

- TO: Directors of Financial Aid, Public and Private/Independent Institutions of Higher Education
- FROM: DeChà Reid Senior Director, Financial Aid Services
- DATE: June 9, 2022
- RE: 2022-23 (FY 2023) Program Guidelines College Access Loan (CAL), Texas Armed Services Scholarship Program (TASSP), Educational Aide Exemption (EAE), Texas College Work-Study (TCWS), Work-Study Student Mentorship Program (WSMP) and Bilingual Education Program

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board announces the annual publication of the 2022-23 (FY 2023) program guidelines. This release includes the CAL, TASSP, EAE, TCWS, WSMP and Bilingual Education Program. All program guidelines are posted on the Student Financial Aid Programs (SFAP) webpage under <u>Program</u> <u>Resources</u>.

Each year, updates to the guidelines are made to align with any changes to the Texas Education Code (TEC) and the Texas Administrative Code (TAC) along with improving guidance to assist institutions with the administration of state financial aid programs. **Highlighted below are some of the substantive changes:**

- Updated copies of the statute (TEC) and program rules (TAC) that were used when creating the guidelines for reference since changes can periodically be made throughout the year.
- Updated program award amounts, and dates.
- Updated Selective Service Section to match the recent changes under Texas Administrative Code, Title 19, Section 22.3.
- Added an alert box to make institutions aware of the Child Support Arrearages section in the Texas Family Code.

The program guidelines will be reviewed on **June 28, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.** during the monthly Financial Aid Services webcast. To join the webcast, visit <u>Stay Connected</u> on the SFAP webpage for additional information.

For questions, contact Financial Aid Services at 844-792-2640 or through <u>CONTACT</u> <u>US</u> (select "Financial Aid Question" under Contact Reason).

Enclosed:

2022-23 CAL Grant Program Guidelines

2022-23 TASSP Program Guidelines

2022-23 EAE Program Guidelines

2022-23 Bilingual Education Program Guidelines

2022-23 TCWS Program Guidelines

2022-23 WSMP Guidelines