

## *2024-25 DRAFT SAI Guide Supplement: Eligibility for Max/Min Pell Grant Resource*

The following tables can be used to determine if an applicant may be eligible for a maximum or minimum Pell Grant for the 2024-2025 award year. Eligibility is based on the student's dependency status, family size, student and/or parent adjusted gross income (AGI), and state of legal residence.

### **Dependent Student Max/Min Pell Grant Eligibility Limits**

Complete these steps to quickly determine if an applicant falls within Pell Grant eligibility limits:

1. Determine the dependent student's parent's state of legal residence;
2. Determine if the student's parent is a single parent; and
3. Reference the appropriate table to locate the row that corresponds to the student's family size.

If the parent's 2022 AGI > \$0 AND the parent's 2022 AGI ≤ Max Pell Parent AGI Limit for their family size, then the student is eligible for a Max Pell.

If the student is not eligible for Max Pell AND the parent's 2022 AGI ≤ Min Pell Parent AGI Limit for their family size, then the student is eligible for a Min Pell.

A student may qualify for a different Pell Grant amount through the SAI calculation. A student's Pell Grant may also be limited by enrollment status, cost of attendance, and lifetime Pell limits.

The tables immediately following are for dependent students whose parent's state of legal residence is one of the 48 contiguous states or the District of Columbia. Tables for students from Alaska and Hawaii are included at the end of this appendix.

*Dependent Student Look-Up Tables: 48 Contiguous States and District of Columbia*

<b>Student's Parent is a Single Parent</b>			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (325% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$18,310	\$41,198	\$59,508
3	\$23,030	\$51,818	\$74,848
4	\$27,750	\$62,438	\$90,188
5	\$32,470	\$73,058	\$105,528
6	\$37,190	\$83,678	\$120,868
7	\$41,910	\$94,298	\$136,208
8	\$46,630	\$104,918	\$151,548
9+	Add \$4,720 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 325% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

<b>Student's Parent is not a Single Parent</b>			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$18,310	\$32,043	\$50,353
3	\$23,030	\$40,303	\$63,333
4	\$27,750	\$48,563	\$76,313
5	\$32,470	\$56,823	\$89,293
6	\$37,190	\$65,083	\$102,273
7	\$41,910	\$73,343	\$115,253
8	\$46,630	\$81,603	\$128,233
9+	Add \$4,720 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 275% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

## **Independent Student Max/Min Pell Grant Eligibility Limits**

Complete these steps to quickly determine if an applicant's AGI falls within Pell Grant eligibility limits:

1. Determine the student's state of legal residence;
2. Determine if the student is a single parent; and
3. Reference the appropriate table to locate the row that corresponds to the student's family size.

If the student's 2022 AGI > \$0 AND the student's 2022 AGI <= Max Pell Student AGI Limit for their family size, then the student is eligible for a Max Pell.

If the student is not eligible for Max Pell AND the student's 2022 AGI <= Min Pell Student AGI Limit for their family size, then the student is eligible for a Min Pell.

A student may qualify for a different Pell Grant amount through the SAI calculation. A student's Pell Grant may also be limited by enrollment status, cost of attendance, and lifetime Pell limits.

The tables immediately following are for independent students whose state of legal residence is one of the 48 contiguous states or the District of Columbia. Tables for students from Alaska and Hawaii are included at the end of this appendix.

Independent Student Tables: 48 Contiguous States and District of Columbia

Student is a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (400% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$18,310	\$41,198	\$73,240
3	\$23,030	\$51,818	\$92,120
4	\$27,750	\$62,438	\$111,000
5	\$32,470	\$73,058	\$129,880
6	\$37,190	\$83,678	\$148,760
7	\$41,910	\$94,298	\$167,640
8	\$46,630	\$104,918	\$186,520
9+	Add \$4,720 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 400% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is a parent but <b>not</b> a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (350% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$18,310	\$32,043	\$64,085
3	\$23,030	\$40,303	\$80,605
4	\$27,750	\$48,563	\$97,125
5	\$32,470	\$56,823	\$113,645
6	\$37,190	\$65,083	\$130,165
7	\$41,910	\$73,343	\$146,685
8	\$46,630	\$81,603	\$163,205
9+	Add \$4,720 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 350% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is <b>not</b> a Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
1	\$13,590	\$23,783	\$37,373
2	\$18,310	\$32,043	\$50,353
3	\$23,030	\$40,303	\$63,333
4	\$27,750	\$48,563	\$76,313
5	\$32,470	\$56,823	\$89,293
6	\$37,190	\$65,083	\$102,273
7	\$41,910	\$73,343	\$115,253
8	\$46,630	\$81,603	\$128,233
9+	Add \$4,720 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 275% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

## Other Look-Up Tables: Dependent Students

Use the tables below for dependent students whose parent's state of legal residence is Alaska or Hawaii.

