



New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority

HESAA is the State agency responsible for supporting New Jersey students and families with financial and informational resources for students to pursue education beyond high school.

FINANCIAL AID



HESAA administers the State grants and scholarships that help New Jersey students afford a postsecondary education, including the Tuition Aid Grant (TAG), Community College Opportunity Grant (CCOG), and Garden State Guarantee (GSG). New Jersey offers some of the most generous financial aid in the nation.

SAVING FOR COLLEGE



HESAA offers NJBEST 529 College Savings plans that help New Jersey families save for a child's future education expenses. New Jersey offers several incentives to encourage residents to save early and often with a 529 College Savings Plan, including a scholarship opportunity.

PAYING FOR COLLEGE



For educational expenses that are not covered by financial aid or savings, HESAA offers NJCLASS family loans with borrower-friendly terms to help students with a 'New Jersey Nexus' pay for college. HESAA also offers the ReFi+ program to help college graduates refinance their student loans.

SUPPORTING PROFESSIONALS AFTER GRADUATION



New Jersey professionals can receive student loan relief through one of several student loan redemption programs offered by HESAA in exchange for working in eligible high-need fields in key sectors throughout the state.

OUTREACH AND COMMUNICATIONS



HESAA spreads the word about these programs and guides families through the financial aid process with robust community outreach via workshops, webinars, and other forms of communication.

Visit www.hesaa.org to learn more about the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority and everything we do to support New Jersey students.



"Student is our middle name!"
Learn more today.