



## Inflation Relief Student Weekly Stipend Project – Spring 2022

Due to the rising cost of living, supply chain issues, global conflicts, and the continuing Covid-19 pandemic in 2022, the Leech Lake Tribal College will be issuing payments to students to assist them with rising cost of living expenses during the time they are actively enrolled in courses. **Employees of the college will not be eligible for this project.**

The payments will be calculated as follows, spanning the period between January 31, 2022 and May 2, 2022.

- Students enrolled in 10 credits or more will be paid \$231.25 per week
- Students enrolled in 9 credits or less will be paid \$115.63 per week

The number of credits that a student is enrolled in will be calculated on the Monday of each week between January 31, 2022 and May 2, 2022. The first payment will be issued during the week of February 28, 2022. The table below reflects the weeks, which will be included in each payment. The payments will be issued bi-weekly. The first and last payments will include payment for three weeks of classes.

<i><b>Week of Payment</b></i>	<i><b>Weeks of Enrollment</b></i>
February 28, 2022	January 1, 2022 February 7, 2022 February 14, 2022
March 14, 2022	February 21, 2022 February 28, 2022
March 28, 2022	March 7, 2022 March 14, 2022
April 11, 2022	March 21, 2022 March 28, 2022
April 25, 2022	April 4, 2022 April 11, 2022
May 9, 2022	April 18, 2022 April 25, 2022 May 2, 2022

### FAQ

**Q:** *Is this payment the same as the Emergency Aid Tuition cost payment?*

**A:** No. The tuition match Emergency Aid Funding is a separate payment. It is based on the amount of tuition you paid this semester and will be issued during the week of March 28, 2022.

**Q:** *What if I was enrolled in less/more credits in one of the weeks than another week?*

**A:** The number of credits in which a student is enrolled on the Monday of each week will determine the amount of funds that are paid to each student for that week. For example, if A. Student was enrolled in 6 credits during the week of February 21, 2022 (\$115.63) and went up to 10 credits during the week of February 28, 2022 (\$235.25), they would get assistance in the amount of \$346.88 on the check issued during the week of March 14, 2022.

**Q:** *Do I have to be getting a good grade in my class to be eligible for the Inflation Relief Stipend?*

**A:** We always encourage LLTC students to perform to their best ability in their courses. Good grades are a big part of self-development, future success, ability to transfer to a four-year school, and a way to show appreciation to our wonderful faculty. However, at this time, we are basing the assistance on the number of credits that students are enrolled in. In the future, if we continue to offer this type of assistance, it may be based on enrollment, attendance, and performance.

This project is made possible through funding provided to the Leech Lake Tribal College by the U.S. Government COVID emergency relief appropriations.

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