

FAFSA 101

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

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Agenda

- ▶ Create an FSA ID
- ▶ FAFSA Completion
 - ▶ Common Mistakes
 - ▶ Tips
- ▶ Next Steps

Create an FSA ID at studentaid.gov (FAFSA Account)

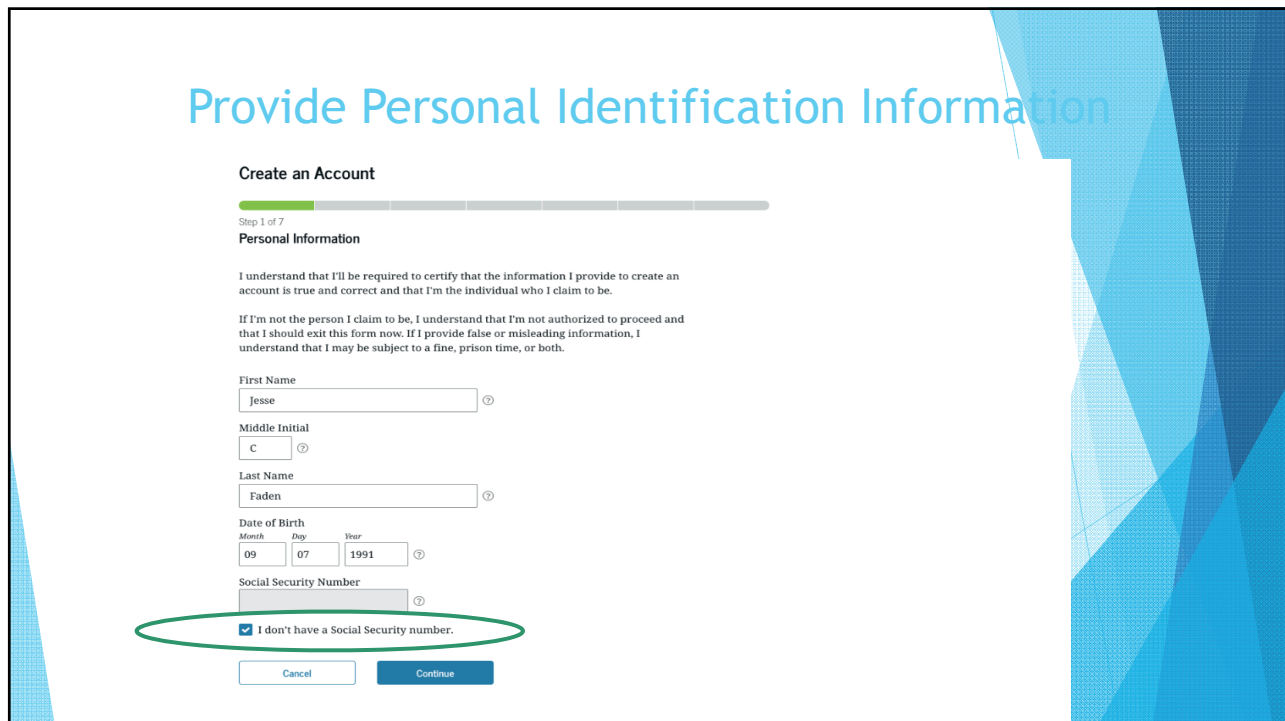
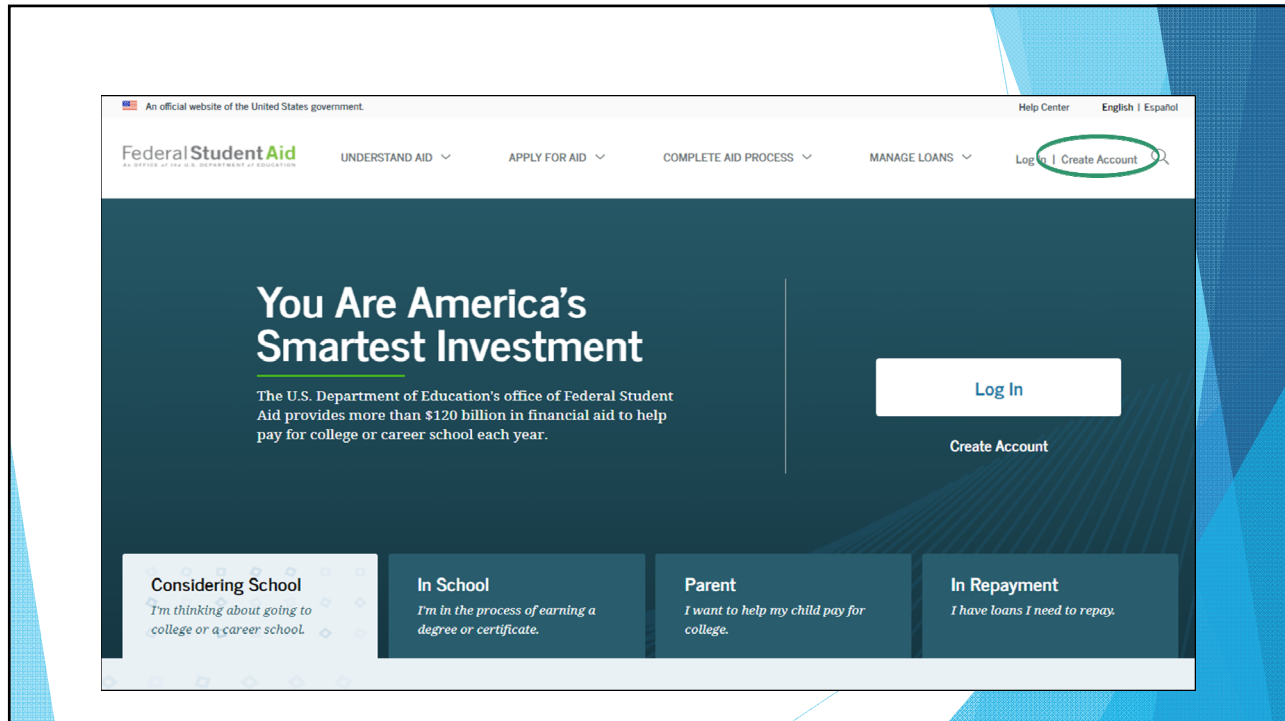
Who needs an FSA ID and Why?

- ▶ Student (spouse)
- ▶ Parent(s); if student must provide parent information
 - If Parents are married and filed a joint return – one parent
 - If Parents filed separated returns – both parents
 - Divorced/Separated – one parent

Start, Contribute and Sign the FAFSA electronically

Required to access all Federal Financial Aid Information

Must clear verification before it can be used



Create Your FSA ID (Username and password)

An official website of the United States government. Help Center Feedback & Ombudsman English | Español

Create an Account (FSA ID)

Step 2 of 7

Account Information

Because financial aid agreements are legally binding, you can't create an account for someone else, even another family member. Parents and students must create their own accounts.

Username

Email Address

Confirm Email Address

Password Show Password

- ✓ Uppercase
- ✓ Lowercase
- ✓ Number
- ✓ 8+ characters

Confirm Password Show Password

Provide Contact information

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Contact Information

Mailing Address

Address

City

State Type Response

ZIP Code

Phone Number

Mobile Phone Number

Confirm Mobile Phone Number

[+ Add Alternate Phone Number](#)

Mobile Phone Account Recovery

We strongly recommend setting up mobile phone account recovery. This option is used to help you restore access to your account by sending you a code via text message if you are locked out.

Yes, I would like to use my mobile phone for account recovery.

Communication Preferences

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Communication Preferences

Required Communications

The U.S. Department of Education (ED) and its federal student loan servicers will need to send you required communications and documents related to your federal student aid, such as student loan disclosures and interest statements.

I want to receive these communications:

- By email *Recommended*
- By postal mail

i By selecting this option, you agree to receive required communications by email and confirm you have reviewed and agree to FSA's [Terms and Conditions](#).

Optional Communications

ED and its federal student loan servicers want you to feel confident about the financial aid and student loan process. To help with this, we will sometimes send out information about programs you may be eligible for, such as grant programs, student loan forgiveness programs, income-based repayment plans, and more.

