

SECTION 54.0065 OF THE TEXAS EDUCATION CODE

Eligible Students:

To be eligible for rebates under this program, students must meet ALL of the following conditions:

1. they must have enrolled for the first time in an institution of higher education in the fall 1997 semester or later, and
2. they must have received a baccalaureate degree from a Texas public university, and
3. they must have been a resident of Texas, must have attempted all coursework at a Texas public institution of higher education, and entitled to pay resident tuition at all times while pursuing the degree, and
4. they must have attempted no more than three hours in excess of the minimum number of semester credit hours required to complete the degree under the catalog under which they graduated. Hours attempted include transfer credits, course credit earned exclusively by examination, courses that are dropped after the official census date, for-credit developmental courses, optional internship and cooperative education courses, and repeated courses. Courses dropped for reasons that are determined by the institution to be totally beyond the control of the student shall not be counted, and
5. the first nine hours of credit earned by examination (credit earned on the basis of AP courses, CLEP or credit granted for high SAT or ACT scores) does not count as hours attempted.

Responsibilities of Students:

Students desiring to qualify for tuition rebates are solely responsible for enrolling only in courses that will qualify them for the rebate.

A student who has transferred from another institution of higher education is responsible for providing to the institution awarding the degree official transcripts from all institutions attended by the student.