Summer Developmental Program.

What are the eligibility requirements?

Applicant must:

Be a Mississippi resident;

Be accepted as a first time attendee of the Summer Developmental Program at an eligible institution;

Not be in default on a federal or state educational loan or owe a repayment on a federal or state grant;

Meet general eligibility admission requirements into the Mississippi Summer Developmental Program and be eligible to receive student financial aid;

Complete the current year Free Application for Federal Student Aid; and

Demonstrate financial need after all other grant/gift aid is awarded.

What documents will I be required to provide?

In order to document your Mississippi residency, we require at a minimum one (1) of the following documents: a copy of your parent's current year State of Mississippi tax return; a photocopy of your parent's valid Mississippi driver license.

Because you must demonstrate financial need, the electronic results from having completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid must be received by our office prior to the deadline date for enrollment in the Mississippi Summer Developmental Program.

A copy of the acceptance letter for the Summer Developmental Program must be provided prior to an

award.

While you will not be required to provide a paper application you must complete the online application which may be found at www.ihl.state.ms.us/financialaid/default.asp by the published deadline date.

Other documents not listed here may be required to resolve conflicting information.

How will I be notified if I am awarded?

Once we receive all the documents necessary to determine eligibility we will notify you of a grant offer by an Award Letter. We will also be in contact with your school regarding your award.

What is the award amount of my grant?

Each award will be dependent upon your demonstrated financial need (as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid) minus all other gift and grant aid. No grant will exceed financial need or the cost of attendance. This is a non-renewal scholarship.

When should I apply and what is the deadline?

You may apply online at www.ihl.state.ms.us/financialaid/default.asp beginning January 1 each year. The deadline for applying is the established deadline date for enrollment in the Summer Developmental Program.