



IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE 2026-27 FINANCIAL AID PAYMENT SCHEDULE

If you have been offered aid and are otherwise eligible, your funds will be paid on the dates listed below. Awards made after the main payment dates listed below will be paid as part of a supplemental payment which we process weekly.

	Fall 2026	*Winter/Spring 2027
Freeze Date (more info below)	September 11	Jan 15** March 12
Return to Title IV >60% Drop Date (more info below)	October 22	April 29
Pell Grant – First 25%	August 13	January 8** February 11
Pell Grant – Second 25% FSEOG/Cal Grant/SSCG – 100%	September 18	March 19
Pell Grant – Last 50%	October 23	April 30

*Units completed in Winter will be added to Spring enrollment.

** Winter courses only

Freeze Date: On the freeze date, we record your enrolled units to determine your financial aid eligibility for the semester. Only required courses will count. After the freeze date, adding or dropping classes will not change your aid amount. To count late-start classes, you must be enrolled or waitlisted in WebSTAR by the freeze date, they will be added to your enrollment status for payment after the class begins. If you haven't been awarded aid by the freeze date, your unit count will be based on your enrollment at the time you're awarded. Aid for past terms is based on completed units. If you're not enrolled on the freeze date and later add short-term classes, your aid will be based on your enrollment at that time. If you drop classes before the freeze date or never attend, your aid will be reduced and you may have to repay funds.

Return to Title IV >60% Drop Date: If you stop attending all financial aid-eligible classes before 60% of the payment period has passed, we may have to recalculate your aid, and you might have to repay some funds. The date listed here applies to full semester courses, the date can be different for short-term classes. The withdrawal date used to determine if you attended at least 60% is based on the last day you attended or participated in class, as reported by your instructor—not the day you dropped the class in WebSTAR.