Illinois Partnership Loan Program



Rates for borrowers or cosigners with FICO¹ scores of 800 or more

In-School Payment Choice	Immediate Payment		Interest-Only Payment	Deferred Payment	
Origination Fee	0%		0%	0%	
Fixed Interest Rate	3.85%	5.30%	5.50%	5.81%	
Payments Required While the Student Is Enrolled and During the Separation Period?	Yes, principal and interest payments ²		Yes, interest-only payments ³	No	
Separation Period	N/A ⁴		6 months⁴	6 months	
Principal and Interest Repayment Period ⁵	10 years		10 years	15 years	
Examples for a \$10,000 Loan					
Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	3.85%6	5.30 % ⁷	5.50% ⁸	5.57%°	
Finance Charge	\$2,063 ⁶	\$2,903 ⁷	\$5,3618	\$8,7129	
Interest-Only Monthly Payment	N/A		\$46 ⁸	N/A	
Principal and Interest Monthly Payment	\$1016	\$108 ⁷	\$109 ⁸	\$1049	

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³ Borrowers who fail to stay current with any required interest-only payments may be unable to apply for and subsequently receive future loans.

⁴ The in-school and separation periods cannot exceed 60 months. Payments required during this period.

⁵ If a pre-disbursement loan cancellation results in an Illinois Partnership Loan of \$1,000 or less, the maximum principal and interest repayment term is 37 months.

⁶ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, and a fixed interest rate of 3.85% during the 120-month principal and interest repayment period for applicants or cosigners who pay a mortgage or rent and have a debt-to-income ratio of 34% or less or applicants or cosigners who pay no mortgage or rent and have a debt-to-income ratio of 19% or less.

⁷ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, and a fixed interest rate of 5.30% during the 120-month principal and interest repayment period.

⁸ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 5.50% during the 51-month interest-only and the 120-month principal and interest repayment periods.

⁹ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring interest and principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 5.81% during the 51-month in-school and separation period and the 180-month principal and interest repayment period.

Rates for borrowers or cosigners with FICO¹ scores of 760-799

In-School Payment Choice	Immediate Payment	Interest-Only Payment	Deferred Payment		
Origination Fee	0%	0%	0%		
Fixed Interest Rate	6.10%	6.20%	6.63%		
Payments Required While the Student Is Enrolled and During the Separation Period?	Yes, principal and interest payments ²	Yes, interest-only payments ³	No		
Separation Period	N/A ⁴	6 months⁴	6 months		
Principal and Interest Repayment Period ⁵	10 years	10 years	15 years		
Examples for a \$10,000 Loan					
Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	6.10% ⁶	6.20 % ⁷	6.32%8		
Finance Charge	\$3,381 ⁶	\$6,078 ⁷	\$10,265 ⁸		
Interest-Only Monthly Payment	N/A	\$52 ⁷	N/A		
Principal and Interest Monthly Payment	\$1126	\$112 ⁷	\$113 ⁸		

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⁸ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring interest and principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 6.63% during the 51-month in-school and separation period and the 180-month principal and interest repayment period.

Rates for borrowers or cosigners with FICO¹ scores of 720–759

In-School Payment Choice	Immediate Payment	Interest-Only Payment	Deferred Payment		
Origination Fee	0%	0%	0%		
Fixed Interest Rate	6.35%	6.45%	6.91%		
Payments Required While the Student Is Enrolled and During the Separation Period?	Yes, principal and interest payments ²	Yes, interest-only payments ³	No		
Separation Period	N/A ⁴	6 months⁴	6 months		
Principal and Interest Repayment Period ⁵	10 years	10 years	15 years		
Examples for a \$10,000 Loan					
Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	6.35%6	6.45 % ⁷	6.58% ⁸		
Finance Charge	\$3,532 ⁶	\$6,336 ⁷	\$10,816 ⁸		
Interest-Only Monthly Payment	N/A	\$54 ⁷	N/A		
Principal and Interest Monthly Payment	\$113 ⁶	\$113 ⁷	\$116 ⁸		

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⁶ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, and a fixed interest rate of 6.35% during the 120-month principal and interest repayment period.

⁷ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 6.45% during the 51-month interest-only and the 120-month principal and interest repayment periods.

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Rates for borrowers or cosigners with FICO¹ scores of 660–719

In-School Payment Choice	Immediate Payment	Interest-Only Payment	Deferred Payment		
Origination Fee	0%	0%	0%		
Interest Rate	6.65%	6.77%	7.00%		
Payments Required While the Student Is Enrolled and During the Separation Period?	Yes, principal and interest payments ²	Yes, interest-only payments ³	No		
Separation Period	N/A ⁴	6 months⁴	6 months		
Principal and Interest Repayment Period ⁵	10 years	10 years	15 years		
Examples for a \$10,000 Loan					
Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	6.65%	6.77% ⁷	6.66 % ⁸		
Finance Charge	\$3,7156	\$6,668 ⁷	\$10,994°		
Interest-Only Monthly Payment	N/A	\$56 ⁷	N/A		
Principal and Interest Monthly Payment	\$114 ⁶	\$115 ⁷	\$117 ⁸		

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⁷ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 6.77% during the 51-month interest-only and the 120-month principal and interest repayment periods.

⁸ Annual percentage rate, finance charge and monthly payments are based on borrowing \$10,000, a 0% origination fee, deferring interest and principal for 51 months, and a fixed interest rate of 7.00% during the 51-month in-school and separation period and the 180-month principal and interest repayment period.