Call or visit the Office of Financial Aid at Los Medanos Community College.

Talk with staff about the fee waiver program that will enable you to go to college. The financial aid staff will work with you to meet your financial needs so that you will have access to a college education.

For more information call the Office of Financial Aid at Los Medanos College.

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An education lasts a lifetime……..

Thinking you can’t afford one could be a costly mistake.

State law requires that students attending California Community Colleges pay an enrollment fee for credit classes. Currently the fee is $11 per-unit.

The Board of Governors believes everyone should have the opportunity to attend college, so the California Community Colleges offer a fee waiver for eligible students.

The fee waiver is just one of the financial aid opportunities available.

You may be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant, Federal Work Study and other federal and state grants to help pay educational expenses.

You are eligible for a Board of Governors’ Fee waiver if…..

You are a California Resident and you meet any one of these three criteria:

- You and your family are receiving public assistance from Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF/CalWORKs) or Supplemental Security Income (SSI/SSP) or General Assistance or have certification from the Department of Veterans Affairs
  
  OR

- You meet the following income standards

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Add $4,620 for each additional dependant

  OR

- You have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and have “Financial Need.”

The fee waiver program was designed for speed and efficiency.

- BOGW is financial assistance that does not need to be repaid.

- You may be eligible for a fee waiver even if you are not eligible for other financial aid.

- The BOGW Application is simple to complete.

- BOGW applicants do not have to be enrolled in a minimum number of courses—whether you take 1 unit or 21 units, the enrollment fee may be waived.

- BOGW applicants need to apply once to have the fees waived for the academic year and the summer session.

- BOGW recipients also have their college health fees waived.

- BOGW recipients usually receive a discount on parking fees in excess of $20.

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