

# **FAFSA 2025-2026**

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# Things needed for new Students

- Creation of FSAID account (students and parents)
- FAFSA online completion
- Submission of COMAFA & required documents
  - Working parents – 2023 wage & tax
  - Copy of birth certificate or passport
  - Copy of state ID or drivers' license



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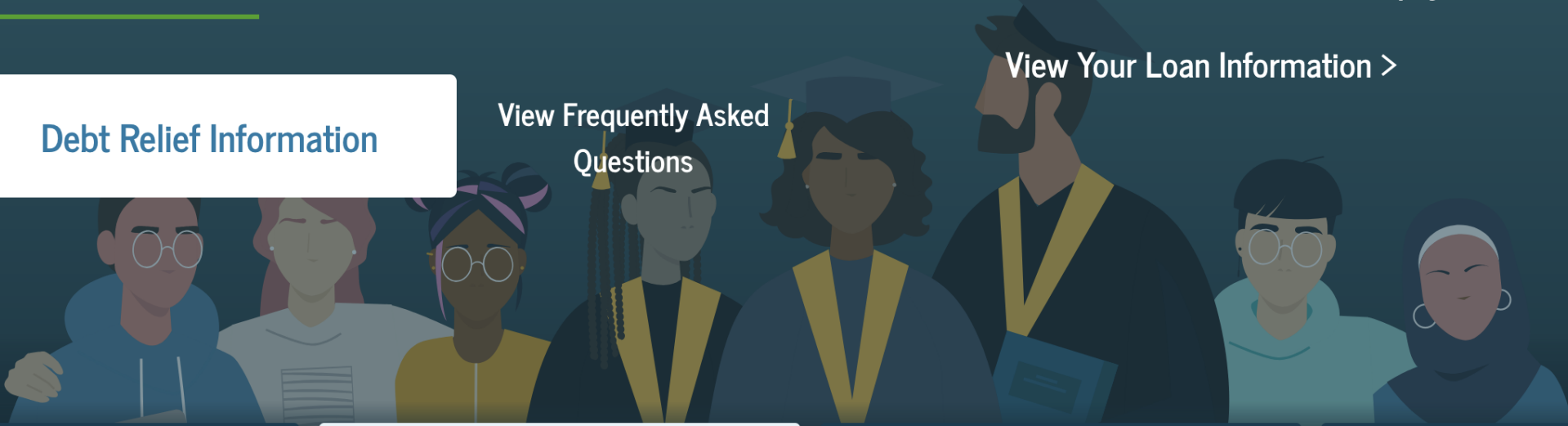
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## Two-Step Verification

You have the following two-step verification methods enabled. Select one to complete verification.



### Email Verification

ye\*\*\*\*\*@gmail.com

Send Code

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# Two-Step Verification



## Enter Secure Code

Enter the secure code we sent your email:  
ye\*\*\*\*\*@gmail.com

Enter the secure code below

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# START FILLING OUT FAFSA ONLINE

- Log In to your FSAID Account
- Remember your FSAID username or email address
- Remember your FSAID password

**Important:** You are required to verify your information and agree to our terms and conditions before you continue.

### Contact Information

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Country



UNITED STATES

### Communication Preferences

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REQUIRED COMMUNICATIONS

Email

INFORMATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS

Email

PREFERRED LANGUAGE

English



I agree to Federal Student Aid's terms and conditions.

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## Confirm Your Information


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### Verify Your Contact Information

You must verify the contact method(s) below to proceed.

#### Required Verifications:

	Mobile Phone Number <span>✓ VERIFIED</span>
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	Email Address <span>✓ VERIFIED</span>
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What is the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form?

Use the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA<sup>®</sup>) 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 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.

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## What To Expect

How long will this take? ⌚ 1 hour

Every contributor must provide consent and approval for you to be eligible for federal student aid. With your consent and approval, 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.

