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Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education Alaska Performance Scholarship (APS) Proposed Regulation Changes

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20 AAC 16.210	Existing Credit Requirements	Added Credit Requirements
First year scholarship	Full-time Successfully complete a minimum of 24	Full-time Undergraduate Successfully complete a minimum of 24
recipient	semester credits or the equivalent during	semester credits or the equivalent during
recipient	the academic year	the academic year
	the academic year	the academic year
	Half-time	Half-time Undergraduate
	Successfully complete a minimum of 12	Successfully complete a minimum of 12
	semester credits or the equivalent during	semester credits or the equivalent during
	the academic year	the academic year
		Full-time Graduate or Credit-based Certificate Program
		Successfully complete a minimum of 18
		semester credits or the equivalent during
		the academic year
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		Half-time Graduate or Credit-based
		Certificate Program
		Successfully complete a minimum of 10
		semester credits or the equivalent during
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Second- or	Full-Time	Full-time Undergraduate
subsequent-year	Have successfully completed a minimum	Successfully completed a minimum of 24
scholarship recipient	of 24 semester credits or the equivalent in the first academic year and an additional	semester credits or the equivalent in the first year and an additional 30 semester
recipient	30 semester credits or the equivalent for	credits or the equivalent for each
	each subsequent academic year that	subsequent year that scholarship money
	scholarship money was received	was received
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	Half-Time	Half-time Undergraduate
	Have successfully completed a minimum	Successfully completed a minimum of 12
	of 12 semester credits or the equivalent in	semester credits or the equivalent in the
	the first academic year and 15 semester	first year and an additional 15 semester
	credits or the equivalent for each	credits or the equivalent for each
	subsequent academic year that scholarship money was received	subsequent year that scholarship money was received
	money was received	was icceived





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		Full-time Graduate or Credit-based Certificate Program Successfully completed a minimum of 18 semester credits or the equivalent in the first year and an additional 22 semester credits or the equivalent for each subsequent year that scholarship money was received
		Half-time Graduate or Credit-based Certificate Program Have successfully completed a minimum of 10 semester credits or the equivalent in the first academic year and 12 semester credits or the equivalent for each subsequent academic year that scholarship money was received
		Full-time Career and Technical Program (non-credit hour program) Have successfully completed the program with attendance of at least 30 clock hours per week for not less than 12 weeks
		Half-time Career and Technical Program (non-credit hour program) Have successfully completed the program with attendance of at least 15 clock hours per week for not less than 6 weeks
20 AAC 16.210	Meet continuing eligibility	Meet continuing eligibility
Second- or subsequent-year scholarship recipient	A student other than a career and technical school program student Maintenance of a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale in order to receive a second or subsequent disbursement of a scholarship award	A student other than a career and technical school program student Maintenance of a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale in order to receive a second or subsequent disbursement of a scholarship award
	Career technical school program student Meet the satisfactory progress requirements of the career and technical school program before receiving a second or subsequent disbursement of a scholarship award	Career technical school program student Meet the satisfactory progress requirements of the career and technical school program before receiving a second or subsequent disbursement of a scholarship award





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20 AAC 16.210	N/A	Increased Award (New)
Second- or subsequent-year scholarship recipient		Complete two consecutive semesters or three consecutive quarters of full-time enrollment and have a qualifying cumulative grade-point average or equivalent, as certified by the postsecondary institution, to be eligible for an increased award under AS 14.43.825(h); in this subsection, a student is considered full-time if the student is
		 An undergraduate student enrolled in a course of study that is not less than 15 credits per semester or the equivalent per quarter A graduate or credit-based certificate program student enrolled in a course of study that is not less than 11 credits per semester or the equivalent per quarter A career and technical school program student enrolled in a non-credit hour program that requires attendance of at least 30 clock hours per week for not less than 12 weeks.
		For purposes of receiving an increased award under AS 14.43.825(j), a career technical school program student must complete tow technical school programs and have earned a degree or certificate to be considered for a scholarship award level increase.