

## PART 675—FEDERAL WORK-STUDY PROGRAMS

NOTE: An asterisk (\*) indicates provisions that are common to parts 674, 675, and 676. The use of asterisks will assure participating institutions that a provision of one regulation is identical to the corresponding provisions in the other two.

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APPENDIX A TO PART 675 [RESERVED]

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### Subpart A—Federal Work-Study Program

#### § 675.1 Purpose and identification of common provisions.

(a) The Federal Work-Study (FWS) program provides part-time employment to students attending institutions of higher education who need the earnings to help meet their costs of postsecondary education and encourages students receiving FWS assistance to participate in community service activities.

\*(b) Provisions in these regulations that are common to all campus-based programs are identified with an asterisk.

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#### § 675.2 Definitions.

(a) The definitions of the following terms used in this part are set forth in subpart A of the Student Assistance General Provisions, 34 CFR 668:

Academic year  
Award year  
Clock hour  
Enrolled  
Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL)  
Federal Pell Grant Program  
Federal Perkins Loan Program  
Federal PLUS Program  
Federal SLS Program  
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG) Program  
Full-time student  
HEA  
Secretary

(b) The Secretary defines other terms used in this part as follows:

*Community services:* Services which are identified by an institution of higher education, through formal or informal consultation with local nonprofit, governmental, and community-based organizations, as designed to improve the quality of life for community residents, particularly low-income individuals, or to solve particular problems

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related to their needs. These services include—

(1) Such fields as health care, child care (including child care services provided on campus that are open and accessible to the community), literacy training, education (including tutorial services), welfare, social services, transportation, housing and neighborhood improvement, public safety, crime prevention and control, recreation, rural development, and community improvement;

(2) Work in service opportunities or youth corps as defined in section 101 of the National and Community Service Act of 1990, and service in the agencies, institutions and activities designated in section 124(a) of that Act;

(3) Support services to students with disabilities, including students with disabilities who are enrolled at the institution; and

(4) Activities in which a student serves as a mentor for such purposes as—

- (i) Tutoring;
- (ii) Supporting educational and recreational activities; and
- (iii) Counseling, including career counseling.

*\*Expected family contribution (EFC):* The amount a student and his or her spouse and family are expected to pay toward the student's cost of attendance.

*\*Financial need:* The difference between a student's cost of attendance and his or her EFC.

*Graduate or professional student:* A student who—

(1) Is enrolled in a program or course above the baccalaureate level at an institution of higher education or is enrolled in a program leading to a first professional degree;

(2) Has completed the equivalent of at least three years of full-time study at an institution of higher education, either prior to entrance into the program or as part of the program itself; and

(3) Is not receiving title IV aid as an undergraduate student for the same period of enrollment.

*\*Institution of higher education (institution):* A public or private nonprofit institution of higher education, a pro-

prietary institution of higher education, or a postsecondary vocational institution.

*\*Need-based employment:* Employment provided by an institution itself or by another entity to a student who has demonstrated to the institution or the entity (through standards or methods it establishes) a financial need for the earnings from that employment for the purpose of defraying educational costs of attendance for the award year for which the employment is provided.

*Nonprofit organization:* An organization owned and operated by one or more nonprofit corporations or associations where no part of the organization's net earnings benefits, or may lawfully benefit, any private shareholder or entity. An organization may show that it is nonprofit by meeting the provisions of §75.51 of the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR), 34 CFR 75.51.

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*Student services:* Services that are offered to students that are directly related to the work-study student's training or education and that may include, but are not limited to, financial aid, library, peer guidance counseling, and social, health, and tutorial services.

*Undergraduate student:* A student enrolled at an institution of higher education who is in an undergraduate course of study which usually does not exceed four academic years, or is enrolled in a four to five academic year program designed to lead to a first degree. A student enrolled in a program of any other length is considered an undergraduate student for only the first four academic years of that program.

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