

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

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What is FAFSA?

The FAFSA, which is administered by the office of Federal Student Aid, is the doorway to financial aid, which consists of grants, work-study, scholarships and federal loans. The form is completed by current and prospective undergraduate and graduate college students in the United States to determine their eligibility for student financial aid. The form is used by states, colleges, universities and career schools for awarding federal, state and college-funded aid. The U.S. Department of Education (ED) awards more than a \$120 billion a year in financial aid to about 13 million students.

The FAFSA is free and easier than ever and is available each year on October 1st. Students submit the FAFSA each year they are in college. Students and parents submit personal and financial information and FAFSA uses the federal methodology to determine families expected family contribution (EFC.)

The EFC is the amount the student and parents are expected to be able to pay out of pocket each year for the student's college costs, under federal rules. The federal government, state assistance programs, the colleges the student is applying to, and other scholarship sources all use that data to determine how much aid and what kinds of aid the family is eligible for.

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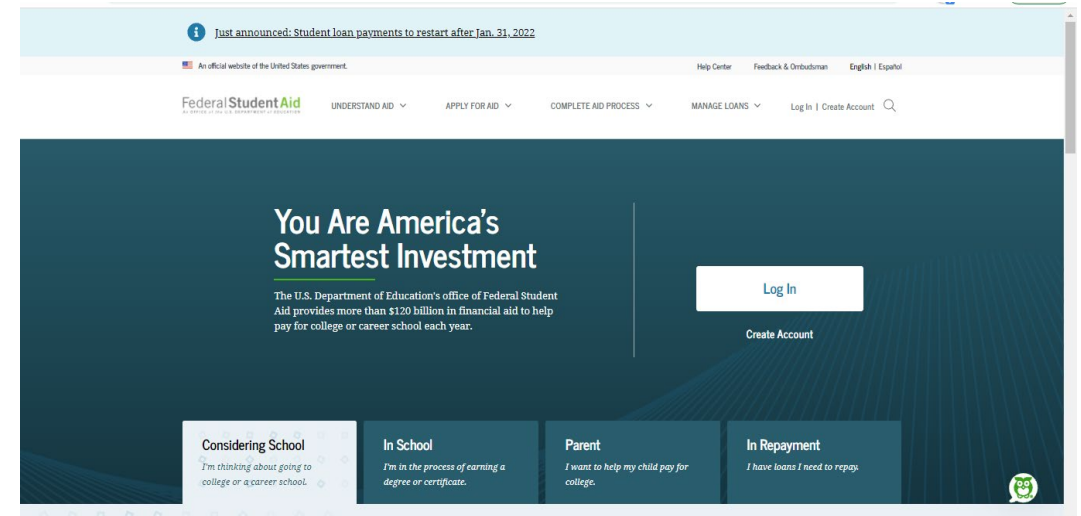
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- Next steps
 - Student Aid Report
 - ISIR
 - Financial aid awards



Preparing for FAFSA: studentaid.gov

<https://studentaid.gov/>

- Gateway to the financial aid process
- Understand aid – types of aid
 - Eligibility requirements
- Complete the FAFSA
 - Complete Master Promissory Note (MPN)
- Complete the aid process
 - Complete MPN
 - Entrance counseling exam
 - Complete student loan acknowledgement
- Manage your loans
 - Find federal loan servicer
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Preparing for the FAFSA: FSA ID

Create an account (FSA ID)

The FSA ID allows students, parents and borrowers electronic access to financial student aid websites. It is made up of a username and password that must be unique to the individual. It is not required to have an FSA ID to complete and submit the FAFSA on the web, but it is the fastest way to sign the FAFSA and have it processed. It is the only way to access and correct information online, or to pre-fill information from previous years FAFSA.

