Loan Interest Rate & Fees

**Your Interest Rate (upon approval)**
The interest rate you pay will be 4.99%.

**Your Interest Rate during the life of the loan**
*Your rate is fixed.* This means that your rate will remain the same for the life of your loan. For more information on this rate, see the reference notes.

**Your rate will never change during the life of your loan.**

**Loan Fees**

*Origination Fee:* The fee that we charge to make this loan will range from 0% to 5% of the approved loan amount and is added to the loan principal. *Late fee:* 6% of the amount of the late payment. *Returned Check Charge:* $10.00.

**Loan Cost Examples**
The total amount you will pay for this loan will vary depending upon when you start to repay it. This example provides an estimate based upon the only repayment option available to you while enrolled in school.

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<th>Amount Provided (amount provided directly to you or your school)</th>
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<th>Loan Term (how long you have to pay off the loan)</th>
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<td>MAKE FULL PAYMENTS</td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>4.99%</td>
<td>15 years starting after the final disbursement.</td>
<td>$14,934.71</td>
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*About this example:* This repayment example assumes a single disbursement, that repayment begins at final disbursement and an origination fee of 5% is added to the principal amount of the loan. For loan amounts of less than $10,000 (not including fees), repayment will last 10 years (120 months) once the initial principal payment is made. For loan amounts of $10,000 or more, repayment will last 15 years (180 months) once the initial principal payment is made.
Federal Loan Alternatives

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You may qualify for Federal education loans. For additional information, contact your school’s financial aid office or the Department of Education at:

www.studentaid.ed.gov

Next Steps

1. **Find Out About Other Loan Options.**
   Some schools have school-specific student loan benefits and terms not detailed on this form. Contact your school’s financial aid office or visit the Department of Education’s web site at:
   www.studentaid.ed.gov for more information about other loans.

2. **To Apply for this Loan, Complete the Application and the Self-Certification Form.**
   You may get the certification form from your school’s financial aid office. If you are approved for this loan, the loan terms will be available for 30 days (terms will not change during this period, except as permitted by law).

REFERENCE NOTES

**Interest Rate**
This loan has a fixed interest rate.

**Eligibility Criteria**

**Borrower Must:**
- Be participating or registered to participate in a program offered by a VSAC eligible institution; or
- For use to pay a Qualified Back Balance at an eligible Title IV institution, owe a balance from a term with a loan period end date no more than 24 months in the past.
- Be attending or attended an eligible Vermont institution or a Vermont resident attending an eligible institution in another state.
- Be a U. S. citizen or an eligible non-citizen.

**Cosigner Must:**
- Be a U. S. citizen or an eligible non-citizen.
- Meet VSAC credit requirements.
- Not have ever defaulted on an education loan.

**Bankruptcy Limitations**
If you file for bankruptcy you may still be required to pay back this loan.

More information about loan eligibility and repayment and forbearance options is available in your loan Application/Credit Agreement.
Notice for students attending Virginia schools:

Private education loans are one tool that students use to finance their education. Your lender and your institution’s Financial Aid Office provide assistance with eligibility for the loans. For borrowers who have existing private education loans, Virginia has a Student Loan Advocate to assist borrowers who are struggling with repayment. You can contact the Student Loan Advocate at: State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, James Monroe Building, 10th Floor, 101 N. 14th Street, Richmond, VA 23219; studentloan@schev.edu; 804-786-2832. In addition, resources for prospective and current private education loan borrowers are available online at schev.edu/privateloan.