The 1st Pell disbursement will cover 450 hours if you are full-time and 225 hours if you are part-time. Disbursements are made on the 15th of the month or the following Monday if it falls on a weekend. Depending on your FASFA status.

To be eligible for the 2nd disbursement, the hours for which you have already been paid must be completed. The two things that must be completed: (1) attendance of at least 450/225 hours; AND (2) curriculum completion of at least 450/225 hours. The 2nd disbursement cannot be made until BOTH the attendance and the curriculum completion requirements are met. Additional disbursements will be made when you have completed the hours for which you have already been paid.

All books/supplies from PTC bookstore must be received by you before your 1st disbursement. (Refer to student handbook for additional information.)

Two Checks will be issued from your total disbursement:
1.) The amount of tuition and books/supplies owed to Pioneer Tech
2.) The remainder to be distributed to you.

You must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress in order to continue to receive financial aid payments.

Changes in enrollment status (full-time to part-time; part-time to full-time) will change the amount of disbursement. If you withdraw from the Career Major in which you are enrolled, you may be required to pay all or some of the funds back to the United States Department of Education.

If flagged for verification you will be required to bring in additional documentation.

Report any scholarships, grants, or other sponsorships to the financial aid office.

You will not be paid for any advance standing you have upon entering your current career major.

Financial Aid Contact

Any questions regarding Student Financial Aid should be directed to Lisa Jackson, Student Financial Aid Officer, at 580-718-4228 or at LisaJ@pioneertech.edu. The Student Financial Aid Officer is located on the main hallway in B117 and is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday – Friday (unless PTC campus is closed.)