I want to receive these communications:

- By email
- By text message

Language Preference

Your choice lets us know how you would like to view website content once logged in, and what to use for your communications.

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Select/Create Challenge Questions and Answers

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Create an Account (FSA ID)

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Challenge Questions

Challenge questions and answers are used to retrieve your username or password if you forget them or if you need to unlock your account.

Note: Answers are not case-sensitive.

Challenge Question 1

Question:

Answer:

Challenge Question 2

Question:

Answer:

Challenge Question 3

Question:

Answer:

Challenge Question 4

Question:

Answer:

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Verify Your E-mail & Cell phone

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Create an Account (FSA ID)

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Account Recovery

Only a verified email address OR a verified mobile phone number is required, but if you provided both on previous screens, you MUST verify both below.

Verify My Mobile Phone Number
NOT VERIFIED

Verify My Email Address
NOT VERIFIED

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Verify Your Mobile Phone Number

You must verify your mobile phone number before you can create an FSA ID. Once your phone number is verified, you can use your mobile phone number to log in and for account recovery. Follow the instructions below to verify your mobile phone number.

- 1 Personal Information
- 2 Contact Information
- 3 Challenge Questions
- 4 Confirm and Verify
- 5 Complete

Enter the Secure Code

A six-digit secure code has been sent to the mobile phone number below.

📱 XXX-XXX-7052

Enter the secure code on this page to verify your mobile phone number.
It may take a few minutes for the text to arrive. You can request a new secure code using the "Resend Secure Code" link below.

Secure Code

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Verify Your Email Address

You must verify your email address before you can create an FSA ID. Once your email address is verified, you can use your email address to log in and for account recovery. Follow the instructions below to verify your email address.

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Enter the Secure Code

A six-digit secure code has been sent from FSA-ID@ed.gov to the email address below.

 su*****@hawaii1r.com


Using a separate browser tab or window, retrieve the secure code from your inbox and enter it on this page. If it has been more than a few minutes and the email has not yet arrived, check your junk folder. You also can request a new secure code using the "Resend Secure Code" link below.

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Review Info and Agree to Terms

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Review Your Information and Terms and Conditions

Verify the information you provided for your FSA ID below. Mistakes can cause delays or problems with the disbursement or repayment of financial aid. If there are no errors, then read the Terms and Conditions, check the box to signal you accept them, and select CONTINUE.

1 Personal Information 2 Contact Information 3 Challenge Questions 4 COMPLETE THIS STEP 5 Complete

Personal Information

Given Name:

Surname:

Username:

Challenge Questions:

Phone Number:

Mobile Number:

Home Address:

State of Birth:

Postal Security Number:

Contact Information


Challenge Questions

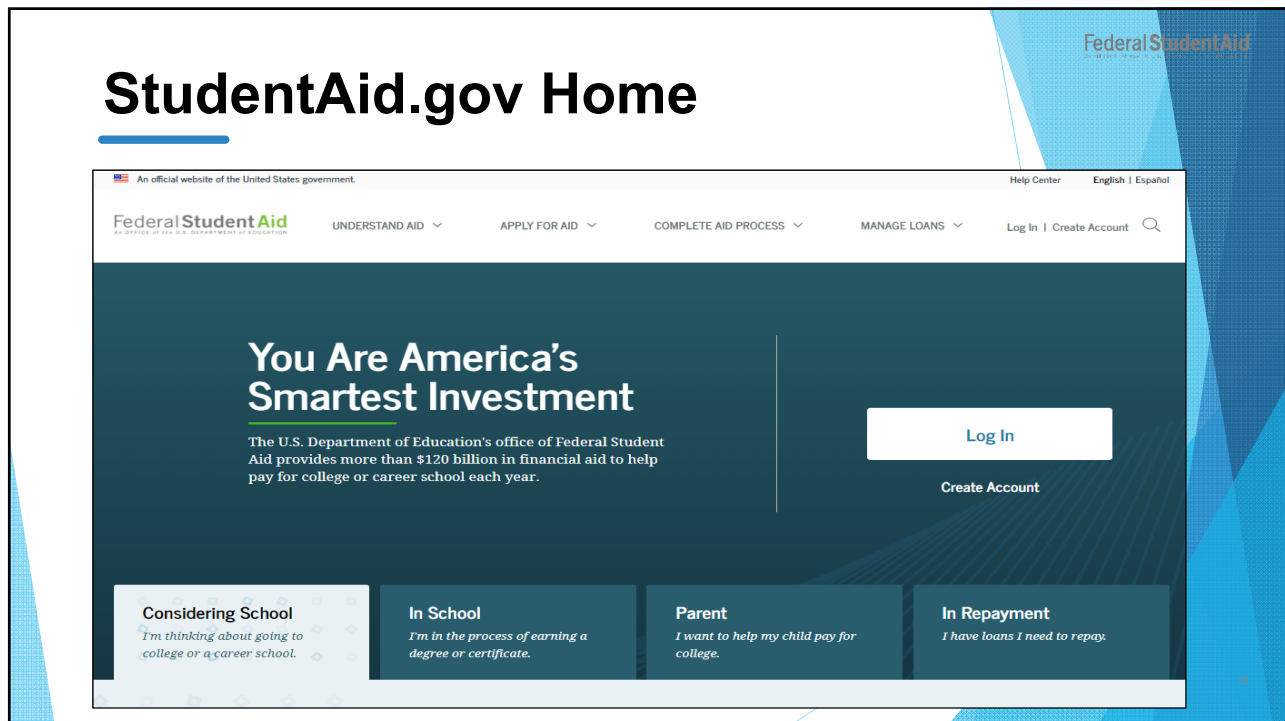
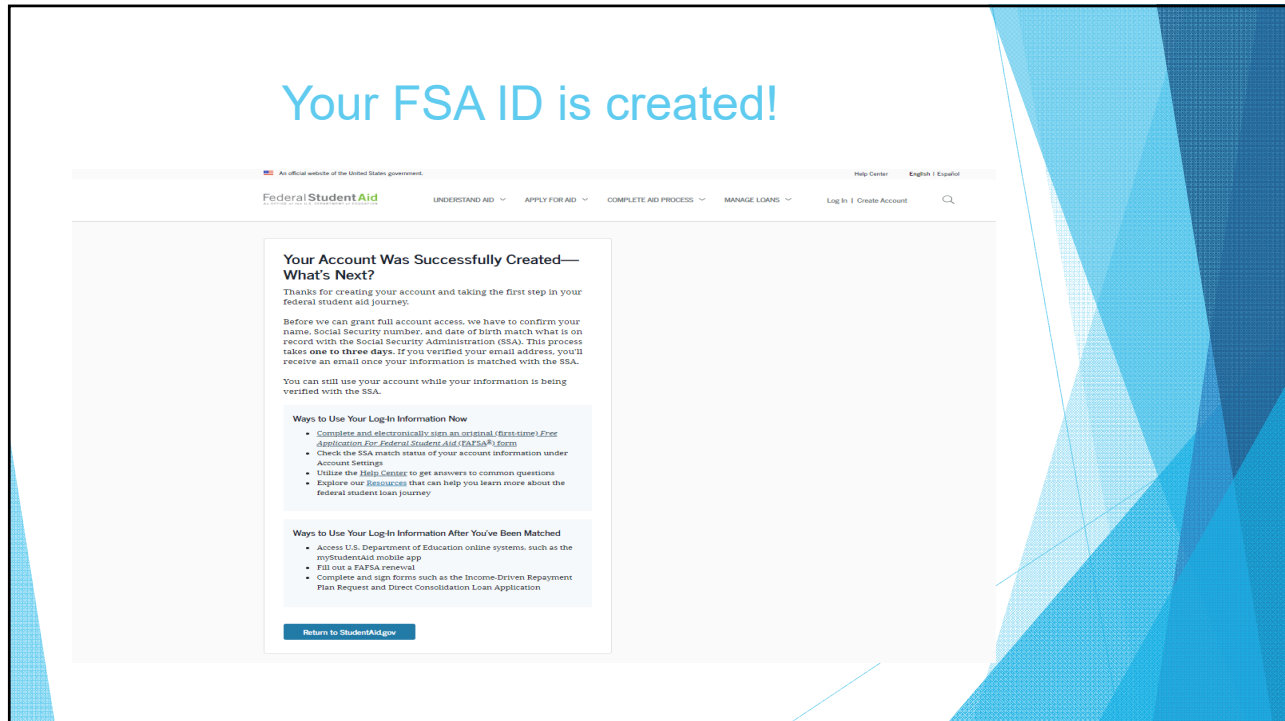
Terms and Conditions

I certify that the above information is correct and accept the terms and conditions.

