



GradStar: Pre-Paid/Nonmonetary Awards

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By the end
of the
course...

- Know how to report values of nonmonetary and pre-paid awards in GradStar.

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What types of items are considered nonmonetary or pre-paid?

- Items given only to students such as:
 - Gift cards
 - Electronic Devices (computers, tablets, equipment, etc.)
 - Giveaways
 - Promotional, goodwill or incentive gifts
 - Payments made to outside providers on a student's behalf
 - Items purchased using other systems (i.e., BuyCarolina)

De minimis items valued at \$25 (or less) can be excluded from being reported in GradStar.

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Why do values for nonmonetary/pre-paid awards have to be reported?

- To remain compliant with federal financial aid regulations.
- Regulations specify that any educational benefits paid because of enrollment in a postsecondary education institution, or to cover postsecondary education expenses is financial assistance.
- GradStar is the system used to report financial assistance (*both cash and non-cash values*) for students.

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Entering Nonmonetary / Pre-Paid Awards

Mark Student Eligible



Enter 9 Digit Student ID



Academic Institution

UNCCH



Term



Academic Career

GradStar Eligibility Selection

Enter any information you have and click Search. Leave fields blank for a list of all values.

Find an Existing Value

Add a New Value

Search Criteria

Student ID begins with

Academic Institution begins with

Term begins with

Academic Career =

Academic Group begins with

Academic Program begins with

Academic Plan begins with

Degree begins with

Residency begins with

Last Name begins with

First Name begins with

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Entering Nonmonetary/ Pre-Paid Awards

Mark Student Eligible

- Ensure Degree Program Listed
- Click Check box
- Save

Acad Career	Graduate	Residency	NRES	Citizenship	US Citizen
Academic Group:	CAS	College of Arts & Sciences	Degree: PHD	English and Comparative Lit	

Selection of Eligible Student

Departmental Award?

Click to mark student eligible

Save Return to Search Previous in List Next in List Notify Add Update/Display

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Entering Nonmonetary/ Pre-Paid Awards

Use the GradStar Maintenance Page to enter award

- Click on Pre-paid/Nonmonetary

► Pre-paid/Non-Monetary Active Award Total \$ 0.00 ?

Department Award/Student Payment ?

Award		View Cost of Attendance (COA)	Additional CFS	Item Type	Export Data	Audit Info	▶					
	*Award Type	Award Type Description	Fund	Source	Account	Funding Dept	Project ID	Program	Cost Code 1	Cost Code 2	Cost Code 3	Amount
1	... ?	Select an Award	?	?		?	?	?	?	?	?	

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Entering Nonmonetary/ Pre-Paid Awards

Use the GradStar Maintenance Page to enter award

- Enter 'NON' award type
- Funding Department
- Value (amount) of nonmonetary or pre-paid award
- Provide a description

▼ Pre-paid/Non-Monetary Active Award Total \$1500.00 ?

Award		Item Type	Export Data	Audit Info		
*Award Type	Award Description	*Funding Department	Amount	Status	*Description	
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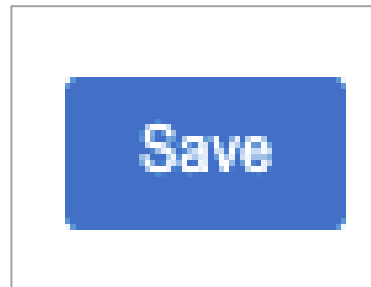
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Saving The Page

- If you have no other awards save the page



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