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## Effective Access to Student Education Program

The William L. Boyd, IV, Effective Access to Student Education Program provides tuition assistance to Florida undergraduate students attending an eligible private, non-profit Florida college or university. Each participating institution determines application procedures, deadlines and student eligibility. **Please read instructions in their entirety.** PLEASE PRINT.

### A. Student Information

Student's Last Name	First Name	M.I.	FMU ID Number
Student's Street Address (include apt. #)			Student's Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Email Address
Student's Phone Number			Student's Alternate Phone

What is the beginning date of the student's permanent residency in Florida \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Day/Year

- Are you seeking to earn your first Bachelor's Degree?  Yes  No  
Are you a U.S. Citizen?  Yes  No  
Are you a male over 18 years of age?  Yes  No  
If you are a male, have you registered with Selective Service?  Yes  No

**Answer these questions if you are a dependent student (you are dependent if you are under the age of 24, are not married, do not have children, are not a ward of the court, and are not a veteran):**

Student's Date of High School Graduation \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Year Name of High School/City/State \_\_\_\_\_  
Is your mother or father a legal Florida resident?  Yes  No  
Beginning Date of parent(s)' permanent residency in Florida \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Year

### B. Student Certification

**THE STUDENT MUST PROVIDE TWO (2) FORMS OF DOCUMENTS SUPPORTING THE PROOF OF FLORIDA RESIDENCY.**

If you are a dependent student, **your PARENT** must provide the two (2) documents supporting Florida residency. All documents must be dated, issued, or filed at least 12 months prior to the first day of the student's first semester at Florida Memorial University and must not be expired. The primary forms of documentation are listed on the back of this application.

I have read and understand the conditions of this application. The information on the application is true, complete, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am eligible for the Effective Access to Student Education Program as defined under the Florida Statutes (Section 10009.89.) and the State Board Rule 6A-20.007. I also understand that proper documentation must be provided in order to meet eligibility requirements.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## List of acceptable forms of documentation which can be used:

1 <sup>st</sup> Tier (at least one of the documents must be from this list)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tier (may be used in conjunction with one document from 1 <sup>st</sup> Tier)
Florida driver's license or State of Florida Identification card	Declaration of domicile in Florida
Florida voter's registration card	Florida professional or occupational license
Florida vehicle registration	Florida incorporation
Proof of a permanent home in Florida which is occupied as a primary residence by the claimant	Proof of membership in a Florida-based charitable or professional organization
Proof of homestead exemption in Florida	Documents evidencing family ties in Florida
Transcript from a Florida high school for multiple years if the Florida high school diploma or GED was earned within the last 12 months	Utility bills and proof of 12 consecutive months of payments
Proof of permanent full-time employment in Florida for at least 30 hours per week for a 12 month period	Official state, federal, or court document evidencing legal ties to Florida

**William L. Boyd, IV,**  
Effective Access to Student Education Program Section 1009.89, Florida Statutes State Board Rule 6A-20.007

### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

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### INITIAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS TO RECEIVE FUNDING:

The student will: • Be a Florida resident and a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen. A student's residency and citizenship status are determined by the postsecondary institution. Questions regarding such status should be directed to the financial aid office or admissions office of the institution the student plans to attend. • Not owe a repayment or be in default under any state or federal grant, loan or scholarship program unless satisfactory arrangements to repay have been made. • Not have previously received a baccalaureate degree. • Enroll for a minimum of 12 credit hours per term, or the equivalent, at an eligible Florida college or university. • Be an undergraduate student who is in the process of attaining a first bachelor's or baccalaureate degree. • Meet Florida's general eligibility requirements for receipt of state aid. • Not be enrolled in a program of study leading to a degree in theology or divinity.

### STUDENT AWARD RENEWAL

• A renewal applicant must have earned a minimum institutional cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, and earned the equivalent of 12 credit hours for each term an award was received during the academic year. • Eligibility is determined at the end of the second semester or third quarter of each academic year. Credit hours earned during the previous summer may be counted toward the total number of credit hours required. • A student should consult the postsecondary institution for additional renewal requirements which are established by the institution.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### FAILURE TO MEET THE MINIMUM RENEWAL GPA

• If a student does not meet the minimum institutional cumulative GPA, a probationary award may be granted for two semesters or three quarters. • To be eligible for renewal the following year after probation, the student must have earned the required credits and institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

### FAILURE TO MEET THE MINIMUM RENEWAL CREDIT HOURS

A student who does not meet the required minimum 12 hours per semester (or equivalent) may not receive funding the following academic year. • To be eligible for funding in a subsequent year, the student must apply for restoration and meet the general eligibility requirements for restoration and have earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

### STUDENT AWARD RESTORATION

A student may be eligible for restoration if the student earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale at the end of the second semester or third quarter of the academic year preceding the year the award is sought. • The student may apply for restoration with the postsecondary institution after two semesters or three quarters.

### STUDENT AWARD REINSTATEMENT

A student who met the requirements for a renewal award, but did not receive an award during a full year of eligibility and wishes to reestablish use of the grant, may apply for reinstatement with the postsecondary institution in a subsequent year provided the student has earned an institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale as of the end of the second semester or third quarter of the academic year preceding the year the award is sought.

### TERMS OF ELIGIBILITY

A student is eligible to receive an award for a maximum of 9 semesters or 14 quarters. • Undergraduate students participating in college-preparatory instruction, students requiring additional time to complete the college-level communication and computation skills testing programs (CLAST), or students enrolled in a 5-year undergraduate program are eligible to receive financial aid for a maximum of 10 semesters or 15 quarters. Five-year eligibility does not extend to a program of study which leads to the simultaneous award of a graduate and undergraduate degree. • Unused terms may not be used for further course funding after a student earns a baccalaureate degree.

Please complete, sign, and return to: **Florida Memorial University ■ Office of Financial Aid ■ 15800 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Avenue ■ Miami Gardens, FL 33054**  
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