### Dependent Student Tables: Alaska

Student's Parent is a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (325% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$22,890	\$51,503	\$74,393
3	\$28,790	\$64,778	\$93,568
4	\$34,690	\$78,053	\$112,743
5	\$40,590	\$91,328	\$131,918
6	\$46,490	\$104,603	\$151,093
7	\$52,390	\$117,878	\$170,268
8	\$58,290	\$131,153	\$189,443
9+	Add \$5,900 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 325% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

Student's Parent is not a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$22,890	\$40,058	\$62,948
3	\$28,790	\$50,383	\$79,173
4	\$34,690	\$60,708	\$95,398
5	\$40,590	\$71,033	\$111,623
6	\$46,490	\$81,358	\$127,848
7	\$52,390	\$91,683	\$144,073
8	\$58,290	\$102,008	\$160,298
9+	Add \$5,900 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 275% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

Dependent Student Tables: Hawaii

Student's Parent is a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (325% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$21,060	\$47,385	\$68,445
3	\$26,490	\$59,603	\$86,093
4	\$31,920	\$71,820	\$103,740
5	\$37,350	\$84,038	\$121,388
6	\$42,780	\$96,255	\$139,035
7	\$48,210	\$108,473	\$156,683
8	\$53,640	\$120,690	\$174,330
9+	Add \$5,430 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 325% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

Student's Parent is not a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Parent AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Parent AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$21,060	\$36,855	\$57,915
3	\$26,490	\$46,358	\$72,848
4	\$31,920	\$55,860	\$87,780
5	\$37,350	\$65,363	\$102,713
6	\$42,780	\$74,865	\$117,645
7	\$48,210	\$84,368	\$132,578
8	\$53,640	\$93,870	\$147,510
9+	Add \$5,430 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 275% (Min Pell) to determine the Parent AGI Limit.		

## Other Look-Up Tables: Independent Students

Use the tables below for independent students whose state of legal residence is Alaska or Hawaii.

### Independent Student Tables: Alaska

Student is a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (400% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$22,890	\$51,503	\$91,560
3	\$28,790	\$64,778	\$115,160
4	\$34,690	\$78,053	\$138,760
5	\$40,590	\$91,328	\$162,360
6	\$46,490	\$104,603	\$185,960
7	\$52,390	\$117,878	\$209,560
8	\$58,290	\$131,153	\$233,160
9+	Add \$5,900 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 400% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is a parent but not a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (350% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$22,890	\$40,058	\$80,115
3	\$28,790	\$50,383	\$100,765
4	\$34,690	\$60,708	\$121,415
5	\$40,590	\$71,033	\$142,065
6	\$46,490	\$81,358	\$162,715
7	\$52,390	\$91,683	\$183,365
8	\$58,290	\$102,008	\$204,015
9+	Add \$5,900 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 350% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is not a Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
1	\$16,990	\$29,733	\$46,723
2	\$22,890	\$40,058	\$62,948
3	\$28,790	\$50,383	\$79,173
4	\$34,690	\$60,708	\$95,398
5	\$40,590	\$71,033	\$111,623
6	\$46,490	\$81,358	\$127,848
7	\$52,390	\$91,683	\$144,073
8	\$58,290	\$102,008	\$160,298
9+	Add \$5,900 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 275% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Independent Student Tables: Hawaii

Student is a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (225% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (400% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$21,060	\$47,385	\$84,240
3	\$26,490	\$59,603	\$105,960
4	\$31,920	\$71,820	\$127,680
5	\$37,350	\$84,038	\$149,400
6	\$42,780	\$96,255	\$171,120
7	\$48,210	\$108,473	\$192,840
8	\$53,640	\$120,690	\$214,560
9+	Add \$5,430 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 225% (Max Pell) or 400% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is a parent but not a Single Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (350% of Poverty Guideline)
2	\$21,060	\$36,855	\$73,710
3	\$26,490	\$46,358	\$92,715
4	\$31,920	\$55,860	\$111,720
5	\$37,350	\$65,363	\$130,725
6	\$42,780	\$74,865	\$149,730
7	\$48,210	\$84,368	\$168,735
8	\$53,640	\$93,870	\$187,740
9+	Add \$5,430 to the poverty guideline for each additional person. Then multiply the AGI by 175% (Max Pell) or 350% (Min Pell) to determine the Student AGI Limit.		

Student is not a Parent			
Family Size	2022 Poverty Guideline	Max Pell Student AGI Limit (175% of Poverty Guideline)	Min Pell Student AGI Limit (275% of Poverty Guideline)
1	\$15,630	\$27,353	\$42,983
2	\$21,060	\$36,855	\$57,915
3	\$26,490	\$46,358	\$72,848
4	\$31,920	\$55,860	\$87,780
5	\$37,350	\$65,363	\$102,713
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