# HORNET BOOKSTORE LOAN PROGRAM

Fall 2024 | August 1 – September 6

The **Sacramento State Hornet Bookstore** and **Bursar's Office** have teamed up to offer students a Bookstore Loan of up to \$1,500.00 per semester.

To support technology equity and student success, this optional program is designed to help degree-seeking students charge all or a portion of their coursework essentials including required books and supplies to their student account for repayment.

Students will be required to sign a contract (in-person) or agree to terms (online purchases) indicating their consent to post the charges to their student account, and agreement to repay the loan. Students must not have defaulted on a previous bookstore loan to qualify.

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# PROGRAM DETAILS

#### How do I charge to my account?

Simply visit the Hornet Bookstore or <u>order your items online</u> to purchase your books and supplies. If you are purchasing online, select the "charge to my student account" option. For in-store purchases, let the employee know you would like to charge to your student account. *NOTE: The Bookstore Loan Program is only available August 1 – September 6, 2024.* 

#### What can I charge to my account?

Degree-seeking students enrolled in a minimum of six (6) units are allowed to charge their coursework essentials including required books and supplies. Other items, such as clothing and accessories, gifts and collectibles, are not eligible.

#### What is the maximum amount I can borrow?

The maximum amount is \$1,500.00 per semester, Fall and Spring.

# Can I charge only a portion of my purchase to my student account?

Yes, you can pay a portion of the purchase out of pocket and charge the rest to your student account.

# How will the charge look on my student account?

The charge would be listed as "Bookstore Loan."

# Will interest or fees be charged for a Bookstore Loan?

No, there is not a fee or interest charged. However, you are subject to late fees and placement with a 3<sup>rd</sup> party collection agency if it is not paid by the due date. Also, you will have a hold that prevents registration for the next term and prevents the release of your diploma.

# When is my Bookstore Loan due?

October 12, 2024.

# Will my financial aid pay my Bookstore Loan?

Yes. In order for your financial aid to pay your Bookstore Loan, you will need to charge your books at least 2 days prior to your aid disbursing. If your aid disburses prior to the Bookstore Loan posting to your account, you will be responsible for paying the loan yourself.

# Can I return items for a credit to my account?

Yes, items can be returned and credited to your account according to the Hornet Bookstore guidelines. *View the Hornet Bookstore return policy here*.

