



REQUEST TO DECLINE FEDERAL PELL GRANT FUNDS

Academic Year 2017-2018

The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2012 reduced the maximum timeframe (Lifetime Eligibility) during which a student is eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant to a maximum of six (6) years (12 full-time semesters) or 600% toward an undergraduate degree. The U.S. Department of Education will track each student's Lifetime Eligibility Used (LEU) among all institutions. For LEU information please visit <http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/grants-scholarships/pell/calculate-eligibility>.

If you wish to decline, reduce or return all or a portion of Pell Grant funds to preserve eligibility for future enrollment periods you must submit this completed form to the Office of Financial Assistance. Undisbursed Pell Grant funds must be declined within the award year. Disbursed Pell Grant funds must be returned within the award year. Students are not permitted to return Pell Grant funds from a prior award year.

A. Student's Information

_____	_____	_____	_____
Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Student's ID Number
_____			_____
Street Address (include apt. no.)			Date of Birth
_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Email Address
_____			_____
Home Phone Number (include area code)			Alternate or Cell Phone Number

B. Declining or Returning Pell Grant Funds

Term	Amount to Decline (Undisbursed Funds)	Amount to Return (Disbursed Funds) Check or money order must be submitted with this form. The Business Office will return the funds to Federal Student Aid after your check or money order has been processed.
Fall 2017		
Spring 2018		
Summer 2018		

Student ID: _____

C. Statement and Signature

I wish to decline or return 2017-2018 Pell Grant funds for which I am eligible with the understanding that these funds may not be available to me once the award year is over. Additionally, I understand there is no guarantee that I will be eligible for Pell Grant in the future because eligibility is determined annually with the submission of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Student's Signature

Date

Submit completed form to:
Office of Financial Assistance
Northwestern Oklahoma State University—Herod Hall 113
709 Oklahoma Blvd
Alva, OK 73717
Phone (580) 327-8542 Fax (580) 327 8177