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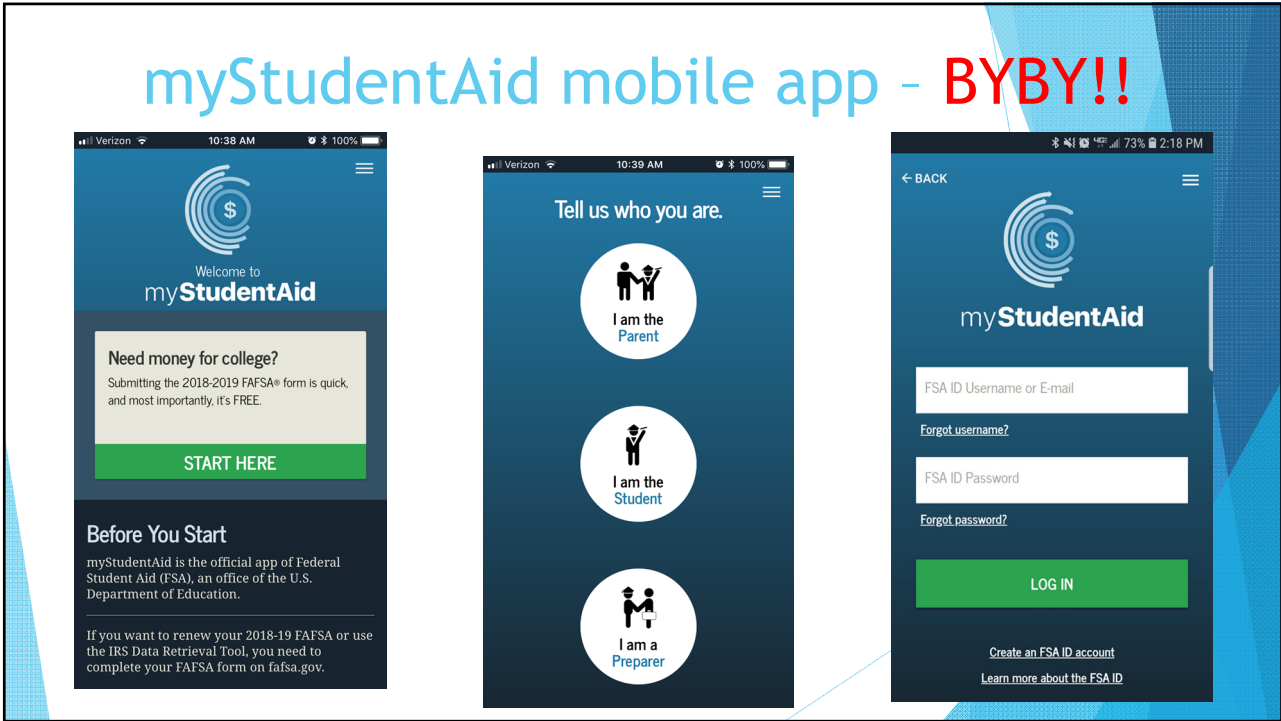
This screenshot shows the 'Apply for Aid' section of the Federal Student Aid website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'UNDERSTAND AID', 'APPLY FOR AID', 'COMPLETE AID PROCESS', and 'MANAGE LOANS'. Below this, a list of links is provided for various steps: 'Complete the FAFSA® Form', 'FAFSA Deadlines', 'Filling Out the FAFSA Form', 'Reviewing and Correcting Your FAFSA Form', 'Renewing Your FAFSA Form', 'Apply for a PLUS Loan', 'Apply for a Grad PLUS Loan', 'Apply for a Parent PLUS Loan', 'Endorse a PLUS Loan', 'Appeal a Credit Decision', and 'Complete PLUS Credit Counseling'. A central message states that the U.S. Department of Education's office of Federal Student Aid provides more than \$120 billion in financial aid annually. Below this, there are four user-focused categories: 'Considering School' (for those thinking about college or career school), 'In School' (for those earning a degree or certificate), 'Parent' (for those helping pay for college), and 'In Repayment' (for those with loans to repay). 'Log In' and 'Create Account' buttons are also visible.

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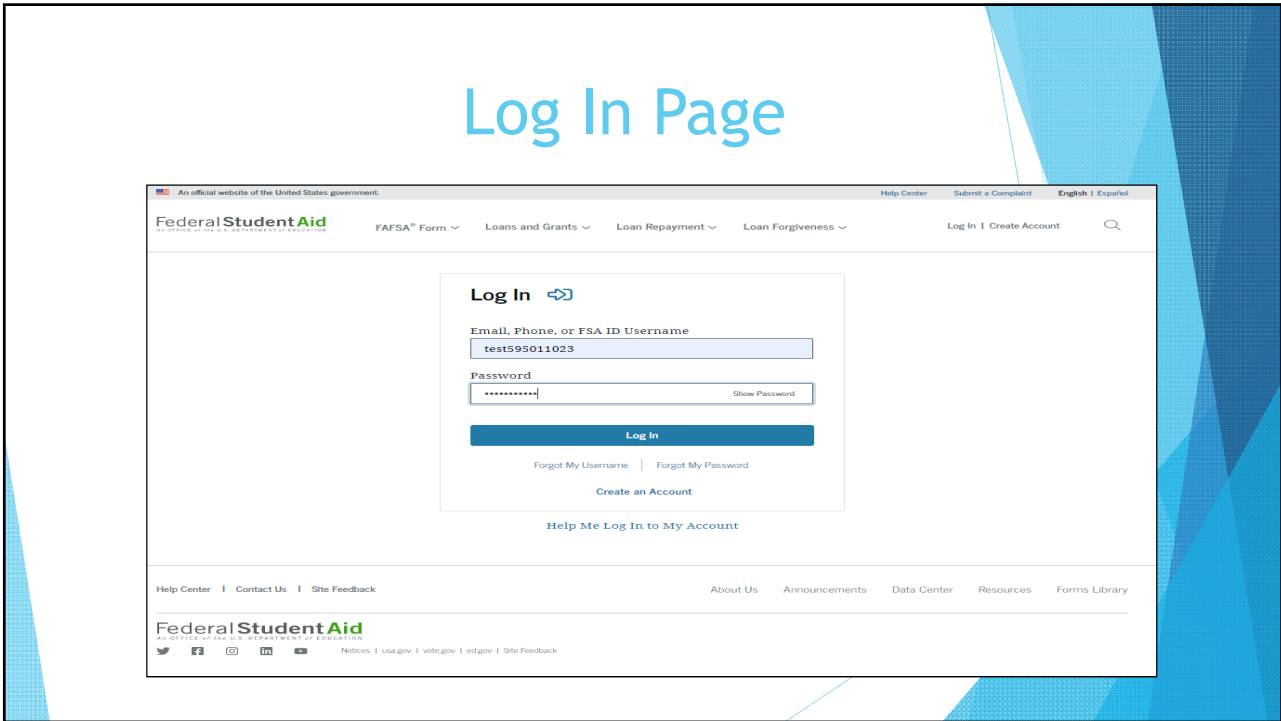
(studentaid.gov/fafsa)

This screenshot shows the home page of fafsa.gov. The main heading is 'Get Money to Pay for School', with a subtext explaining that users can use the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) form to apply for financial aid. Below this, there are buttons for 'Start a New Form' and 'Edit Existing Form' for the '2024-25 FAFSA Form'. A link is provided for those needing last year's form: 'Start or Edit a 2023-24 Form'. A section titled 'Check FAFSA® Deadlines for the State You Live In' includes dropdown menus for 'School Year' and 'State of Residence', along with 'Find Deadlines' and 'View All FAFSA Deadlines' buttons. At the bottom, three informational cards are displayed: 'Who Should Complete This?' (any student, regardless of income, who wants to be considered for federal, state, and school financial aid programs), 'How Long Will it Take?' (less than an hour, including gathering documents), and 'What Do I Need?' (Verified StudentAid.gov account, Social Security Number, Parent or spouse contributor email addresses, and Income and asset information).

