

MAP Paid Credit Hours

Case Studies: Tracking MAP Usage

Case #1

Situation

A student has used 74 MAP Paid Credit Hours and has enrolled for 10 credit hours in the fall term. The student is classified as a sophomore by the school and will remain at the sophomore level through the fall term. Is this student eligible to receive a MAP grant?

Guidance

Yes, **eligibility may be extended** for one additional term if the recipient has used fewer than the intermediate maximum of 75 MAP Paid Credit Hours but does not have enough eligibility remaining for the number of hours that s/he is enrolled in for the term (ISAC Rules, 2735.30). Therefore, this student may be packaged with a MAP grant for the upcoming term.

Case #2

Situation

A student has used 75 MAP Paid Credit Hours and has enrolled for 10 credit hours in the upcoming term. The student is classified as a sophomore by the school and will remain at the sophomore level through the next term. Is this student eligible to receive a MAP grant?

Guidance

A student **may not receive** additional MAP funds once they have reached the MAP Paid Credit Hours cap used for freshman and sophomore students. In this situation, the student has reached the intermediate maximum of 75 hours without advancing to the junior level. The student will not be eligible for a MAP grant again, until reaching junior status.

Case #3

Situation

A student has used 135 MAP Paid Credit Hours and has enrolled for 10 credit hours in the upcoming term. The student is currently classified as a senior by the school. Is this student eligible to receive a MAP grant?

Guidance

A student **may not receive** additional MAP funds once they have reached the maximum number of MAP Paid Credit Hours that can be received (135 hours). In this situation, the student has reached the cap and is not eligible for a MAP grant.

Case #4

Situation

A student has used 134 MAP Paid Credit Hours and has enrolled for 15 credit hours in the upcoming term. The student is classified as a junior by the school. Is this student eligible to receive a MAP grant?

Guidance

Yes, **eligibility may be extended** for one additional term if the recipient has used fewer than 135 MAP Paid Credit Hours but does not have enough eligibility remaining for the number of hours that s/he is enrolled in for the term (ISAC Rules, 2735.30). Therefore, this student may be packaged with a MAP grant for the upcoming term.