**Email to all Spring students and Students who have either enrolled or applied for Summer and/or fall**

**Subject: SFCC & SCC Financial Aid Processing Update**

We are getting ready to welcome students for summer quarter and we want to share some important financial aid details with you.

You’ve probably already noticed information about financial aid awards is being sent later this year because of delays as the federal government changed the FAFSA (*Free Application for Federal Student Aid*) form.

These federal changes made the form easier to fill out and the formulas make more students eligible for Pell Grants. But getting the changes in place and working correctly has caused nationwide delays in processing everyone’s FAFSAs, sending out award notices and even making the money available.

**We will begin processing FAFSAs in mid-June.** *If any information is needed before we can determine your eligibility, we will contact you at the email address you have listed in ctcLink to let you know.*

**Please keep checking your email during this important time.**

Applications will be reviewed in the order received, and you will receive an offer of financial aid by email once your eligibility is determined. In the meantime, you can use two calculators to estimate your potential eligibility for [Federal Pell Grant](https://studentaid.gov/aid-estimator/) and [WA College Grant](https://portal.wsac.wa.gov/a/aid-calculator/).
**Changes in Financial Aid Office Hours:**

To process financial aid for our students as quickly as possible, the Financial Aid offices at SCC and SFCC will have **limited-service hours** **June 10 – June 13: 10:00am – 2:00pm.** The Financial Aid offices will be **closed Friday, June 14th - Friday, June 21st.** We will resume normal hours on Monday, June 24th.

**During the closure, students can find answers to their questions on our websites:**

* [**SFCC Students Financial Aid Information**](https://sfcc.spokane.edu/How-to-Pay-for-College)
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**To help ensure timely processing for your financial aid applications for Summer Quarter, please make sure to enroll in your summer classes as soon as possible!**

Thank you for your understanding as we adjust and work diligently to provide timely financial aid.