- Who needs a FSA ID?
 - Parents, students and borrowers
- What can you use your FSA ID for?
 - Completing and signing the FAFSA- legal signature
 - Access to all student aids features
 - Loan counseling
 - Master Promissory Note
 - Applying for repayment plans
 - Manage/review federal student loans
- Items needed to create an account
 - Social security number
 - Cell phone number and/or email address

Preparing for the FAFSA: FSA ID Tips

One email per FSA ID – school emails may expire, not recommended to use school email

Verify social security information – names and numbers must match

Provide cell phone, email and challenge questions and verify – makes it easier to reset password

Passwords expire every 18 months unless you change it

FSA ID takes 1-3 days to be activate – FAFSA may still be electronically signed

<https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/>

Preparing for the FAFSA: Gather Information

- Users Social Security Number
- Users Alien Registration Number (if you are not a U.S. citizen)
- Users federal income tax returns, W-2s, and other records of money earned. (**Note:** Users may be able to transfer their federal tax return information into the FAFSA using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool.)
- Bank statements and records of investments (if applicable)
- Records of untaxed income (if applicable)
- List of schools – 10 schools may be added
- An FSA ID to sign electronically.

Dependent students will also need most of the above information for their parent(s).

Preparing for the FAFSA: Deadlines

Academic Year	FAFSA Open Date	Federal Deadlines	State Deadline	School Deadline
2021-2022	October 1, 2020	June 30, 2022	Passed	Passed
2022-2023	October 1, 2021	June 30, 2023	Varies by state	Varies by school

- The **federal deadline** is June 30 after the academic year in which the user needs aid
 - June 30, 2022, for the 2021-22 school year or June 30, 2023, for the 2022-23 school year
- The **state deadline** varies by state
 - State deadlines may be confirmed at <https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/fafsa-deadlines>
 - Often much earlier than federal deadline
- The **school deadline** varies by school
 - Confirm deadline with each individual school – school’s website or contact directly
 - Ask – Is it the date FAFSA is processed or when the school receives FAFSA information

Preparing for the FAFSA: Filing Options

Filing Options

- FAFSA on the web
 - <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>
- myStudentAid Mobile App
 - Apple store or Google play
- PDF FAFSA – print out, sign and mail
- Color coded – blue and purple
 - <https://studentaid.gov/resources>
 - Request a paper copy - 800- 433-3243



Completing the FAFSA

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

Federal Student Aid AN OFFICE AT THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNDERSTAND AID APPLY FOR AID COMPLETE AID PROCESS MANAGE LOANS

Complete the FAFSA® Form

Use the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®)* form to apply for financial aid for college or graduate school.

New to the FAFSA® Process?

Completing the FAFSA form is free. Fill it out!

Start Here

Returning User?

