

Consumer Information Disclosure Notice

FERPA; HEA Sec. 485(a)(1), Sec. 485(f), Sec. 485(g), [Sec. 485(h)] and Sec. 485(j); HEOA

In compliance with the Higher Education Act (HEA) of 1965, as amended by the Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA) of 2008, and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, as amended, Eastern Wyoming College must annually distribute a notice to enrolled students of the availability of institutional and financial aid information. A brief summary of information available can be found below. Much of the information can be found in EWC's Catalog and/or Student Handbook. For complete information, please see our Consumer Information page online at <http://ewc.wy.edu/consumer-information/>. For a paper copy of any or all materials, please contact:

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Disclosure requirements include, but are not limited to the following areas:

Student Financial Assistance

- A description of all Federal, State, institutional, Foundation and some outside student financial assistance programs available and how to apply for each
- Student eligibility requirements, including Federal standards for Satisfactory Academic Progress
- The method of award and distribution of student financial assistance
- The rights and responsibilities of students receiving financial assistance, including the terms of any loans received and the terms and conditions of student employment
- Entrance and Exit Counseling for student loan borrowers
- EWC's Loan Code of Conduct
- Private student loan information and Self-Certification Form
- National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS)
- Notice of Federal student financial aid penalties for drug law violations
- Contact information for financial aid

General Institutional Information

- The privacy of student records under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)
- Facilities and services available to students with disabilities
- Consumer information on College Navigator website
- Academic programs (educational programs, instructional facilities and faculty)
- Cost of attendance, including tuition, fees, on-campus housing and meals as well as estimated indirect costs for transportation and miscellaneous personal expenses
- School and program accreditation, approval and/or licensure
- Net Price Calculator
- Student body diversity
- Textbook information, including price and using federal aid for books and supplies
- Institutional and federal refund policies and the requirements for officially withdrawing from the institution
- Information security
- Copyright infringement policies and sanctions
- Transfer of credit policy and articulation agreements
- Required written arrangements disclosures

Health and Safety

- Crime awareness and campus security policies, procedures, and statistics
- Drug and alcohol abuse prevention program
- Vaccination policies
- Emergency response and evacuation procedures

- Missing person notification policy
- Information for crime victims about disciplinary proceedings
- Fire safety report
- Timely warnings
- Vaccinations policy

Student Outcomes

- Retention rate
- Completion/graduation and transfer-out rates (Student Right to Know)
- Gainful employment information for certificate programs

Intercollegiate Athletic Programs

- Participation rates and support for athletic programs (Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act)
- Completion/graduation and transfer-out rates for students receiving athletically related student aid

Eastern Wyoming College is fully committed to compliance with the applicable regulations and to providing candid, honest, and reliable disclosure and student consumer information. Students or others with questions about the disclosures or consumer information listed above or posted online at <http://ewc.wy.edu/consumer-information/> should contact Financial Aid at (307) 532.8224 or (307) 532.8325, or e-mail financialaid@ewc.wy.edu.

Annual Notice is sent via campus e-mail each year.