

FINANCIAL AID NEWSLETTER

SUMMER 2021

Summer Book Voucher Distribution

- Presidential Scholars
- Financial Aid recipients with surplus funds after tuition & fees are paid
- <https://www.bkstr.com/northeasternillinoisstore/home>
- May 3—June 4, 2021

NEIUQue: In Person, Socially Distant

Beginning Fall, 2021 NO long lines in the Financial Aid Office, NO crowd sitting in reception area! With the introduction of NEIUQue, students will be able to 'check-in from home, the Nest, the bus, the hall, or in person and request (1) meet with a Financial Aid Advisor—virtually or in person OR(2) submit documents in person. Options for 'check-in' include: link in NEIUport, My Financial Aid tab, text, or in person. Keep posted for more details!

Summer Financial Aid FAQs

Q: Is Federal Pell Grant available in the summer?

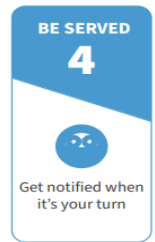
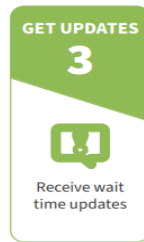
A: Yes. To maximize eligibility and reach time to degree goals, register between 6 and 12 credit hours.

Q: How is Direct Loan eligibility determined?

A: Confirm that you have not borrowed your annual limit during fall and spring. Any remaining eligibility for summer is based on enrollment hours. Remember, borrowers must be enrolled in at least 6 credit hours.

Financial Literacy Corner

NEIU GRADReady is a series of financial literacy modules where NEIU students can earn badges. Earning the most badges makes you eligible for a \$500 scholarship at the end of the term! Check this out: <https://gradready.com/sponsor/neiu>.



Financial Aid Advisors by Last Name Alpha Assignment

<https://www.neiu.edu/financial-aid/contact-financial-aid>

Document Submission

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Virtual Financial Aid Advising Appointment Calendar

neiu.edu/aidappointment



Need to meet with a financial aid advisor to discuss your financial aid package, borrowing options, or financing? Schedule virtual appointment at: neiu.edu/aidappointment