

Financial Aid Appeals

Students who have a question about their Financial Aid Suspension have the right to appeal to the Financial Aid Director. This appeal should be made in writing within thirty days after the date of the student's suspension notice. The student must submit a Trinity College SAP Appeal Form, including a detailed explanation of how their circumstances kept them from meeting SAP requirements in the past, and what has changed that will enable them to meet SAP guidelines in the future.

If the student had extenuating circumstances, such as a medical condition or serious illness, a learning disability, the death of an immediate family member, an involuntary call to active military duty, a documented change in conditions of employment, or other extraordinary/emergency circumstances (such as natural disasters), the student must provide legitimate documentation to support their explanation along with an appeal form. Letters from family and friends may not be considered legitimate documentation. Appeals submitted without a detailed explanation and necessary documentation may not be approved. Successfully submitting an appeal does not guarantee approval, however, not successfully submitting an appeal could lead to continued ineligibility for financial aid. You can request a Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) appeal form from the Financial Aid Office or download it through the Financial Aid Portal.

Veteran Benefits and State Rehabilitation

Trinity College's VA Certifying Officials:

Karly Dooley

Veterans Benefits or State Rehabilitation Trinity College is approved by the Florida State Approving Agency for Veterans' education and training. Veterans qualify for educational assistance according to their length of military service. Widows and children of veterans who died or were disabled as a result of a service-connected injury or disease may also be eligible for educational benefits. Information may be obtained from the Veterans Administration or from a Veterans Service Officer.

A Pending Payment Compliance

Facility Name/Address: Trinity College of Florida, 2430 Welbilt Blvd., Trinity, FL 34655. VA Facility Code: 319B2110.

In accordance with Title 38 US Code 3679 subsection (e), this school adopts the following additional provisions for any students using U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Post 9/11 G.I. Bill® (Ch. 33) or Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (Ch. 31) benefits, while payment to the institution is pending from the VA. This school will not:

- Prevent the student's enrollment;
- Assess a late penalty fee to the student;
- Require the student to secure alternative or additional funding;
- Deny the student access to any resources (access to classes, libraries, or other institutional facilities) available to other students who have satisfied their tuition and fee bills to the institution.

However, to qualify for this provision, such students may be required to:

- Produce the VA Certificate of Eligibility (COE) by the first day of class;

- Provide a written request to be certified;
- Provide additional information needed to properly certify the enrollment as described in other institutional policies.

Military Tuition Assistance (TA)

Trinity College of Florida is approved to accept Military Tuition Assistance. Students using military tuition assistance should first check with their Education Service Officer (ESO) within their military unit or command for approval.

Scholarships and College Grants

Scholarship Awards

Endowed and Funded Scholarships

A limited amount of financial assistance is also available through the Trinity College Scholarship Fund for traditional students. Supported through gifts of interested donors, these funds provide assistance for worthy students in the form of scholarships. It is administered by the Trinity College Scholarship Committee. Awards are made annually in March and are divided over appropriate fall and spring term enrollments. The number of awards and quantity of awards are determined by the Committee and may vary from year to year. Some scholarships may be added to this list (as funds are available) or others may be deleted from this list (as funds are limited).

Established scholarship funds include the following:

- Abe Brown Memorial Scholarship
- Academic Excellence Scholarship
- Al Tedder Memorial Scholarship
- Alumni Scholarship in Honor of Gary Williams
- Art Yohner Mission Fund Scholarship
- Bill and Janice Lanpher Endowed Scholarship
- Dr. Peggy A. Bragg Mission Scholarship
- E. C. Bragg Endowed Memorial Scholarship
- Dennis E. Cox Memorial Scholarship
- International Student Scholarship in Honor of Merten and Lola Fogleboch
- Gordon and Bernadine Ford Memorial Scholarship
- James Whitman Memorial Scholarship
- Jan Jendrynski-Rosser Memorial Scholarship
- Jean H. Binnion Education Scholarship
- John Minder Memorial Scholarship
- Joseph Koch Memorial Scholarship
- Lewis W. Smith Memorial Scholarship
- Lillian Seymour Endowed Scholarship
- Melvin and Kathleen Carter Endowed Scholarship
- O. C. Clark Memorial Scholarship