State of New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority

Fall 2019/Spring 2020 New Rates Effective June 13, 2019

NJCLASS is for all students attending NJ schools or NJ residents attending out-of-state schools.

NJCLASS 10-Year
Fixed Interest Rate
3.99% / 4.89% APR
- Immediate repayment of principal & interest while in school
- 3% Loan Administration fee\(^1\)
- 10-year repayment term

NJCLASS 15-Year
Fixed Interest Rate
4.49% / 5.28% APR
- Interest only payments while in school
- 3% Loan Administration fee\(^1\)
- 15-year repayment term

NJCLASS 20-Year
Fixed Interest Rate
6.50% / 7.04%\(^2\) APR
- Full deferment while enrolled at least half time in school
- 3% Loan Administration fee\(^1\)
- 20-year repayment term

Principal and interest repayment calculations are based on repayment starting 45 days from disbursement for the immediate repayment option and 45 days after leaving school for the full deferment and interest-only repayment option. Your actual payment may vary based on the terms and conditions of your loan agreement.

2019-2020 Loan Features:
- Three fixed interest rates with choice of varying repayment options.
  - Immediate Repayment of Principal & Interest
  - Monthly Interest Payments
  - Deferral of Principal and Interest
- Never a penalty for prepayment.
- 28-year history of providing higher education financing.
- Must be enrolled at least half-time in a degree or certificate program.
- Cost-saving feature; lower your interest rate when you choose in-school repayment, plus get a 0.25 percent point reduction with auto pay deduction from your checking or savings account
- Includes loan discharge for death and total and permanent disability of student beneficiary.
- Repayment assistance options (RAP and HIARP) starting with loans originated for academic year 2018-2019.

Application Process:
- Student and/or Parent is the Borrower
- Must File a FAFSA
- Apply Online Anytime
- Proof of income or cosigner required
- E-signature Option and a Safe & Secure Process

NJCLASS Interest Rate/APR & Loan Administration Fee:
- The 3% fee for the fixed rate loans is deducted from each disbursement and the net amount of the loan is disbursed to the institution.
- The APR assumes a single loan disbursement and a 4-year, in-school deferment.

See www.hesaa.org/njclass or www.njclass.org for more information on full terms and conditions. All loan options are limited and subject to availability. Funding is limited, submitting an application does not guarantee funding or repayment option choice. Borrower’s repayment option choice is not confirmed until the Truth in Lending Act Loan Offer is accepted by the borrower. Therefore, it is imperative that the borrower ask the financial aid office to certify their NJCLASS application as soon as possible after they apply.