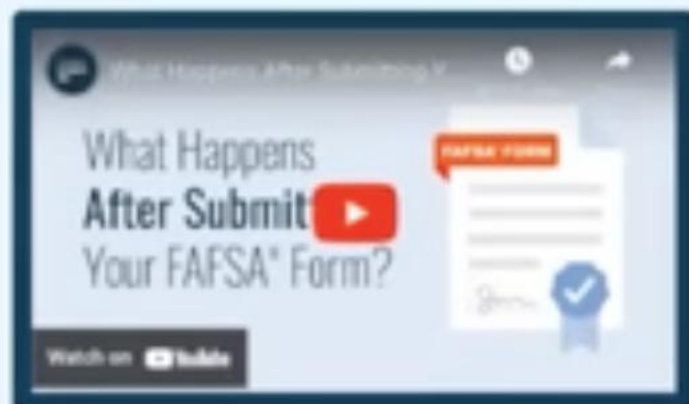


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## After Submitting the FAFSA® form

After completing the FAFSA® form, you will receive a confirmation with preliminary information related to your eligibility for federal student aid.



- The schools you selected will receive your FAFSA eligibility information in late January. You will receive an email to let you know when this information has been sent to your selected schools.
- You will receive an email when your official Student Aid Index (SAI) is available. To review your SAI, log into StudentAid.gov with your username and password (PSA ID). Your official SAI is a number used to determine federal aid eligibility.
- Schools will use your official SAI to create your financial aid offer that explains the types and amounts of aid they are offering you. You should begin to receive your personalized aid information from the schools you've been accepted to several weeks after they receive your FAFSA information.

## Student Identity Information

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

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@gmail.com

*For all U.S. Department of Education communications, go to [Account Settings](#).*

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## Student State of Legal Residence

State ⓘ

New Jersey (NJ)

Date the Student Became a Legal Resident of New Jersey (NJ)

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## Provide Consent and Approval or Be Ineligible for Federal Student Aid <sup>①</sup>

### Summary

Your consent and approval is needed to retrieve and disclose federal tax information. With your consent and approval, we can obtain tax return information automatically from the IRS to help you complete the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form. If you don't provide consent and approval, you will not be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans. You must provide consent and approval 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.

→ Federal tax information is used to determine your eligibility for federal student aid.

→ Tax return information is required to complete the FAFSA form.

By accepting below, I consent to the disclosure of information about me, as described below, and further affirmatively approve of the receipt and use of my federal tax information and to the U.S. Department of Education's (ED) redisclosure of my federal tax information, as described below. By accepting below, I consent to and affirmatively approve of, as applicable, the following:

1. ED may disclose my Social Security number (SSN)/ Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN), last name, date of birth, unique identifier, the tax year for which federal tax information is required, and the date and timestamp of my approval for the use of my federal tax information in determining eligibility by ED for which approval is provided to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service (IRS). I understand that in response to such a request from ED, the IRS shall then disclose my federal tax information to "authorized persons" (i.e., specifically designated officers and employees of ED and its contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6103(d)(1)(E)) for the purpose of determining eligibility for, and the amount of, federal student aid under 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, for myself or an applicant for federal student aid who has requested that I share my federal tax information on their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA<sup>®</sup>) form.

2. Authorized persons at ED and its contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6103(d)(1)(E)) may use my federal tax information for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and amount of, federal student aid under 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, for myself or an applicant for federal student aid who has requested that I share my federal tax information on their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA<sup>®</sup>) form.

under false pretenses is a criminal offense under the Privacy Act of 1974, subject to a fine of not more than \$5,000 fine (5 U.S.C. § 552a)(0030). By accepting and submitting my part of the TAFSA, my execution (including date and time) of consent and approval will be logged in ED's Person Authentication Service (PAS) System of Record (18-11-12).

### Frequently Asked Questions

Who should provide consent and approval?



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



What happens after I provide consent and approval?



What happens if I decline consent and approval?



*Select "Approve" to consent and approve to using your federal 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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Approve

## Your Personal Circumstances

We'll ask you questions that help us determine your eligibility for federal student aid. This information can affect the types of federal student aid you're eligible to receive.

