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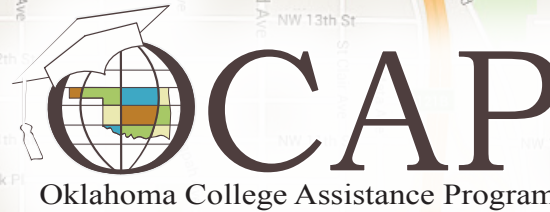
Finish the FAFSA in Five Steps

Helpful Resources

UCanGo2.org
Visit UCanGo2.org or StartWithFAFSA.org for helpful tools and information about planning and paying for education after high school. Contact us at UCanGo2@ocap.org or 866.443.7420.

FAFSA.gov
Complete and submit the FAFSA at FAFSA.gov.

FSAID.ed.gov
Create a Federal Student Aid ID (FSA ID) once and reuse it each year to complete the FAFSA online.

Financial Aid Office
Contact your college's financial aid office if you have questions or need to follow up after you've submitted the FAFSA.

ReadySetRepay.org
Visit ReadySetRepay.org to learn about making smart borrowing decisions and strategies for successful student loan repayment.

OKcollegestart.org
Visit OKcollegestart.org to find useful financial aid planning information and tools to calculate costs and build your financial aid plan.

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2. Create an FSA ID

- The FSA ID is your username and password
- Use your FSA ID to electronically sign your FAFSA and your student loan applications, make corrections on your form and more
- Go to fsaid.ed.gov to sign up
- Save your FSA ID to use again next year
- If you're a dependent student, your parent(s) will also need an FSA ID

4. Sign & Submit

- Print a copy of your answers from the **Sign and Submit** page and review for errors
- Enter your FSA ID to serve as your electronic signature
- Don't forget to click **SUBMIT** at the bottom of the screen
- Review your confirmation page for information about the schools you've selected and an estimate of your financial aid eligibility

The FAFSA is available after **Oct. 1** each year and must be completed to receive federal and state aid.

1. Gather Materials

- Social Security card
- Driver's license
- W2 forms and tax returns specified on the FAFSA
- Current bank statements
- Determine your dependency status at StartWithFAFSA.org/Resources
- If you're a dependent student, you'll also need your parent(s)' information

3. Fill It Out

- Apply online at FAFSA.gov for quicker processing time and to save your information for next year
- Enter student and parent names as shown on Social Security cards
- Send your FAFSA results to up to 10 schools
- Read about the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on FAFSA.gov to learn how to automatically transfer tax data to your application

5. Follow Up

- Watch your email for a Student Aid Report (SAR) and information from the schools who've received your FAFSA results
- Provide any other necessary documentation that may be required by your school, such as your signed award letter, and be sure to follow up with the financial aid office if you have additional questions