Correct info | Add a school

View your *Student Aid Report (SAR)*

Log In



FAFSA® Announcements

Planned Outage of FAFSA.gov on Sept. 26

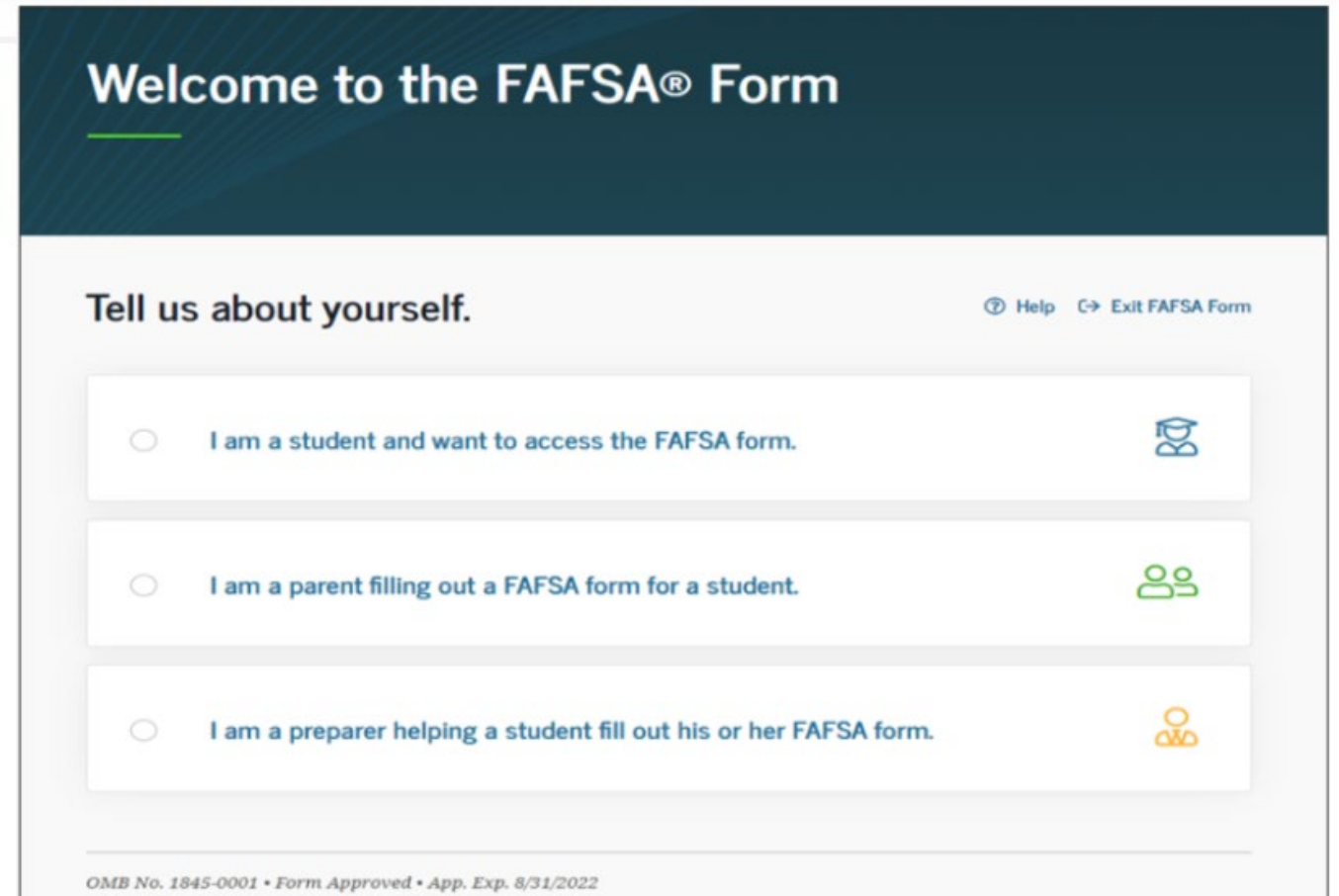
The 2022–23 FAFSA form is almost here! To upload this latest version, fafsa.gov will be unavailable on Sunday, Sept. 26 from 1 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Eastern time. The 2022–23 FAFSA form will be available on Oct. 1, 2021.



<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

Role Selection

- Student –complete the FAFSA by using their FSA ID, verified email or phone and a password
- Parents and preparers – complete the FAFSA using the student’s name, date of birth and SSN (personal identifiers)




The screenshot shows the 'Welcome to the FAFSA® Form' header. Below it, the instruction 'Tell us about yourself.' is displayed. To the right of this instruction are links for 'Help' and 'Exit FAFSA Form'. There are three radio button options, each with a corresponding icon: 1. 'I am a student and want to access the FAFSA form.' with a graduation cap icon. 2. 'I am a parent filling out a FAFSA form for a student.' with a family icon. 3. 'I am a preparer helping a student fill out his or her FAFSA form.' with a person icon. At the bottom of the form, the text 'OMB No. 1845-0001 • Form Approved • App. Exp. 8/31/2022' is visible.

Role Selection cont....

Welcome to the FAFSA® Form

Tell us about yourself. [Help](#) [Exit FAFSA Form](#)

I am a student and want to access the FAFSA form. 


[Log In to Continue](#)

[Create an FSA ID](#)

or

[Use personal identifiers to access the FAFSA form.](#)

1. Log in to continue
2. Create an FSA ID
3. Use personal identifiers to complete the FAFSA

Log In 

FSA ID Username, Email, or Mobile Phone

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[Forgot My Username](#)

Password

*****  [Show Password](#) 

[Forgot My Password](#)

Log In

OR

[Create an Account](#)

Enter your personal identifiers.

Your First Name

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Your Full Last Name

User 

Your Date of Birth

Month Day Year
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Your Social Security Number

***-**-1110 [SHOW SSN](#) 

If you, the student, do not have a Social Security number because you are a citizen of a trust territory and this is your first time filling out the FAFSA form, enter 666 in this field.