- Sometimes we need to collect information from other people after we review your answers. We'll let you know if this is the case.



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### Student Current Marital Status ⓘ

Single (never married)

Married (not separated)

Remarried

Separated

Divorced

Widowed

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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 and beyond)

Master's, doctorate, or graduate certificate program (such as MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, etc.)

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

Yes

No

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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, 2024, and June 30, 2025. ⓘ

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.



## 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



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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 student may be experiencing unusual circumstances if they*

- *left home due to an abusive or threatening environment;*
- *are abandoned by or estranged from their parents;*
- *have refugee or asylum status and are separated from their parents, or their parents are displaced in a foreign country;*
- *are a victim of human trafficking;*
- *are incarcerated, or their parents are incarcerated and contact with the parents would pose a risk to the student; or*
- *are otherwise unable to contact or locate their parents.*

*If the student's circumstances resulted in not having a safe and 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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## Your Dependency Status



### Dependent Student

Based on your answers, you are a dependent student. This means you must provide parent information on your FAFSA® form. This information helps determine how much federal student 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? ⓘ

*If you select "Yes," a financial aid administrator at the student's school will determine their eligibility for a Direct Unsubsidized Loan only.*

Yes

No

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## Tell Us About the Student's Parents

On the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form, the "parent" is the student's legal (biological or adoptive) parent.

Are the parents married to each other?

Yes

No

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Yes

No



### Provide Information for Both Parents

Based on your answers in the previous section, you'll need to provide information about both parents on the FAFSA® form. You can invite the parents to the form and have them complete their required sections.

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Do the parents live together?

Yes

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Yes

No

Do the parents live together?

Yes

No

Did one parent provide more financial support than the other parent over the past 12 months?

*If both parents provided an exact equal amount of financial support or if they don't support the student financially, select "No," and refer to the parent with the greater income and assets in the next question.*

Yes

No

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Yes

No

Has the parent you identified in the previous question remarried?

Yes

No

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No

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Yes

No

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Yes

No



### Provide Information for the Parent and Stepparent

Based on your answers in the previous section, you'll need to provide information about the parent and stepparent on the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form. You can invite the parent and stepparent to the form so they can complete their required sections.

## Tell Us About the Student's Parents

On the FAFSA® form, the "parent" is the student's legal (biological or adoptive) parent.

Are the parents married to each other?

Yes

No



### Provide Information for Both Parents

Based on your answers in the previous section, you'll need to provide information about both parents on the FAFSA® form. You can invite the parents to the form and have them complete their required sections.

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## Invite Parent(s) to This FAFSA® Form



### We Need Information for One of Your Parents Now

Based on your answers in the previous section, you'll need to provide information about both of your parents on your FAFSA form. This does not make them financially responsible for your education. Right now, you should only invite one of your parents.

Enter information about one of your parents identified on the prior page, and we'll send an email on your behalf.

We highly recommend you only complete the "Parent Who Will Fill Out This Form" box.

If they already have a StudentAid.gov account username and password (FSA ID), the information entered here must exactly match that account.

*Only the email address does not need to match the email associated with their StudentAid.gov account. Please use the email address that you know is most likely to reach your contributor.*



#### Parent Who Will Fill Out This Form

First Name ⓘ

Last Name ⓘ

Date of Birth ⓘ

Month	Day	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Social Security Number (SSN) ⓘ



#### Parent Spouse or Partner

*Do not fill out this section unless otherwise instructed.*

First Name ⓘ

Last Name ⓘ

Date of Birth ⓘ

Month	Day	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Social Security Number (SSN) ⓘ

Please use the email address that you know is most likely to reach your contributor.



### Parent Who Will Fill Out This Form

First Name ⓘ

Last Name ⓘ

Date of Birth ⓘ

Month

Day

Year

Social Security Number (SSN) ⓘ

My parent doesn't have an SSN.

