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## COLLEGE MONEY PLANNING PRESENTATION

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Parents
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If you are interested in learning more about Campus Consultants' financial aid planning services for college, please visit www.campusconsultants.com and click on the "Services" tab.

As a special offer to Brooklyn Tech families, a reduced fee of \$1,450 for our Financial Aid Planning Service (regularly priced at \$1,950) is offered to those who enroll with our service on or before November23, 2016. (Enrollment materials to be postmarked on or before that date.)

## TYPES OF AID

## A. NEED-BASED GRANTS

| 1. | PELL GRANT (Federal) | Up to $\$ 5,815$ / year for AY: 2016-2017 | Based on federal formula (FM) |
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| 2. | SEOG <br> (Federal/Campus Based) | Up to \$4,000 per year | Availability of funds |
| 3. | TAP Grant (NY State residents in NY schools) | \$500-\$5165 | Based primarily on NYS taxable income. |
| 4. | Grant from the College | Varies | Availability of funds. May be based on other criteria in addition to need |

Up to \$5,815 / year Based on
for AY: 2016-2017

Up to $\$ 4,000$ per year
\$500-\$5165

Varies

Varies. Job must pay at least minimum wage.

## ELIGIBILITY

federal formula (FM)
Availability of funds

Based primarily on NYS taxable income.

Availability of funds. May be based on other criteria in addition to need
B. WORK-STUDY PROGRAM
(Federal/Campus Based)

Availability of Funds

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1. Perkins Loans
(Campus Based)
Made to Student
2. Stafford Loans

Made to Student

Aggregate limit of $\$ 20,000$
for undergraduates
(Program likely soon to be eliminated.)

Up to: \$5,500 1st year;
\$6,500 2nd year; \$7,500
per year after the 2 nd year

Availability of Funds
5\% Fixed interest rate Up to 10 years to repay after student leaves school.
3.76\% Fixed rate 2016-17AY UGs*

Up to 10 years to repay after the student leaves school

Virtually all students qualify for the Stafford Loan. For those undergraduate borrowers who demonstrate "need", interest on a "subsidized Stafford loan" will be fully paid by the government until the student leaves school, graduates, or drops below half-time status. For undergrads who do not show "need" or for any graduate students, interest will begin to accrue on an "unsubsidized Stafford loan" upon receipt of funds. If the maximum amount in a given year is borrowed, at least $\$ 2,000$ for that year must be in the form of an unsubsidized loan.

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3. PLUS Loans
Made to Parent(s)
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Up to: Cost of<br>Attendance minus<br>any Financial<br>Aid received

Not based on need
6.31\% Fixed rate 2016-2017 AY* Repayment normally begins 60 days after last disbursement of funds.**

## D. NON-NEED BASED AID

| 1. | Merit Scholarships <br> (from the College) | Various | Based on ability or <br> other criteria |
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| 2. | State Merit Awards | Various | Must attend school in state |

* For Stafford and PLUS loans that originate after June 30, 2014, the fixed interest rate will be set each year, pegged to the 10 -Year Treasury Note auction at the end of May prior to the beginning of the next school year. For Stafford loans taken out by graduate/professional school students, the interest rate is higher than for UGs.
** For the PLUS loan, one can request to delay repayment until the student graduates, leaves school, or drops below half-time status. However, interest will accrue and will be added to the principal outstanding.