If you are a returning trust territory student who has previously submitted the FAFSA form, enter the entire 666 number we previously assigned to you.

I am from a freely associated state.

[Continue](#)

Role Selection cont....

Disclaimer

Warning

You are accessing a U.S. Federal Government computer system intended to be solely accessed by individual users expressly authorized to access the system by the U.S. Department of Education. Usage may be monitored, recorded, and/or subject to audit. For security purposes and in order to ensure that the system remains available to all expressly authorized users, the U.S. Department of Education monitors the system to identify unauthorized users. Anyone using this system expressly consents to such monitoring and recording. Unauthorized use of this information system is prohibited and subject to criminal and civil penalties. Except as expressly authorized by the U.S. Department of Education, unauthorized attempts to access, obtain, upload, modify, change, and/or delete information on this system are strictly prohibited and are subject to criminal prosecution under 18 U.S.C. § 1030, and other applicable statutes, which may result in fines and imprisonment. For purposes of this system, unauthorized access includes, but is not limited to:

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- Any access in furtherance of any criminal or tortious act in violation of the Constitution or laws of the United States or any state.
- If system monitoring reveals information indicating possible criminal activity, such evidence may be provided to law enforcement personnel.

DECLINE

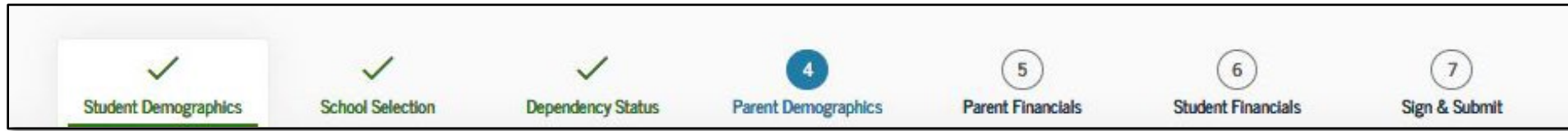
ACCEPT

Role Selection cont....

- **For which school year are you applying for aid?**
 - 2021 – 2022
 - 2022 – 2023
- **Create a save key**
 - Temporary password while working on the FAFSA
 - Allows the applicant to save their FAFSA for 45 days
 - Allows the applicant to share access to their FAFSA
- **Introduction**
 - How many steps does it take to complete?
 - How long will it take to complete?
 - Can I save my FAFSA if I don't finish it?
 - Documents needed to complete the FAFSA
 - Signing the FAFSA
 - FAFSA on the web security and privacy



Section 1: Student Demographics

A screenshot of the 'Personal Information for Student' form. At the top, there is a progress bar with seven steps: 'Student Demographics' (checked), 'School Selection' (checked), 'Dependency Status' (checked), 'Parent Demographics' (4), 'Parent Financials' (5), 'Student Financials' (6), and 'Sign & Submit' (7). Below the progress bar, the form is titled 'STUDENT INFORMATION' and 'Personal Information for Student'. A blue information box contains the text: 'Because the FAFSA® form belongs to the student, "you" and "your" always (unless otherwise noted) refer to the student.' The form fields are: 'Your Social Security Number' (masked as ***-**-1519), 'Your First Name' (TestE), 'Your Middle Initial' (empty), 'Your Last Name' (Perez), and 'Your Date of Birth' (Month: 02, Day: 05, Year: 2001). At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

The Section Bar

- ✓ Applicants can track their progress
- ✓ Applicants can return to section to make corrections or review answers
- ✓ When they do this, they will be taken to a summary of the section, where they will be able to see all the questions in the view as well as the answers that they provided. From here, they can choose to enter the section by selecting one of the hyperlinks to the questions, or they will have the opportunity to return to where they left off in the application.

Section 1: Student Demographics

The screenshot shows a multi-step application process. The top navigation bar includes: Student Demographics (checked), School Selection (checked), Dependency Status (checked), Parent Demographics (4), Parent Financials (5), Student Financials (6), and Sign & Submit (7). The main content area is titled 'STUDENT INFORMATION' and 'Personal Information for Student'. An information box states: 'Because the FAFSA® form belongs to the student, "you" and "your" always (unless otherwise noted) refer to the student.' The form fields are: 'Your Social Security Number' (masked as ***-**-1519), 'Your First Name' (TestE), 'Your Middle Initial' (empty), 'Your Last Name' (Perez), and 'Your Date of Birth' (Month: 02, Day: 05, Year: 2001). Navigation buttons 'Previous' and 'Continue' are at the bottom.