Email Address ⓘ

Confirm Email Address ⓘ

Send Invite



### Parent Spouse or Partner

Do not fill out this section unless otherwise instructed

First Name ⓘ

Last Name ⓘ

Date of Birth ⓘ

Month

Day

Year

Social Security Number (SSN) ⓘ

My parent doesn't have an SSN.

Email Address ⓘ

Confirm Email Address ⓘ

Send Invite

Parent Who Visits

Invite Sent



Parent Spouse or Partner

*Do not fill out this section unless otherwise instructed*

First Name

Last Name

Date of Birth

Month

Day

Year

Social Security Number (SSN)

My parent doesn't have an SSN.

Email Address

Confirm Email Address

Send Invite

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## Student Demographics

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.



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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 aid calculations, and
- be shared with the schools to which the student applies.

What is the student's gender? ⓘ

Male

Female

Nonbinary

Prefer not to answer

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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

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

U.S. citizen or national

Eligible noncitizen

Neither U.S. citizen nor eligible noncitizen

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## Student Citizenship Status <sup>ⓘ</sup>

U.S. citizen or national

Eligible noncitizen 

A-Number <sup>ⓘ</sup>

A

Neither U.S. citizen nor eligible noncitizen

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## Parent Education Status

Did either of the student's parents attend college or complete college? ⓘ

Neither parent attended college

One or both parents attended college, but neither parent completed college

One or both parents completed college

Don't know

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## Parent Killed in Line of Duty

Was the student's parent or guardian killed in the line of duty while either (1) serving on active duty as a member of the armed forces on or after the events of 9/11, or (2) performing official duties as a public safety officer? ⓘ

*Public safety officers include law enforcement officers, firefighters, and emergency service workers.*

Yes

No

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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

From what high school did or will the student graduate? ⓘ

State

New York (NY)

City

Brooklyn

Midwood High School

Midwood High Scho



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## Confirm Your High School

Verify that your high school information below is correct. Once you're ready, select "Continue" and we'll add it to your FAFSA® form.

High School Name

Midwood High School

Edit 

City

Brooklyn

State

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## Your Finances

The FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form helps determine your ability to pay for school. In this section, we ask about your financial information.

What if you have special financial circumstances?



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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.*

### Pension rollover into an IRA or other qualified plan

\$   ⓘ

### Amount of College Grants, Scholarships, or AmeriCorps Benefits Reported as Income to the IRS

*The student paid taxes on these grants, scholarships, or benefits. These usually apply to those renewing their FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form, not to first-time applicants. If married, include amount student's spouse received.*

\$   ⓘ

### Foreign Earned Income Exclusion

\$   ⓘ

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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.*

\$  .00

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## Select Colleges

Search for and select colleges and career schools you're considering so they automatically receive an electronic copy of the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form.



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## Where should we send the FAFSA® information?

Search and select colleges and career schools.

If you can't find your school when searching by School Name or State, try searching by School Code.

*You can add up to 20 colleges and career schools to the FAFSA® form.*



0 out of 20 schools selected

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State

 ×  
**California (CA)**

School Name - optional

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**Carrington College California  
- Emeryvil**

Emeryville, California (CA)

Federal School Code  
E01290

+ Select

**Sierra Hi Tech**

Carmichael, California (CA)

Federal School Code  
025999

+ Select

**Rosston Schs of Men's Hair  
Dsgn**

San Bernardino, California (CA)

Federal School Code  
013705

+ Select

**Franciscan School of  
Theology**

San Diego, California (CA)

Federal School Code  
G11792

+ Select

**Southern States University**

San Diego, California (CA)

Federal School Code  
041955

✓ Selected

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✓ 4 out of 20 schools have been selected


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## Contributor Section


### This Section is Shared with One Contributor

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This FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form is shared with the individual(s) listed below. View who you invited and the status of their section.

