

**Central California Educational Opportunity Center**  
General Economic Eligibility Guidelines for 2012-2013

**Income Guidelines**

The table below lists economic eligibility requirements for CCEOC program admission during the 2013-2014 academic year. In order to be determined economic status, an individual's household income must not exceed the amount shown for its size in the applicable category.

Federal TRIO Programs  
2013 Annual Low Income Levels  
(Effective January 24, 2013)

Size of Family Unit	Contiguous 48 States, the District of Columbia and Outlying Jurisdictions	Alaska	Hawaii
1	\$17,235	\$21,525	\$19,845
2	\$23,265	\$29,070	\$26,775
3	\$29,295	\$36,615	\$33,705
4	\$35,325	\$44,160	\$40,635
5	\$41,355	\$51,705	\$47,565
6	\$47,385	\$59,250	\$54,495
7	\$53,415	\$66,795	\$61,425
8	\$59,445	\$74,340	\$68,355

Family units with more than eight members, add the following amount for each additional family member: \$6,030 for the 48 contiguous states, the District of Columbia and outlying jurisdictions; \$7,545 for Alaska; and \$6,930 for Hawaii.

**Definitions: Per U. S. Department of Education**

**“Low-income individual”** means an individual whose **family’s taxable income** for the preceding year did not exceed 150% of the poverty level amount.

**“First Generation College Student”** means (a) an individual both of whose parents did not complete a baccalaureate degree; or (b) in the case of any individual who regularly resided with and received support from only one parent, an individual whose only such parent did not complete a baccalaureate degree.

**“Homeless”** are persons defined in section 725 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11434 (a)).

**“Military-Connected Student”** means a child participating in an early learning program, a student in preschool through grade 12, or a student enrolled in postsecondary education or training who has a parent or guardian on active duty in the uniformed services (as defined by 37 U.S.C. 101, in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, National Guard, or the reserve component of any of the aforementioned services) or a student who is a veteran of the uniformed services, who is on active duty, or who is the spouse of an active-duty service member.

**“Veteran”** as defined in §644.7(b), regardless of age, is eligible to participate in an Educational Opportunity Centers project if he or she satisfies the eligibility requirements in paragraph (a) of this section other than the age requirement in paragraph (a)(2) of this section.