

## Passport to Careers Program Eligibility 2018-20

Eligibility Changes	Eligibility ending June 2018	Eligibility starting June 2018	Eligibility starting July 2019	Eligibility starting July 2020
<b>Education / Training</b>	Postsecondary enrollment at an eligible college	Attending an eligible college, or pre-apprenticeship or apprenticeship program		
<b>Program Name</b>	Passport to College	Passport to Careers - includes Passport to College Promise Scholarship and Passport to Apprenticeship Opportunities		
<b>Foster care</b>	Dependent of Washington state	In the care of state, tribal or federal refugee foster care systems		
<b>Unaccompanied Homeless</b>	Not Eligible		Verification of unaccompanied homeless event during prior academic year, before age 21	
<b>Time in care</b>	Spent one year in care after age 16 and in care at age 17.5	In foster care after age 15	In foster care after age 14	In foster care after age 13
<b>Residency</b>	In general, the student resided in WA for other than educational purposes for one year prior to attending college, graduated from a WA high school, or earned a GED in WA. Refer to RCW 28B.15.012.		Also includes homelessness or out-of-state foster care under the interstate compact as verified by WSAC.	

The 2018 Legislature expanded the Passport to Careers program to include services to federal and tribal foster youth and unaccompanied homeless youth. This expanded eligibility will be phased in between June 2018 and July 2020 (see changes highlighted in blue above). Students will be able to use their Passport to Careers support at eligible colleges and universities in Washington State, and in pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship programs.