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Log In Page





Role Selection

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Welcome, Raya,
to the FAFSA[®] Form

I am starting the FAFSA form as a

Student 

Parent 

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What is the FAFSA[®] form?

Use the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA[®]) form to apply for grants, scholarships, work-study funds, and loans for college or graduate school.

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Contributors to the FAFSA[®] Form

 **Parents or Spouses**
Your answers on the FAFSA form will determine if any contributors need to be identified. These contributors will complete their own sections of the form and are asked to provide personal and financial information, but will not become financially responsible for your education.

 **How to Invite**
Contributors will need to log in with their own FSA ID to provide their information. To invite a contributor to your FAFSA form, you'll need to provide their name, date of birth, Social Security number, and email address.

Information or Documents You May Need ^

You might need the following information or documents as you fill out the FAFSA form:

- Tax returns
- Records of child support received
- Current balances of cash, savings, and checking accounts
- Net worth of investments, businesses, and farms

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What To Expect

How long will this take? 1 hour

Every contributor must provide consent for you to be eligible for federal student aid. With your consent, we can obtain your federal tax information automatically from the IRS to help you complete the FAFSA[®] form. You can save the form and return to it later if you need more time.

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After Submitting the FAFSA® Form

After submission, you'll need to check on the status of your FAFSA® form and make corrections, if required.

- Your form will be processed in 1-3 days.
- You'll receive a FAFSA Submission Summary. It will include the Student Aid Index (SAI), a number used to determine federal student aid eligibility.
- Schools will use your SAI to create your financial aid offer that explains the types and amounts of aid they are offering you. Most schools will wait to send you an aid offer only after they accept you for admission.

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Personal Information for Student

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Student Identity Information

Review the information below and verify that it's correct before moving forward.

Name
Raya A. Tran

Date of Birth
05/05/1995

Social Security Number
•••••1234

Email Address
rayaatron@gmail.com

Mobile Phone Number
(555) 555-5555

To update this information for all federal student aid communications, go to Account Settings.

Student Address

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Permanent Mailing Address
Include apartment number.

12345 Sesame Street

City
New York

State
New York (NY)

Zip Code
67891

Country
United States of America (US)

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Student Residency and Eligibility????

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Student State of Legal Residence

State
New York (NY)

Date the Student Became a legal Resident
Month Year
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Student Provides Consent

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Provide Consent or Be Ineligible for Federal Student Aid

Summary

Your consent is needed to retrieve and disclose federal tax information (FTI). With your consent, we can obtain tax return information automatically from the IRS to help you complete the FAFSA* form. If you don't provide consent, you will not be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans. You must provide consent even if you didn't file a U.S. federal tax return or any tax return at all.

- Get your 2022 tax return information for the 2024-25 FAFSA form.
- Tax return information is required to complete the FAFSA form.
- FTI is used to determine your eligibility for federal student aid.

Under penalty of law, I certify that I am the individual associated with the FSA ID log-in credentials used to access the FAFSA form to provide the necessary approval and consent for the disclosure and use of my federal tax information (FTI) from the U.S. Department of the Treasury. By accepting below, I approve and consent to:

- The U.S. Department of Education to disclose my Social Security number, last name, and date of birth to the U.S. Department of the Treasury in order to obtain my FTI only for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and the amount of, federal student aid for myself or of others for which I participated and shared my FTI by a program authorized under subpart 1 of Part A, Part C, or Part D of Title IV of the *Higher Education Act of 1965*, as amended.
- The use of my FTI by U.S. Department of Education officials and contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6103(d)(13)), only for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and amount of, federal student aid for myself or of others for which I participated and shared my FTI by a program authorized under Title IV of the *Higher Education Act of 1965*, as amended.
- The U.S. Department of Education to redisclose my FTI received from the U.S. Department of the Treasury, pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 6103(d)(13)(D)(iii), which includes:
 - institutions of higher education participating in the federal student aid programs authorized under the *Higher Education Act of 1965*, as amended;
 - state higher education agencies; and
 - scholarship organizations designated prior to Dec. 19, 2019, by the Secretary of Education.
- The use of my FTI for the application, award, and administration of student aid awarded by the federal government, institutions of higher education, state higher education agencies, and designated scholarship organizations.
- The redisclosure of my FTI to any future 2024-25 FAFSA forms for which I elect to participate (e.g., if I elect to participate in my child's FAFSA form or to complete my own FAFSA form after participating in another FAFSA form). My FTI will be redisclosed to these additional applications upon my affirmation to participate. I understand that I may decline an invitation to participate, which will prevent the transfer of my FTI to that FAFSA form.

Student Provides Consent

By approving and consenting, I further understand:

- My approval and consent are a condition of my eligibility or of others for which I have participated and shared my FTI for federal student aid, even if I did not file a U.S. federal tax return.
- FTI received from the U.S. Department of Treasury will supersede any manually entered financial or income information on the FAFSA form.
- The U.S. Department of Education may request updated tax information from the U.S. Department of Treasury once consent is provided. If FTI has changed (e.g., amended tax return filed with revised FTI), then eligibility for and amounts of federal, state, and institutional financial aid may change.
- If I do not approve and consent to the disclosure of my FTI, the U.S. Department of Education will be unable to calculate my eligibility for federal student aid or the eligibility of others who have requested that I share my FTI on their FAFSA form.
- I am permitted to revoke my approval and consent for the disclosure and use of my FTI, as outlined herein, at [StudentAid.gov](https://studentaid.gov). However, by revoking such approval and consent, neither I nor other applicants for which I participated and shared my FTI will be eligible for future federal student aid and/or other financial aid program that used FTI to make determinations for eligibility of aid awarded by an institution of higher education, state higher education agency, or other designated scholarship organization.

Frequently Asked Questions

Who should provide consent? ⌵

If I'm married and didn't file a joint tax return with my current spouse, does my spouse have to provide consent for you to access their tax information? ⌵

What happens after I provide consent? ⌵

What happens if I revoke consent? ⌵

What happens if I decline consent? ⌵

Select "Approve" to consent to using your tax information to determine your eligibility for federal student aid. If you select "Decline," you will not be eligible for federal student aid.

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Personal Circumstances

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Your Personal Circumstances

Tell us about your marital status; your financial dependencies; your plans for college; and any other special circumstances that may impact your aid eligibility (including if you've been homeless or at risk of becoming so).

- This information can affect how much aid you're eligible to receive.
- Based on your answers, we may need to collect additional information from other people.

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Marital Status

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Student Marital Status

- Single (Never Married)
- Married (not Separated)
- Remarried
- Separated
- Divorced
- Widowed

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Student College or Career School Plans

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Student College or Career School Plans

When the student begins the 2024-25 school year, what will their college grade level be?

First Year (freshman)

Second Year (sophomore)

Other undergraduate (junior or senior)

College graduate, professional, or beyond (MBA, M.D., Ph.D., etc.)

When the student begins the 2024-25 school year, will they have their first bachelor's degree?

Yes No

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Student Personal Circumstances

Select all that apply:

The student is currently serving on active duty in the U.S. armed forces for purposes other than training.

The student is a veteran of the U.S. armed forces.

The student has children or other people (excluding their spouse) who live with them and receive more than half of their support from the student now and between July 1, 20XX and June 30, 20XX.

At any time since the student turned 13, they were an orphan (no living biological or adoptive parent).

At any time since the student turned 13, they were a ward of the court.

At any time since the student turned 13, they were in foster care.

The student is or was a legally emancipated minor, as determined by a court in their state of residence.

The student is or was in a legal guardianship with someone other than their parent or stepparent, as determined by a court in their state of residence.

None of these apply

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Student Other Circumstances

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Student Other Circumstances

At any time on or after July 1, 2023, was the student unaccompanied and either (1) homeless or (2) self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?

Yes No

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Student Unusual Circumstances

This information will help us evaluate the student's ability to pay for school.

Do unusual circumstances prevent the student from contacting their parents or would contacting their parents pose a risk to the student?

