

DEGREE PLAN

Federal Aid Only Covers Required Courses

Federal Aid can only be used to pay for courses that apply directly to a student's declared degree or certificate program.

Stick to Your Degree Plan

Your degree plan lists the courses you need to graduate. Advisors use it to help you stay on track. Taking extra or unrelated classes can delay graduation and cost you money.

Degree Plans are available on the NHS College website under Academics and within the current Bulletin.

Declare or Update Your Program

Make sure your major is officially declared and current. If you switch programs, you need to update your degree plan right away as Federal Aid is tied to your active program. If a student double majors, Federal Pell will be calculated only for the student's first declared major.

The Federal Pell Grant will not pay for a class if a student already attempted it three times or if a student has already passed it with a grade of D or higher.

