

Federal and State Degree Audit Requirements

According to regulations, students are not eligible to receive Title IV assistance (Federal Student Aid) or State aid for course work that will not count towards the completion of that student's degree program requirements. In compliance with the regulations, ArtCenter is only able to disburse federal and state financial aid funds toward classes that are required on a student's degree audit.

This means that classes taken that go beyond the requirements for degree completion are not eligible for any federal or state financial aid. Students should expect their federal and/or state financial aid to be prorated or removed completely depending upon the courses they choose to enroll in each term.

The system will verify that the first 12 units count towards the degree requirements. Only courses that satisfy a degree requirement will result in eligible payment. Students who have been approved to substitute a course must submit the Waive-Sub Forms to Enrollment Services preferably during Week 11, prior to the start of the term in order to receive eligible funding on schedule.

Students who are approved for a Lite term, must register only for courses that satisfy degree requirements.