Contributor(s)	Role	Date Added	Status
 Alcina Tran	Parent	1/29/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Invite Sent

## Parent Sections

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## Sign and Complete Your Section <sup>①</sup>

### Summary

This page confirms that you understand the terms and conditions of the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> 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.

By signing this application electronically using your FSA ID, 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.

By signing this application electronically using your account username and password, 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 foreign income tax forms that you filed or are required to file.

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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.

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### Sign Your FAFSA Form

I, Raya Tran, agree to the terms outlined above.

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# You're Almost There!

The student section is complete!

## Parent Contributors

### Requirements for Dependent Students

Your FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form is not complete until your parent(s) fill in the contributor section of the form and sign it. Once completed, your FAFSA form will be submitted for processing.

Contributor(s)	Role	Date Added	Status
 Tetaake Yee Ting	Parent	7/18/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Invite Sent


**IMPORTANT:**

**LOG OUT AS A STUDENT FIRST**

**BEFORE THE PARENT CAN LOG IN**



The courts have allowed Federal Student Aid to continue implementing the majority of the [provisions of SAVE](#). Borrowers can continue to enroll in SAVE, other IDR plans, and/or consolidate loans. We will keep you notified of any other updates.

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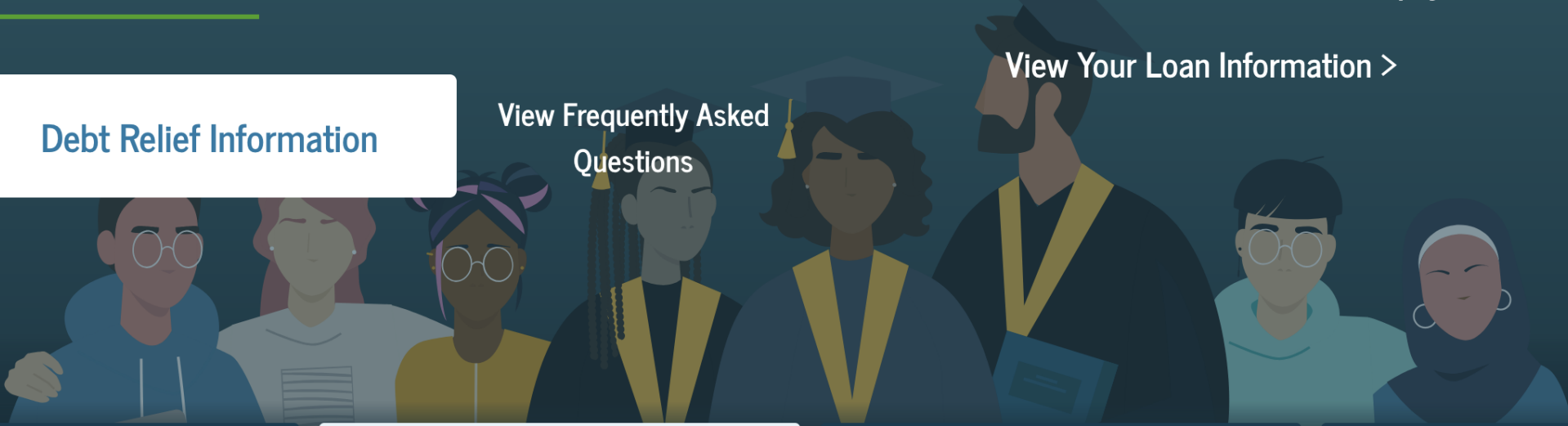
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## Log In

Email, Phone, or FSA ID Username

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# Two-Step Verification



## Enter Secure Code

Enter the secure code we sent your email:  
ye\*\*\*\*\*@gmail.com

Enter the secure code below

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Having Trouble? [Try a different method.](#)

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Decline

Accept

**Important:** You are required to verify your information and agree to our terms and conditions before you continue.

### Contact Information

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Country



UNITED STATES

### Communication Preferences

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REQUIRED COMMUNICATIONS

Email

INFORMATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS

Email

PREFERRED LANGUAGE

English



I agree to Federal Student Aid's terms and conditions.

