

Youth Eligibility Criteria

Income-Tested Fund	Age & Other	Work Status	Selective Service	Income & Other
WIOA In-School Youth	<p>A. 14-21 years old at eligibility determination, <u>and</u></p> <p>B. Attending or enrolled in secondary or for-credit postsecondary school at eligibility determination, <u>and</u></p> <p>C. Low-Income, <u>and</u></p> <p>D. At least one of the following apply</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Deficient in Basic Literacy Skills; <u>or</u> 2. Homeless, Runaway; <u>or</u> 3. In foster care or aged out of foster care; <u>or</u> 4. Pregnant/Parenting; <u>or</u> 5. Offender; <u>or</u> 6. Has a disability; <u>or</u> 7. An English language learner who is deficient in Basic Literacy Skills. 	Authorized to work in U.S.	If male, registered as required	<p>Family income at or below 100% of poverty line or 70% lower living standard.</p> <p>Income test not required if customer meets one of the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Customer receives or is a member of a family that receives (currently or in the past six months) one of the following: TANF, SNAP, SSI, or other public assistance; <u>or</u> 2. Is a Foster Child; <u>or</u> 3. Is Homeless; <u>or</u> 4. Receives or is eligible to receive free or reduced-price lunch; <u>or</u> 5. Lives in a high poverty census tract. <p>Note: Customer with a disability must be determined a family of one for income determination purpose if the customer's family does not meet the income test and 1 through 5 above do not apply.</p>
WIOA Out-of-School Youth	<p>A. 16-24 years old at eligibility determination, <u>and</u></p> <p>B. Not attending or enrolled in secondary or for-credit postsecondary school at eligibility determination <u>and</u></p> <p>C. At least one of the following apply:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. School Dropout; <u>or</u> 2. Youth who (a) received HS Diploma/equivalent and (b) is low-income and (c) is Deficient in Basic Literacy Skills or is an English language learner; <u>or</u> 3. Required to attend school but has not attended for at least the most recent complete school year's calendar quarter'; <u>or</u> 4. Homeless or Runaway; <u>or</u> 5. In foster care or aged out of foster care; <u>or</u> 6. Pregnant/Parenting; <u>or</u> 7. Subject to the juvenile or adult justice system; <u>or</u> 8. Has a disability; <u>or</u> 9. Requires additional assistance to complete an educational program, or to secure and hold employment (must also meet low income requirements) 	Authorized to work in U.S.	If male, registered as required	<p>OSY customers can attend and/or be enrolled in a non-credit postsecondary school at eligibility determination.</p> <p>OSY customers 21-24 years old are not subject to in-school educational requirements.</p> <p>Low income required only if using C. 2. or C. 9. from "Age & Other" column</p> <p>A. Family income at or below 100% of poverty line or 70% lower living standard <u>or</u></p> <p>B. Meets one of the following criteria</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Customer receives or is a member of a family that receives (currently or in the past six months) one of the following: TANF, SNAP, SSI, or other public assistance; <u>or</u> 2. Foster Child; <u>or</u> 3. Homeless; <u>or</u> 4. Receives or is eligible to receive free or reduced-price lunch; <u>or</u> 5. Lives in a high poverty census tract. <p>Note: Customer with a disability must be considered family of one for income determination purposes if family income exceeds youth income criteria and 1-5 above do not apply.</p>

Enrollment means all of the following occurred: (a) eligibility determination, (b) an objective assessment, (c) an individual service strategy (employment plan), and (d) begins participating in any of the 14 WIOA youth elements.

Financial Aid Income Guidelines

Family Size – Number of Persons in the Family	Annualized Income
One	\$12,880
Two	\$17,420
Three	\$22,060
Four	\$27,234
Five	\$32,143
Six	\$37,593
Seven	\$43,043
Eight	\$48,493
For each additional family member add this amount	<u>\$5,450</u>