



MICHIGAN
RECONNECT
EXPANSION

Michigan Reconnect has expanded to temporarily lower the eligibility age from 25 to 21!

Now Michigan residents ages 21-24, including already enrolled community college students, can **earn a degree or skill certificate, tuition-free.**



Am I Eligible?

To be eligible for the Michigan Reconnect expansion, students must:

- Be at least 21 years of age and not more than 24 years of age.
- Apply and enroll in a community or tribal college no later than summer semester 2025.
- Complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
- Have lived in Michigan for at least a year.
- Have a high school diploma or equivalent or certificate of completion.
- Have not yet completed a college degree.



DON'T MISS OUT! Michigan Reconnect expansion is open for a limited time only!

All applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. EST on Dec. 31, 2024.

Interested? Apply online via computer or a mobile device at

You must enroll and begin coursework no later than the summer semester 2025.

If you are having difficulties on your mobile device, it is recommended to use a different browser or computer.

Questions?

Customer Care Center

888-447-2687

Available Monday-Friday,

8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

How Can I Keep the Ball Rolling?

To maintain eligibility, students must meet all of the following conditions for the Reconnect Program:

- Continue to be a Michigan resident.
- Maintain enrollment in a Pell-eligible program at a community or tribal college leading to an associate degree or industry-recognized certificate or credential.
- Earn at least 12 credits each academic year, once the individual begins coursework.
- Maintain satisfactory academic progress as determined by the institution or a cumulative 2.0 GPA since becoming a Michigan Reconnect scholarship recipient.
- File the FAFSA each academic year.

Open the door to making more money, landing a better job
and pursuing your passion!

Time is limited ... but your future doesn't have to be.

For more information, check out the following resources:
Student Scholarships, Grants and Outreach – 888-447-2687
Reconnect Assistance – mistudentaid@michigan.gov