



EDUCATION BENEFITS: Line of Duty Deaths and Disabilities

	Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)	Public Safety Officers' Educational Assistance Benefits Program (PSOEB)	Children of Fallen Heroes Scholarship Act	Deceased or Disabled Public Safety Officer Grant	Public Safety Memorial Fund (PSMF)
Sponsoring Agency:	U.S. Department of Education: Office of Federal Student Aid	U.S. Department of Justice: Bureau of Justice Assistance	U.S. Department of Education: Office of Federal Student Aid	Oregon Higher Education Coordinating Commission: Office of Student Access and Completion	Public Safety Memorial Fund Board (Oregon Department of Public Safety Standards and Training)
Eligible Beneficiaries	All US citizens or eligible non-citizens.	Spouse and children of a deceased public safety officer.	Children of public safety officers determined to be PSOB-eligible by the USDOJ.	Dependents of public safety officers who suffered a qualifying death or disability.	Public safety officer who suffered a qualifying disability; Spouse, child, dependent or designee of public safety officer who suffered a qualifying death or disability.
Beneficiary Limitations				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be under 25 years of age • Must not have achieved a baccalaureate or higher degree from any post-secondary institution • Must be a resident of Oregon for at least 12 month prior to applying • Must be a citizen of the US, or be in the US for other than a temporary purpose and intend to become a permanent resident • Be enrolled or planning to enroll as full-time students at an Oregon-based post-secondary institution 	
Benefit Covers:	Tuition, Room and Board, Books and Supplies	All Expenses	All Expenses	Tuition and Fees Only	Tuition Only
Educational Programs Covered:	Career, technical, trade or vocational courses, Associate, Undergraduate, Graduate, Doctoral Degree	Any program that furthers an educational, professional, or vocational objective.	Career, technical, trade or vocational courses, Associate, Undergraduate, Graduate, Doctoral Degree	Four years of undergraduate study.	Graduate (may cover Undergraduate if PSOEB benefit unavailable.)
Prerequisites to Application:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school diploma or GED; • Application/Admission into a college, university or vocational program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determined to be eligible beneficiary of Public Safety Officer's Benefit (PSOB). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determined to be eligible beneficiary of Public Safety Officer's Benefit (PSOB). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has applied for FAFSA. (Applicants encouraged to apply at the same time as they file their FAFSA.) • Application and Certification of Eligibility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determined to be an eligible beneficiary of PSMF. • Application for other public benefits, to include FAFSA • PSOEB must be exhausted
Benefit Amount:	Determined by cost of attendance and expected family contribution.	\$46,080 (paid in monthly increments of \$1,024 for 45 months)	Determined by cost of attendance (Awarded as a maximum Pell Grant without regard to student's expected family contribution)	Amount equal to tuition and fees charged by institution minus any amount received by state and federal aid grants. (Amount not to exceed \$13,000 per academic year.)	Cannot exceed the highest tuition charged by an Oregon university for a graduate program



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How the Benefit is Dispersed:	Through the financial aid office of the college, university or vocational program.	To the beneficiary	Through the financial aid office of the college, university or vocational program.	Dispersed directly to the student's college each term or semester,	To the beneficiary
Website:	https://fafsa.ed.gov/	https://www.psob.gov/file_education_claim.html	https://fafsa.ed.gov/ or college/university website	http://www.oregonstudentaid.gov/ddp-so-grant.aspx	http://www.oregon.gov/DPSST/MF/pages/index.aspx
	(800) 4FED-AID or The financial aid office of the college, university or vocational program being attended or applied for.	(888) 744-6513 AskPSOB@usdoj.gov	The financial aid office of the college, university or vocational program being attended or applied for.	Oregon Office of Student Access & Completion; Public Programs 1500 Valley River Drive, Ste 100 Eugene , OR , 97401 (541) 687-7400 or (800) 452-8807	DPSST 4190 Aumsville Hwy SE Salem, OR 97317 (503) 378-2100 oregon.dpsst@state.or.us