Continue

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## Confirm Your Information


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### Verify Your Contact Information

You must verify the contact method(s) below to proceed.

#### Required Verifications:

	Mobile Phone Number
	<span>verified</span>

	Email Address
	<span>verified</span>

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**You will get a BACKUP Code  
that you received when you first  
created your FSAID account  
So just check the box and click “Next”**



## Pending Invitation(s)

You have one or more invitations. Go to "My Activity" to view invitations.

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## My Aid



You currently don't have any federal loans or grants.

## Quick Links

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## Checklists

### I'm Preparing for School



- Complete the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> form to apply for financial aid for college
- Complete entrance counseling before getting a student loan
- Complete a Master Promissory Note (MPN) to take out a federal student loan
- Complete your Annual Student Loan Acknowledgment each year you get a new loan to review your borrower responsibilities
- Review academic and financial preparation checklists to help you get into and afford the school of your choice

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## My Activity

### Raya Tran Wants Your Help on a FAFSA® Form

Raya Tran has identified you as a parent on their *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA®) form.

Parents are required to provide their financial and demographic information on the student's FAFSA form. This does not make you financially responsible for Raya's educational costs or any federal student loans they decide to accept.

Visit the [2024–25 FAFSA Help Center](#)

Accept Invitation

Decline Invitation



By accepting this invitation, you agree to share your personal and contact information from your StudentAid.gov account on the student's FAFSA form. Once you accept, your information will be linked to this form.

# My Activity

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Accept Invitation

Decline Invitation

## By Accepting This Invitation You Agree to Share Your Information

We will need to use some personal information we already have on file about you in order to fill out the necessary steps in this FAFSA® form. To accept this invitation, select "Continue."

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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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# Parent Identity Information

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

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Name

**Alcina Tran**

Date of Birth

**06/06/1979**

Social Security Number

**\*\*\*-\*\*-8077**

Email Address

**alcinatan@gmail.com**

Mobile Phone Number

**(555) 879-1234**

*To update this information for all U.S. Department of Education communications, go to [Account Settings](#).*

Permanent Mailing Address

*Include apartment number.*

123 Test

City

Test

State

CA

Zip Code

12345

Country 

United States (US)

Continue

## Provide Consent and Approval or the Student Will Be Ineligible for Federal Student Aid ⓘ

### Summary

Your consent and approval is needed to retrieve and disclose federal tax information. With your consent and approval, 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 and approval, the student will not be eligible for federal student aid, including grants and loans. You must provide consent and approval 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.

By accepting below, I consent to the disclosure of information about me, as described below, and further affirmatively approve of the receipt and use of my federal tax information (FTI) and to the U.S. Department of Education's (ED) redisclosure of my federal tax information, as described below. By accepting below, I consent to and affirmatively approve of, as applicable, the following:

1. ED may disclose my Social Security number (SSN)/ Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)/ last name, date of birth, unique identifier, the tax year for which federal tax information is required, and the date and timestamp of my approval for the use of my federal tax information in determining eligibility by ED for which approval is provided to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service (IRS). I understand that in response to such a request from ED, the IRS shall then disclose my federal tax information to "authorized persons" (i.e., specifically designated officers and employees of ED and its contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6103(l)(13)(E)) for the purpose of determining eligibility for, and the amount of, federal student aid under 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, for myself or an applicant for federal student aid who has requested that I share my federal tax information on their *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®)* form.
2. Authorized persons at ED and its contractors (as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 6103(l)(13)(E)) may use my federal tax information for the purpose of determining the eligibility for, and amount of, federal student aid under 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, for myself or a FAFSA applicant who has requested that I share my federal tax information on the FAFSA form.
3. ED may redisclose my federal tax information received from the IRS pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 6103(l)(13)(D)(iii) to the following entities solely for the use in the application, award, and administration of financial aid:
  - Institutions of higher education participating in the federal student aid programs authorized under subpart 1 of part A, part C, or part D of *Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965*, as amended;

By accepting below, I consent electronically to the use of my FSA ID (username and password) as my signature and certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that any falsification of this statement is punishable under the provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 by a fine, imprisonment of not more than five years, or both, and that the knowing and willful request for or acquisition of records pertaining to an individual under false pretenses is a criminal offense under the *Privacy Act of 1974*, subject to a fine of not more than \$5,000 fine (5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(i)(3)). By accepting and submitting my part of the FAFSA, my execution (including date and time) of consent and approval will be logged in ED's Person Authentication Service (PAS) System of Record (18-11-12).

