

RULE CHANGES TO TENNESSEE PROMISE

Changes made on September 24, 2015

The Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation Board meeting was held on September 24, 2015 and changes to the Tennessee Promise Scholarship were recommended. Below is a summary of the changes that were approved.

Items added:

- Students can complete the initial eight (8) hours of community service beginning the day after the Tennessee Promise scholarship application deadline.

Item(s) clarified:

- Students must submit all documents by August 1 at two-year and four-year institutions to allow the institution to complete FAFSA verification. The deadline of October 1 at the Tennessee Colleges of Applied Technology (TCATs) remains intact.
- Students must complete the FAFSA by the deadline and have been assigned an Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) by the U.S. Department of Education
- Students are now required to perform and **submit** eight (8) hours of community service by August 1.
 - Note: Beginning with the 2017-2018 fall academic term students must perform and submit the hours by July 1.

