

## **2011-12 ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD (ING) GRANT PROGRAM NOTICE OF FULL YEAR ELIGIBILITY**

The Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) has determined that you are eligible for the 2011-12 Illinois National Guard (ING) Grant Program at the college listed above. The academic year for this program begins with the 2011 fall term and ends with the 2012 summer term. Any updates to your status (such as discharge) must be submitted to ISAC by the Department of Military Affairs Illinois (DMAIL), Education Incentives Branch.

Your college may require a copy of this letter. It is your responsibility to ensure that the financial aid office has received notification of your eligibility. Please keep a copy of this letter for your records. Failure to present the eligibility letter to your college and/or to notify ISAC of a college choice change, as required, may result in the loss of benefits.

The college also has deadlines for requesting payment on a student's behalf. ISAC sets payment request deadlines in late November for fall term; mid-April for spring term and late June for summer term. The college may have earlier deadlines for students to submit documentation of eligibility - you must work with your college's financial aid office for information about their deadline dates.

Changes to your address or college choice (include the term(s) affected) during the 2011-12 academic year, must be submitted in writing to ISAC's Deerfield address listed below or fax the information to 847.831.8549.

ISAC will notify you via mail if an update is received and/or your college choice or address changes.

You must reapply each academic year. The 2012-13 application will be available in late spring of 2012 on the ISAC College Zone website. The priority deadline dates for filing the application are:

- October 1<sup>st</sup> – Full Year
- March 1<sup>st</sup> – 2nd Semester (2nd/3rd Quarter) and Summer
- June 15<sup>th</sup> – Summer Term Only

If you have questions, or to learn more about the financial aid process and available programs, visit us at **collegeillinois.org**, call an ISAC College Zone Counselor at 800.899.ISAC (4722), or send an e-mail message to [isac.collegezone@isac.illinois.gov](mailto:isac.collegezone@isac.illinois.gov).

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