

FAFSA Checklist

Before you apply for Financial Aid

- ☐ Research colleges that interest you
- ☐ Apply for admissions
- ☐ File yours and your parents' taxes

When applying for FAFSA you will need

- ☐ Your Social Security Card or Permanent Resident Card
- ☐ 2020 tax returns for you and your parents
- ☐ 2020 untaxed income records
- ☐ 2020 W-2 forms for you and your parents
- ☐ Bank Statements
- ☐ Driver's License
- ☐ Current business, investment farm, and stock/bond records

Apply for the FAFSA at fafsa.gov

Go to fsaid.ed.gov if you need to create an FSID

*Both students and parents will need to create an FSID for the first time filling out the FAFSA

- ☐ After you have filed, follow up!
- ☐ Make sure you complete any additional paperwork required by your school
- ☐ Check your student aid report and make any corrections or updates
- ☐ Accept your financial aid reward through the college you choose to attend