2025-27 GOVERNOR'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET Higher Education Coordinating Commission





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Higher Education Coordinating Commission 2025-27 Governor's Budget Overview



- Ongoing Challenges:
 - Higher education affordability
 - Rising higher education institution costs
 - Financial viability for Portland State University and Oregon's Technical Regional Universities (Eastern Oregon University, Oregon Institute of Technology, Southern Oregon University, Western Oregon University)

Higher Education Coordinating Commission 2025-27 Governor's Budget Overview (cont.)



- Governor's Budget includes investments to:
 - Expand education and training pathways to increase the behavioral health workforce.
 - Enhance student scholarship programs (Oregon Opportunity Grant, Oregon Tribal Student Grant, Oregon National Guard State Tuition Assistance Grant).
 - Establish pre-apprenticeship programs for housing and construction industries.
 - Continue Future Ready Oregon efforts using carried forward American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding.

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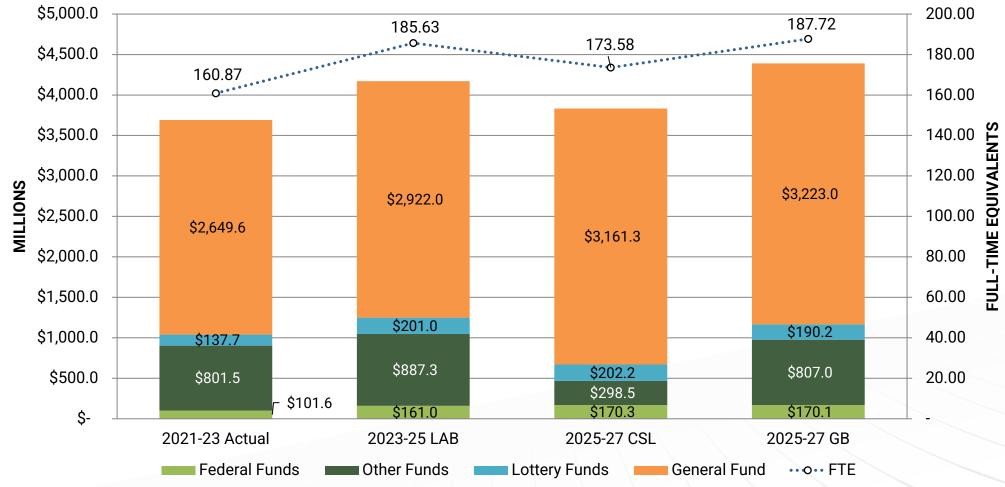


- Governor's Budget maintains support funds at current service level:
 - Community College Support Fund
 - Public University Support Fund
- Targeted reductions to General Fund and Lottery Funds:
 - Distributions to institutions for Benefit Navigators
 - Distributions to Oregon State University for Statewide Public Services (i.e., Forest Research Lab, Outdoor School, Agriculture Experiment Station)
 - Elimination of the National Career Readiness Center
 - Agencywide Services & Supplies cost savings (e.g., reduced travel, IT replacement)

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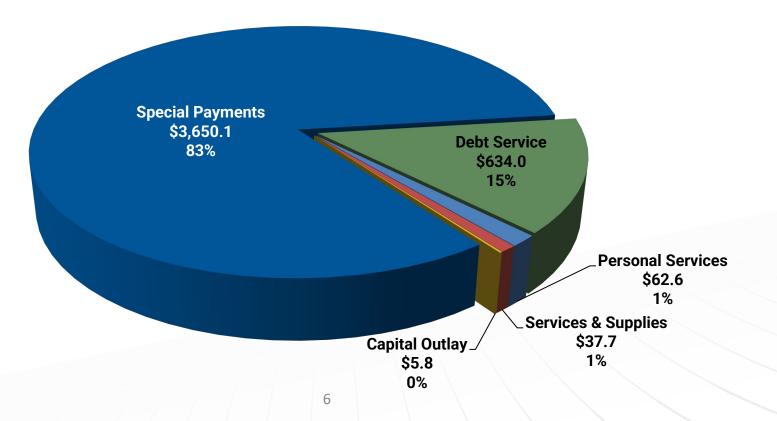




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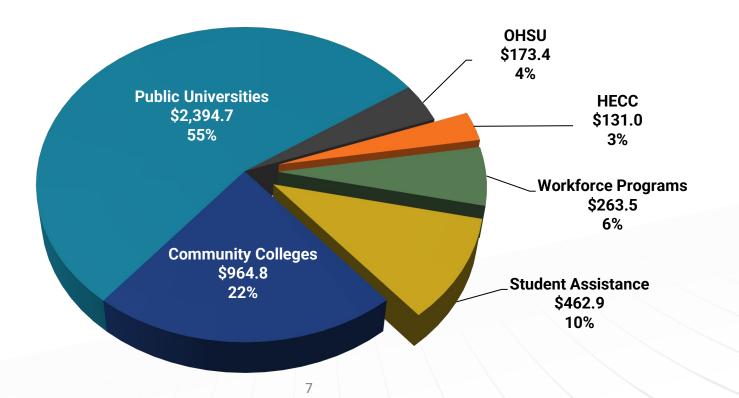
Agency Budget by Expenditure Category (in millions)



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Governor's Budget by Program Type (in millions)



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