A person experiencing unusual circumstances may have:

- Left home due to an abusive or threatening environment;
- Been abandoned by or estranged from their parents, and have not been adopted;
- Been granted refugee or asylum status and are separated from their parents, or their parents are displaced in a foreign country;
- Been a victim of human trafficking;
- Been incarcerated, or their parents are incarcerated and contact with them would pose a risk to them; or
- Been otherwise unable to contact or locate their parents, and have not been adopted.

If their circumstances resulted in not having a safe, stable place to live, they may be considered a homeless youth and should review the answer to the previous question about being unaccompanied and homeless.

Yes No

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Student Dependency Status

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Student Dependency Status

Dependent Student
Based on your answers, you're a dependent student, and since we assume parents of dependent students will help pay for your education if they are able, we need information about their finances and backgrounds. This information is used to determine how much financial aid you're eligible to receive.

Apply for a Direct Unsubsidized Loan Only
Are the student's parents unwilling to provide their information, but the student doesn't have an unusual circumstance that prevents them from contacting or obtaining their parents' information?
Select "Yes" if the student wants a financial aid administrator at their school to determine their eligibility for a Direct Unsubsidized Loan only.

Yes No

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Tell Us About Your Parents

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Tell Us About Your Parents

On the FAFSA[®] form, your "Parent" is your legal (biological or adoptive) parent or stepparent who supports you financially.

Are your parents married to each other?

Yes No

You will need to provide information for your parents
Based on your answers in this section, you'll need to provide information about both of your parents on your FAFSA form. You can invite your parents to your form so they can complete their required sections.

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Student Invites Parents to FAFSA® Form

The screenshot shows the 'Invite Parents to your FAFSA Form' section of the FAFSA 2024-25 application. At the top, there is a progress bar with five steps: Personal Circumstances, Demographics, Financials, College, and Signature. The current step is 'Invite Parents to your FAFSA Form'. Below the progress bar, there is a blue box with the heading 'You will need to provide information for your parents' and a sub-heading 'Based on your answers in the previous section, you'll need to provide information about both of your parents on your FAFSA form. You can invite your family members to your form to help you complete all required sections.' Below this, there is a green box with the text 'Enter names of parents, identified on the prior page, and we'll send electronic requests on your behalf.' and a note 'Please make sure to provide information that your parents would use to login to StudentAid.gov.' There are two columns of input fields for 'Parent' and 'Parent Spouse (optional)'. Each column has fields for First Name, Last Name, and Date of Birth (Month, Day, Year). The 'Parent' fields are filled with 'Alcina' and 'Tran', and the date of birth is '05 / 05 / 1973'. The 'Parent Spouse' fields are empty.

The screenshot shows two side-by-side input sections for Social Security Number (SSN). Each section has a 'SHOW' or 'HIDE' button, a checkbox for 'My parent doesn't have a SSN', an 'Email Address' field (both containing 'alcinatran@school.edu'), and a 'Confirm Email Address' field (both containing 'alcinatran@school.edu'). Below each section is an 'Invite Parent' button. At the bottom of the entire section are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Dependent Student Demographics

The screenshot shows the 'Student Demographics' page of the FAFSA 2024-25 application. At the top, there is a header with 'FAFSA FORM 2024-25' and 'Student Raya Tran'. On the right, there are 'Save' and 'FAFSA Menu' buttons. The main heading is 'Student Demographics'. Below the heading, there is a blue box with the text 'We'll ask questions about you and your parent(s). Some of these questions will help determine how much federal student aid you may be eligible to receive for school.' To the right of this text is an illustration of three people: a woman in a yellow vest, a man in a white lab coat, and a man in a white chef's hat. At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Student Demographic Information

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Student Demographic Information

Questions Used for Research Purposes Only and Do Not Affect Federal Student Aid Eligibility

Your answers will not

- affect the student's eligibility for federal student aid.
- be used in any calculations, and
- be shared with the schools to which the student applies.

What is the student's gender?

Male

Female

Nonbinary or another gender

Prefer not to answer

Is the student transgender?

Yes

No

Prefer not to answer

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Student Demographic Information

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Student Race and Ethnicity

Questions Used for Research Purposes Only and Do Not Affect Federal Student Aid Eligibility

Your answers will not

- affect the student's eligibility for federal student aid.
- be used in any calculations, and
- be shared with the schools to which the student applies.

Is the student of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?

Select all that apply.

No, not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin

Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano

Yes, Puerto Rican

Yes, Cuban

Yes, another Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin

Prefer not to answer

Student Demographic Information

What is the student's race?
Select all that apply.

- White
- Black or African American
- Asian
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- Prefer not to answer

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Student Citizenship Status

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Student Citizenship Status

- U.S. citizen or national
- Eligible noncitizen
- Neither U.S. citizen nor eligible noncitizen

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Student's Parent Education Status

The screenshot shows the FAFSA 2024-25 form for student Raya Tran. The progress bar indicates the user is on step 2, 'Demographics'. The 'Parent Education Status' section asks, 'Did either of the student's parents attend college?'. There are three radio button options: 'Yes', 'No', and 'Don't know'. The 'No' option is selected. At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Student's Parent Killed in Line of Duty

The screenshot shows the FAFSA 2024-25 form for student Raya Tran. The progress bar indicates the user is on step 2, 'Demographics'. The 'Parent Killed in Line of Duty' section asks, 'Was the student's parent or guardian killed in the line of duty while (1) serving on active duty as a member of the Armed forces on or after September 11, 2001 or (2) performing official duties as a public safety officer?'. A note below the question states: 'Public safety officers include law enforcement officers, firefighters, and emergency service workers.' There are two radio button options: 'Yes' and 'No'. The 'No' option is selected. At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Student High School Completion Status

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Student High School Completion Status

What will the student's high school completion status be at the beginning of the 2024-25 school year?

- High school diploma
- State-recognized high school equivalent (e.g., GED certificate)
- Homeschooled
- None of the above

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Student High School Information

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High School Information

From what high school did or will the student graduate?

State
New York (NY)

City
Brooklyn

High School Name - optional
Brown HI

Brown High School

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High School Information

From what high school did or will the student graduate?

State
New York (NY)

City
Brooklyn

High School Name - optional
Brown High School

Brown High School
Brooklyn, New York (NY)

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Student Confirms High School

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Confirm Your High School

Take a look to verify that your high school information below is correct. Once you're ready, select "Continue" and well add this high school to your FAFSA.

High School Name Buena Vista High School Edit

City Lakewood

State California

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Dependent Student Financials

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Your Finances

The FAFSA form helps schools determine your ability to pay for college without financial aid, so we ask in this section if you receive any federal or state entitlement benefits and if you have any investments, real estates, or other assets.

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Student Tax Return Information

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Student 2022 Tax Return Information

Refer to the student's 2022 tax return to answer the following questions.
Convert all currency to U.S. dollars.

Amount of College Grants, Scholarships, or AmeriCorps Benefits Reported as Income to the IRS (optional)
The student paid taxes on these grants, scholarships, or benefits. These usually apply to those renewing their FAFSA[®] form, not to first-time applicants.

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Foreign Earned Income Exclusion

\$.00

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Student Assets

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Student Assets

Current Total of Cash, Savings, and Checking Accounts
Don't include student financial aid

\$.00

Current Net Worth of Businesses and Investment Farms
Enter the net worth of the student's businesses or for-profit agricultural operations. Net worth is the value of the businesses or farms minus any debts owed against them.

\$.00

Current Net Worth of Investments, Including Real Estate
Don't include the home the student lives in. Net worth is the value of the investments minus any debts owed against them.

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Student Select Colleges

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Your Colleges

In this section, you'll search for and select schools you're considering so they will automatically receive an electronic copy of your FAFSA form. You don't need to worry if you don't end up applying to them - there is nothing else you need to do.

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Student Select Colleges

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Where should we send your FAFSA?

Search for the colleges to which you'd like to send your FAFSA information. You can add up to 20 colleges to your FAFSA form.