### Frequently Asked Questions

Who should provide consent and approval?



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



What happens after I provide consent and approval?



What happens if I decline consent and approval?



*Select "Approve" to consent and approve to using your federal 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.*

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Approve

## Parent Demographics

We'll ask questions about you and your family. These questions will help determine how much federal student aid the student is eligible to receive for school.



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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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## Parent State of Legal Residence

New York (NY)  
Federated States of Micronesia



Date the Parent Became a Legal Resident of New York (NY)

Month

Year

01

1985



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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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## Federal Benefits Received

### Questions Don't Affect Federal Student Aid Eligibility

Your answers to these questions will not negatively 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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## Parent Tax Filing Status

Did or will the parent file a 2022 IRS Form 1040 or 1040-NR? ⓘ

Yes

No

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

Yes

No

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# If the answer is “NO”

- The parent filed or will file a tax return with Puerto Rico or another U.S. territory \_\_\_\_.
- **The parent filed or will file a foreign tax return \_\_\_\_**
- The parent either earned income in a foreign country but did not and will not file a foreign tax return, or worked for an international organization and was not required to report income on any tax return \_\_\_\_
- The parent, even though they earned income in the U.S. did not and will not file a U.S. tax return because their income was below the tax filing threshold \_\_\_\_
- The parent did not and will not file a U.S. tax return for reasons other than low income \_\_\_\_
- **The parent did not and will not file any tax return because they did not earn any income \_\_\_\_**

# TAX RETURN

Tax filing Status

Single

Head of Household

Married filing jointly

Married filing seperately

Qualifying surviving spouse

Enter amounts for:

- Income earned from work
- Adjusted gross income (Income earned from work – Income tax paid)
- Income tax paid
- Enter “0” for the rest of the boxes

## Family Size

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

*Family size includes: The parent (and their spouse), The student, other people, if they live with the parent and the parent will provide more than half of their support between July 1, 2024, and June 30, 2025. This includes dependent children who meet these criteria, even if they live apart because of college enrollment.*

 Yes No

The parent's family size is **4**.

Student: 1

Parent: 1

Parent Spouse or Partner: 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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## Number in College

Out of the 4 people in the parent's family, how many will be in college between July 1, 2024, and June 30, 2025?

*Do not include parent(s).*



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## Annual Child Support Received

Enter total amount received in child support for the last complete calendar year.

\$  .00

## Parent 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 your businesses or for-profit agricultural operations. Net worth is the value of your businesses or farms minus any debts owed against them.

\$  .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.

\$  .00

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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

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1970



Social Security Number (SSN)

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Show



Email Address

travistran@gmail.com

Confirm Email Address

travistran@gmail.com

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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.



### Parent Contributor Sections

Expand All 



Introduction  
**Personal Identifiers**



Section 1  
**Demographics**



Section 2  
**Financials**



Section 3  
**Signature**



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## Sign and Complete Your Section

### Summary

This page confirms that you understand the terms and conditions of the FAFSA<sup>®</sup> 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.

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

- 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.

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.

Sign for yourself and submit the application for Raya Tran (Student).

I, Alcina Tran, agree to the terms outlined above.

Cancel

Sign and Submit



# 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.

# Having Issues?

If you have issues that can't be resolved, contact the [Federal Student Aid Information Center](#) for assistance.

<https://studentaid.gov/help-center/contact#all-parents-fsaic>