HEOP Economic Eligibility

Financial assistance is an important component of the support services offered by the Arthur O. Eve Higher Education Opportunity Program (HEOP) at St. Bonaventure University. Because each student has different financial needs, SBU develops a full-need financial aid package that combines state, federal, and institutional grants and loans.

The following table outlines the economic eligibility maximums for HEOP students entering college in the Fall 2023 semester.

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<th>No. of people in the household</th>
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<td>Max household income (2021)</td>
<td>$25,142</td>
<td>$33,874</td>
<td>$42,606</td>
<td>$51,338</td>
<td>$60,070</td>
<td>$68,802</td>
<td>$77,534</td>
<td>$86,266</td>
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Add $8,732 for each family member in excess of 8

HEOP applicants must submit appropriate financial documentation during the admission process. If an applicant will not qualify, contact the HEOP office as soon as possible so we may forward your application to the admissions office.

The household income guidelines do not apply if:

- The student’s family receives family assistance program aid or safety net assistance through the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance or a county department of social services; or is the recipient of family day-care payments through the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or a county department of social services or their successor offices;
- The student is living with foster parents who do not provide support for college, and no monies are provided from the natural parents; or
- The student is a ward of the State or a county.