0 of 20 Schools Selected View Selected Schools

Search by School Name Search by School Code

State: California (CA)

School Name: - optional

Search

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Rice University Burlington, California (CA)	Federal School Code B09773	+ Select
Rhodes College Centerville, California (CA)	Federal School Code E89235	+ Select
Smith College Lexington, California (CA)	Federal School Code G92383	+ Select
Macalester College Madison, California (CA)	Federal School Code O36412	+ Select
Wellesley College Springfield, California (CA)	Federal School Code F09983	Selected

Search and Select Schools

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4 of 20 schools have been selected Search and Select Schools

Student Selected Colleges

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Selected Colleges

These are the colleges you want to receive your FAFSA information

To change the position of a school in your list, use the up and down arrow buttons to the left of the school's name.

School list guidelines for Connecticut residents:
To be eligible for state grant aid in Connecticut, you must list an eligible in-state college within the first 2 positions. If you update your school choices later, please notify your state agency by sending an email to ifa@ctdhe.org

12 of 20 Schools Selected

Showing 1 to 10 of 12

1	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
2	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
3	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info

4	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
5	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
6	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
7	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
8	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
9	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info
10	University of California Northridge, CA	Federal School Code 003453	Remove	View Info

Search and Select Schools

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Student Review Page

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Take a moment to review before signing

Expand the sections below to review and edit the information you've entered before you sign your portion of the form.

Student Sections Expand All






- Introduction **Personal Identifiers** ⊖
- Section 1 **Personal Circumstances** ⊖
- Section 2 **Demographics** ⊖
- Section 3 **Financials** ⊖
- Section 4 **Colleges** ⊖
- Section 5 **Signature** ⊖

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Parent Contributor Section

This Section is Shared With 2 Contributors

Your FAFSA form is shared with the individuals listed below. You can request, manage, or remove signatures and contributions from this page or in your FAFSA form.

Parent Contributors	Date Request Sent	Status	Edit
 Alcina Tran	07/13/2024	 Invite Sent	
 Travis Tran	07/13/2024	 Invite Sent	

Student Signature

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Sign and Complete Your Part

Summary

This page confirms you understand the terms and conditions of the FAFSA form, and that you have filled it out accurately to the best of your ability.

The FAFSA form is a legal document you will electronically sign with your FSA ID. Because this is associated with your personal information, do not share it with anyone.

By signing this application electronically using your FSA ID (username and password) and/or any other credential or by signing a signature page and mailing it to us, YOU, THE STUDENT, certify that you

- will use federal and/or state student financial aid only to pay the cost of attending an institution of higher education,
- are not in default on a federal student loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
- do not owe money back on a federal student grant or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
- will notify your school if you default on a federal student loan, and
- will not receive a Federal Pell Grant from more than one school for the same period of time.

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Student Signature

By signing this application electronically using your username and password, and/or any other credential or by signing a signature page and mailing it to us, you certify that all of the information you provided is true and complete to the best of your knowledge and you agree, if asked to provide

- information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form, and
- U.S. or state income tax forms that you filed or are required to file.

You also certify that you understand that the secretary of education has the authority to verify information reported on your application with the Internal Revenue Service and other federal agencies.

If you sign this application or any document related to the federal student aid programs electronically using a username and password, and/or any other credential, you certify that you are the person identified by the username and password, and/or any other credential and have not disclosed that username and password, and/or any other credential to anyone else. If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined up to \$20,000, sent to prison, or both.


Sign Your FAFSA Form


I, Raya Tran, agree to the terms outlined above

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Student Section Complete

Here's What You Can Do Next


 **Check Your Email**
You will receive an email version of this page at the following email address:
rayaatran@gmail.com.

 **Your FAFSA® Form Still Needs Contributor Information**
The contributor(s) you selected will receive an email invitation to join your form every seven days until the application is complete.

Things You Should Know

 **View Your FAFSA® Submission Summary**

Once your application is complete and submitted, you can view your FAFSA Submission Summary, a summary of the information you provided on your FAFSA form. You'll be able to access the FAFSA Submission Summary one to three days after you submit your application by logging back in with your account username and password (FSA ID).

 **Questions About Your Eligibility For Aid?**

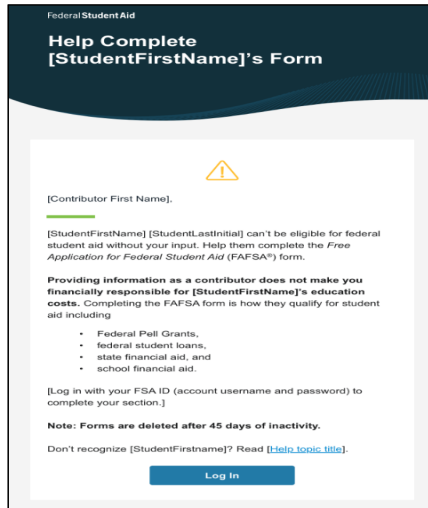
Visit the "FAFSA Help" page for more information.

[Get Help >](#)

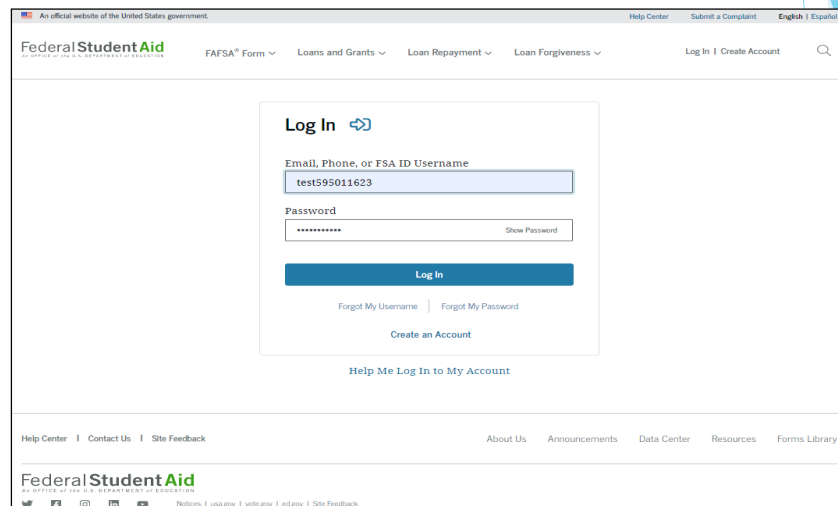
We strongly recommend that your parent(s) complete their own section. If that isn't possible, you can manually provide their information, but you will not be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans, until they provide consent and sign the form.

[Provide Parent Information Manually >](#)

Student's Parent Email



Student's Parent Log In



Parent Status Center – My Activity

An official website of the United States government. Federal Student Aid

FAFSA | Loans & Grants | Repayment | Loan Forgiveness

My Activity

Currently Active

You have been requested to be a Contributor on a FAFSA for Raya Tran. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form helps students apply for federal grants, work-study, and loans.

Decline Invitation | **Get Started**

Borrower Defense Case #07688447
 Action Required | Last Updated: 06/27/2022

PSLF Application
 Action Required | Last Updated: 06/22/2022 | The Peace Corps

Student's Parent Contributing to the FAFSA®

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Parent Contributing to the FAFSA® Form

You have entered Raya Tran's FAFSA form.

- This FAFSA form can't be submitted for processing until you provide some required personal and financial information.
- You can save this form and come back to it later.

Frequently Asked Questions

Why have I been invited to contribute to this FAFSA® form?

You have been invited to the student's form to provide personal and financial information that will help determine their eligibility for federal student aid.

Answers on the student's FAFSA form have indicated that you will need to provide additional information as a contributor to help determine their eligibility for federal student aid.

Does contributing to the form mean I'm responsible to pay for college?

No! Providing your consent and personal and financial information doesn't make you financially responsible for the student's education costs.

What do I need to complete my section(s)?

You may need the following documents or information: your tax returns; records of child support received; current balances of cash, savings, and checking accounts; and net worth of investments, businesses, and farms.

What kind of information will I be asked to provide?

You'll need to provide consent for the student to be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans. With your consent, we can obtain your federal tax information automatically from the IRS to help you complete your section of the student's FAFSA form. You'll also need to provide personal and financial information.

What happens after I complete my sections?

