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Rhode Island Higher Education
Assistance Authority

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Financial Aid Handbook



**Assisting All Students...
...Investing in Our Future**

About this Booklet

The information provided in this booklet describes the Authority's financial aid programs as well as additional information of importance to students. It is hoped that, in using the booklet, students and their families will become familiar with the availability of financial aid and the financial aid process.

If you have questions that are not answered in this booklet, contact information is located after each program description and on the inside back cover.

This booklet is available for download in Adobe Acrobat PDF format on the RIHEEA website at www.riheea.org.

Accessibility of Information Contained in this Booklet

Information in this booklet can be made available in alternate format to meet an individual's special need within two weeks upon request to RIHEEA.

Una versión de este folleto en español se puede obtener llamando al (401) 736-1170.

Asistencia bilingue con la interpretación de este libreto, y ayuda con las aplicaciones y el proceso de admision y ayuda financiera esta disponible en Español en:

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About RIHEAA

Established in 1977 under the General Laws of Rhode Island, the Rhode Island Higher Education Assistance Authority was created to provide financial assistance to students and their families which assists them in realizing their postsecondary educational goals.

RIHEAA administers the Rhode Island State Scholarship and Grant Program, and the CollegeBoundfund's Tuition Savings Program, Academic Promise Scholarship Program, and Five and Ten Matching Grant Program. The Authority is also the guarantor of the Federal Stafford and PLUS loan programs.

Our mission is to enhance educational access and choice for the residents of Rhode Island by promoting equality of opportunity for postsecondary education to students who would otherwise be restricted financially from participating in the educational program best suited to them.

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