

NEW GRANT FOR STUDENTS TO TRAIN FOR IN-DEMAND CAREERS

WHAT IS LAUNCH?

Idaho LAUNCH is an education and training grant program that provides students a one-time opportunity to have 80% of the tuition and fees at an eligible institution covered, up to a maximum amount of \$8,000. With approximately \$75 million available for Idaho LAUNCH funding, it is possible for this program to offer between 9,000 and 10,000 awards per year!

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR LAUNCH?

To qualify, students must:

- Be a graduate (class of 2024) from either an Idaho high school or home school, or have received a GED
- Be an Idaho resident
- Be enrolled in or have applied to an eligible Idaho institution
- · Begin enrollment by Fall semester after graduation
- · Complete a Career Pathway Plan at nextsteps.idaho.gov

HOW MUCH IS AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS EACH YEAR?

Students can receive up to one-half of the initial grant award in the first year of a program. However, for programs that are less than 12 months in length, students can use the full awarded amount (80% of tuition and fees up to \$8,000) in one year.

Check **nextsteps.idaho.gov** for the most up-to-date information on approved programs and providers, as these will be updated on an on-going basis.



QUESTIONS?

Email us at idaholaunch@wdc.idaho.gov

IMPORTANT DATES

Idaho LAUNCH application opens:

October 3

Applications due:

April 15

Contingent awards announced by:

May 31

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