After you submit your required sections and the student's FAFSA form is processed, the student will receive a FAFSA Submission Summary. It will include the Student Aid Index (SAI), a number used to determine federal student aid eligibility. Schools will use the SAI to create a financial aid offer that explains the types and amounts of aid they are offering the student.

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Student's Parent Onboarding (first time)


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Understanding the FAFSA[®] Form

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What is the FAFSA[®] form?

Use the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA[®]) form to apply for grants, scholarships, work-study funds, and loans for college or graduate school.



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Contributors to the FAFSA[®] Form



Parents or Spouses

Answers to the FAFSA form will determine if any contributors need to be identified. These contributors will complete their own sections of the form and are asked to provide personal and financial information, but will not become financially responsible for the student's education.



How to Invite

Contributors will need to log in with their own FSA ID to provide their information. To invite a contributor to a FAFSA form, you'll need to provide their name, date of birth, Social Security number, and email address.

Information or Documents You May Need ^

You might need the following information or documents as you fill out the FAFSA form:

- Tax returns
- Records of child support received
- Current balances of cash, savings, and checking accounts
- Net worth of investments, businesses, and farms

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What to Expect

How long will this take? 1 hour

Every contributor must provide consent for the student to be eligible for federal student aid. With your consent, we can obtain your federal tax information automatically from the IRS to help you complete your section of the student's FAFSA[®] form. You can save the form and return to it later if you need more time.

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After Submitting the FAFSA[®] Form

Once the student's FAFSA[®] form is submitted, the student will need to check on its status and make corrections, if required.

- The student's form will be processed in 1-3 days.
- The student will receive a FAFSA Submission Summary. It will include their Student Aid Index (SAI), a number used to determine federal student aid eligibility.
- Schools will use the student's SAI to create their financial aid offer that explains the types and amounts of aid they are offering to the student. Most schools will wait to send the student an aid offer only after they are accepted for admission.

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Student's Parent Identity Information

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Parent Identity Information

Review the information below and verify that it's correct before moving forward.

Name
Alcina Tran

Date of Birth
05/05/1973

Social Security Number
***-1234

Email Address
alcinatran@school.edu

Mobile Phone Number
(555) 555-5555

To update this information for all federal student aid communications, go to Account Settings.

Student's Parent Identity Information

Permanent Mailing Address

Include apartment number.

12345 Sesame Street

City
New York

State
New York (NY)

Zip Code
67891

Country
United States of America (US)

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Student's Parent Provides Consent

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Provide Consent or the Student Will Be Ineligible for Federal Student Aid

Summary
 Your consent is needed to retrieve and disclose federal tax information (FTI). With your consent, we can obtain tax return information automatically from the IRS to help you complete your section of the student's FAFSA form. If you don't provide consent, the student will not be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans. You must provide consent even if you didn't file a U.S. federal tax return or any tax return at all.

- Get your 2022 tax return information for the 2024-25 FAFSA form.
- FTI is used to determine the student's eligibility for federal student aid.
- Tax return information is required to complete the FAFSA form.

Under penalty of law, I certify that I am the individual associated with the FSA ID log-in credentials used to access the FAFSA form to provide the necessary approval and consent for the disclosure and use of my federal tax information (FTI) from the U.S. Department of the Treasury. By accepting below, I approve and consent to:

- The U.S. Department of Education to disclose my Social Security number, last name, and date of birth to the U.S. Department of the Treasury in order to obtain my FTI only for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and the amount of, federal student aid for myself or of others for which I participated and shared my FTI by a program authorized under subpart 1 of Part A, Part C, or Part D of Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.
- The use of my FTI by U.S. Department of Education officials and contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6109(d)(13)), only for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and amount of, federal student aid for myself or of others for which I participated and shared my FTI by a program authorized under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.
- The U.S. Department of Education to redisclose my FTI received from the U.S. Department of the Treasury, pursuant to 26 U.S.C. 6109(d)(13)(D)(ii), which includes:
 - institutions of higher education participating in the federal student aid programs authorized under the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended;
 - state higher education agencies; and
 - scholarship organizations designated prior to Dec. 19, 2019, by the Secretary of Education.
- The use of my FTI for the application, award, and administration of student aid awarded by the federal government, institutions of higher education, state higher education agencies, and designated scholarship organizations.
- The redisclosure of my FTI to any future 2024-25 FAFSA forms for which I elect to participate (e.g., if I elect to participate in my child's FAFSA form or to complete my own FAFSA form after participating in another FAFSA form). My FTI will be redisclosed to these additional applications upon my affirmation to participate. I understand that I may decline an invitation to participate, which will prevent the transfer of my FTI to that FAFSA form.

Student's Parent Provides Consent

By approving and consenting, I further understand:

- My approval and consent are a condition of my eligibility or of others for which I have participated and shared my FTI for federal student aid, even if I did not file a U.S. federal tax return.
- FTI received from the U.S. Department of Treasury will supersede any manually entered financial or income information on the FAFSA form.
- The U.S. Department of Education may request updated tax information from the U.S. Department of Treasury once consent is provided. If FTI has changed (e.g., amended tax return filed with revised FTI), then eligibility for and amounts of federal, state, and institutional financial aid may change.
- If I do not approve and consent to the disclosure of my FTI, the U.S. Department of Education will be unable to calculate my eligibility for federal student aid or the eligibility of others who have requested that I share my FTI on their FAFSA form.
- I am permitted to revoke my approval and consent for the disclosure and use of my FTI as outlined herein, at StudentAid.gov. However, by revoking such approval and consent, neither I nor other applicants for which I participated and shared my FTI will be eligible for future federal student aid and/or other financial aid program that used FTI to make determinations for eligibility of aid awarded by an institution of higher education, state higher education agency, or other designated scholarship organization.

Frequently Asked Questions

- Who should provide consent?
- If I'm married and didn't file a joint tax return with my current spouse, does my spouse have to provide consent for you to access their tax information?
- What happens after I provide consent?
- What happens if I revoke consent?
- What happens if I decline consent?

Select "Approve" to consent to using your tax information to determine the student's eligibility for federal student aid. If you select "Decline," the student will not be eligible for federal student aid.

Dependent Student's Parent Demographics

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Demographics About You

We'll ask about your marital status, college students in your household, and legal residence.

→ This is because most dependent students receive support from their parents, and this affects how much they're able to pay for school.

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Student's Parent Current Marital Status

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Parent Current Marital Status

Single (Never Married)

Unmarried and both legal parents living together

Married (not Separated)

Remarried

Separated

Divorced

Widowed

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Dependent Student's Parent Financials

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Your Finances

The FAFSA form helps schools determine the student's ability to pay for college without financial aid, so we ask in this section if you receive any federal or state entitlement benefits and if you have any investments, real estates, or other assets.

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Student's Parent Federal Benefits

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Federal Benefits Received

Questions Don't Affect Federal Student Aid Eligibility
Your answers to these questions will not affect the student's eligibility for federal student aid or these federal benefits.

At any time during 2022 or 2023, did the parent or anyone in their family receive benefits from any of the following federal programs? Select all that apply.

- Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)
- Federal Housing Assistance
- Free or Reduced Price School Lunch
- Medicaid
- Refundable Credit for Coverage Under a Qualified Health Plan (QHP)
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
- None of these apply.

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Student's Parent Tax Filing Status

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Parent Tax Filing Status

Did or will the parent file a 2022 joint tax return with their current spouse?

Yes No

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Student's Parent Family Size

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Family Size

Is the parent's family size different from the number of individuals claimed on their 2022 tax return?

Yes No

The parent's family size is **3**
Parent: 1 Other Parent: 1 Student: 1 Parent's Children and Other Dependents: 1

Enter the number of children or other dependents who live with the parent and will receive more than half of their support from the parent between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025?
Do not include the student applicant.

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Student's Parent Number in College

The screenshot shows the FAFSA 2024-25 interface for a parent of Raya Tran. The progress bar indicates the user is on the 'Financials' step (2 of 3). The question is 'Number in College' with the text: 'How many people in the parent's family will be in college between July 1, 2024, and June 30, 2025? Do not include the parent.' A text input field contains the number '1'. There are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons at the bottom.

Student's Parent Tax Return Information

The screenshot shows the 'Parent 2022 Tax Return Information' section of the FAFSA 2024-25 form. It includes the following questions and input fields:

- Parent 2022 Tax Return Information**
Refer to the parent's 2022 tax return to answer the following questions.
Convert all currency to U.S. dollars.
- Did the parent receive the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)?
 Yes
 No
 Don't know
- Amount of College Grants, Scholarships, or AmeriCorps Benefits Reported as Income to the IRS (optional)
The parent paid taxes on these grants, scholarships, or benefits. These usually apply to those renewing their FAFSA® form, not to first-time applicants.
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- Foreign Earned Income Exclusion
\$.00

There are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons at the bottom.

Student's Parent Assets

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Demographics Financials Signature

Annual Child Support Received
Enter total amount received in child support for the last complete calendar year.

\$ 0 .00

Parent Assets

Current Total of Cash, Savings, and Checking Accounts
Don't include student financial aid.

\$ 10,000 .00

Current Net Worth of Businesses and Investment Farms
Enter the net worth of your businesses or for-profit agricultural operations. Net worth is the value of your businesses or farms minus any debts owed against them.

\$ 0 .00

Current Net Worth of Investments, Including Real Estate
Don't include the home you live in. Net worth is the value of your investments minus any debts owed against them.

\$ 5,000 .00

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Student's Other Parent Information

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Other Parent's Information
Enter the following information about the other parent.

Other Parent

First Name
Travis

Last Name
Tran

Date of Birth
Month Day Year
02 01 1970

Social Security Number (SSN)
***** Show

Email Address
travistran@gmail.com

Confirm Email Address
travistran@gmail.com

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Student's Parent Review Page

The screenshot shows the FAFSA 2024-25 Parent Contributor Sections review page. At the top, it says 'Take a moment to review before signing' and 'Expand the sections below to review and edit the information you've entered before you sign your portion of the form.' Below this is a list of sections: Introduction, Personal Identifiers, Section 1 Demographics, Section 2 Financials, and Section 3 Signature. Each section has a dropdown arrow. At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Student's Parent Signature

The screenshot shows the FAFSA 2024-25 Sign and Complete Your Section page. It features a progress bar at the top with 'Demographics', 'Financials', and 'Signature' steps. The main content is titled 'Sign and Complete Your Section' and includes a 'Summary' box with the following text: 'This page confirms that you understand the terms and conditions of the FAFSA* form and filled out the form accurately to the best of your ability. The FAFSA form is a legal document you will electronically sign with your account username and password (FSA ID). Because your FSA ID is associated with your personal information, do not share it with anyone.' Below this, it states: 'By signing the student's application electronically using your account username and password, YOU, THE PARENT, certify that all of the information you provided is true and complete to the best of your knowledge and you agree, if asked, to provide' followed by a list: '• information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form, and • U.S. or foreign income tax forms that you filed or are required to file.' It then says: 'You also certify that you understand that the Secretary of Education has the authority to verify information reported on your application. If you sign this application or any document related to the federal student aid programs electronically using a username and password, and/or any other credential, you certify that you are the person identified by the username and password, and/or any other credential and have not disclosed that username and password, and/or any other credential to anyone else. If you purposefully give false or misleading information, including applying as an independent student without meeting the unusual circumstances required to qualify for such a status, you may be subject to criminal penalties under 20 U.S.C. 1097, which may include a fine up to \$20,000, imprisonment, or both.' At the bottom, there is a checkbox labeled 'I, Alcina Tran, agree to the terms outlined above.' which is checked. There are 'Cancel' and 'Sign and Submit' buttons at the bottom.

FAFSA® Confirmation

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Congratulations, the FAFSA® Form Is Complete!

Raya Tran
Completion Date: 10/12/2024

What Happens Next

- Email sent**
Confirm that the student received an email version of this page.
- The Student Will Receive Notification of Processing**
In one to three days, the student will receive a notification by email that their FAFSA form was processed and sent to the student's schools.
- The Student Will Receive School Communications**
We use the information collected on the student's FAFSA form to calculate their Student Aid Index (SAI). The SAI lets schools determine how much aid the student is eligible to receive. Schools will reach out to the student if they need more information. They will also contact the student with financial aid offers. Once received, the student can contact their financial aid offices directly to ask questions about their student aid packages.

Track and Manage the Student's FAFSA® Form
You can check the status of the student's application in the "My Activity" section of your StudentAid.gov account. We will let you know if we need anything more from you. [View Status](#)

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Student Raya Tran	Application Received Sept. 10, 2024	Application Processed Sept. 12, 2024	Data Release Number ⓘ 2572	Viewing: Submission 1 ⓘ
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Eligibility Overview

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Estimated Federal Student Aid

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[Learn more about financial aid](#)

 **Keep in mind, this is only an estimate**

Always refer to your school's financial aid offer for a final determination of financial aid available.

Federal Student Aid

Your Student Aid Index (SAI)

Your SAI is a number used by your school to determine your federal student aid eligibility and to build your financial aid offer

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Your FAFSA® Form Answers
Review your responses carefully and make sure all the information you provided is correct. Start a correction to fix any errors and ensure that your form is processed correctly. [Make a Correction](#)

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School Information

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Find an Affordable School
 Many schools offer the opportunity to attend college affordably. Learn about the costs and benefits associated with the schools you listed on your form.

Learn More on College Scorecard [↗](#) Showing results for family income between **\$0-\$30,000** [▼](#)

School Name	Graduation Rate ?	Retention Rate ?	Transfer Rate ?	Default Rate ?	Median Debt Upon Completion ?	Average Annual Cost ?
George Washington University	15%	89%	26%	64%	\$56,000	\$102,000
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	26%	76%	25%	34%	\$24,000	\$38,000
University of California, North Ridge	55%	65%	35%	15%	\$19,000	\$24,000

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- 1 Correct any errors on your FAFSA® form [↻](#)
- 2 Make sure your schools have everything they need [↻](#)
- 3 Look out for aid-related communications from your schools [↻](#)

For Your Awareness

- VA Education and Training Benefits help veterans, service members, and their family members with needs like paying college tuition or finding the right school.
- Based on the information we have on record for you, your Student Aid Index (SAI) is 123,456,789. You may be eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant and other federal student aid. Your college's or career school's financial aid office will use your SAI to determine your eligibility for other types of grants, scholarships, work-study funds, and loans
- The limit to the total amount of Federal Pell Grants that a student may receive is the equivalent of six school years. Once you've reached that limit, you can no longer receive a Federal Pell Grant.

Understand Your Tax Benefits

Did you know that the IRS provides tax benefits for education? These tax benefits can be used to get back some of the money you spend on tuition or loan interest, or to maximize your college savings.

[Learn About Tax Benefits](#)

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View All of Your Federal Student Aid in One Place


View detailed information about your federal loan and grant aid, including your enrollment history, payment history, and subsidized usage.

[Visit Aid Summary](#)

Find the Right College or Career School

Use the College Scorecard to compare schools by size, location, graduation rate, and more.

[Visit College Scorecard](#)



What happens after I file the FAFSA?

- ▶ **Apply for Admission!!**
- ▶ **Email** notification of official results sent to **STUDENT** (FAFSA Submission Summary or FSS)
- ▶ **Review** your FSS comments and results. *Make necessary corrections.*
- ▶ Information sent to colleges
- ▶ Work with schools to complete any **additional documentation**
- ▶ Receive **financial aid award notification**
- ▶ Student Accepts or declines awards

Special (PJ) & Unusual (DO) Circumstances

- ▶ Conditions exist that cannot be documented with the FAFSA
- ▶ Contact your College for guidance on what steps you will need to follow
- ▶ College will review and request additional information if necessary
- ▶ Decisions are final and cannot be appealed to U.S. Department of Education

Common Mistakes

- ▶ Using commas or decimals; round to the nearest dollar
- ▶ Using the wrong Social Security Number (SSN)
- ▶ Does not use the name as it appears on the Social Security Card
- ▶ Students think that their parents are their “Legal Guardians”
- ▶ Changing the amounts after it was successfully transferred
- ▶ Not using the correct marital status; use the marital status as of the day the FAFSA is completed
- ▶ Not listing a School Code
- ▶ Not signing

Questions????

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