Student Demographics

- ✓ SSN, DOB, driver's license
- ✓ Email address and phone number
- ✓ Name and permanent address (residency)
- ✓ Selective Service
- ✓ Student education

Section 2: School Selection

- ✓ Use the drop down and select the state
- ✓ Enter the city where the high school is located
- ✓ Enter the complete name of your high school
- ✓ Update: applicant can manually enter high school information

The screenshot shows the 'Add Your High School' step in the application process. The progress bar at the top indicates that 'School Selection' is the current step (2), with previous steps marked as complete and subsequent steps as pending. The form includes a success message: 'Application was successfully saved.' Below this, two informational messages provide guidance: 'Because the FAFSA® form belongs to the student, "you" and "your" always (unless otherwise noted) refer to the student.' and 'To find your high school, enter the following criteria and select "Search."' The form fields are: 'State / Province / Territory' (a dropdown menu with 'Select' and a link 'My country is not listed'), 'City - optional' (a text input field), and 'High School Name - optional' (a text input field). A blue 'Search' button is located below the input fields. A 'Previous' button is visible at the bottom left of the form area.

The screenshot shows the 'Confirm Your High School' step in the application process. The progress bar at the top indicates that 'Dependency Status' is the current step (3), with 'School Selection' marked as complete and subsequent steps as pending. The form includes a success message: 'Review the information below and then select "Continue" to add this school to your application.' Below this, an informational message states: 'Verify that the high school information you entered is correct, then select "Continue."' The 'High School Information' section displays the following details: 'HIGH SCHOOL NAME: Anacostia Hs', 'CITY: Washington', and 'STATE: District of Columbia'. At the bottom, there are three buttons: 'Previous', 'Start New Search', and 'Continue'.

Section 2: School Selection cont...

✓ Student Demographics 2 School Selection 3 Dependency Status 4 Parent Demographics 5 Parent Financials 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

SCHOOL SELECTION
College Search

1 TestE, based on the information you provided, we've determined that you may qualify for federal student aid. Continue through the application for us to determine how much aid you can receive.

1 Here's where you'll search for the colleges to which you'd like to send your FAFSA® information. You can add up to 10 colleges at a time to your FAFSA form. Learn what to do if you're applying to more than 10 colleges.
Make sure you add ALL colleges you're interested in, even if you haven't applied or been accepted yet.

1 Complete the fields below to search for a college to add to your FAFSA® form. Need help refining your search? Try these search tips.

Search by School Name, City, State Search by Federal School Code

State
Select

City - optional

School Name - optional

Search

Previous

School information – college search

- Enter up to 10 colleges
- Search college by federal school code
- Search by city, state and college name
- Enter housing choice
- Review college information

Section 3: Dependency Status

The screenshot shows the 'Dependency Status' section of the FAFSA application. At the top, a progress bar indicates the current step (3) and previous steps (1-2) are completed. The section is titled 'SCHOOL SELECTION Student Marital Status'. A green message box states 'Application was successfully saved.' Below it, a blue information box explains that 'you' and 'your' refer to the student. The main question is 'What is your marital status as of today?' with a dropdown menu set to 'Single'. At the bottom, there are 'Previous' and 'Continue' buttons.

Dependency questions

- Student marital status
- Does the student have dependents?
- Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. armed forces for purposes other than training?
- Are you a U.S. veteran of the U.S. armed forces?
- At anytime since you turned age 13, were your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court?
- As determined by a court in your state of residence, are you an emancipated minor?
- Does someone other than your parent or stepparent have legal guardianship for you. as determined by a court in your state of legal residency?
- None of the above

Step 3: Dependency Status cont....

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SCHOOL SELECTION

Dependent Student Status

Based on your answers to the dependency status questions, you are considered a **"dependent"** student. This means you must provide **parental** information. Select the "I will provide information about my parent(s)" option and select "Continue" to continue to "Parent Demographics" section.

If you have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information, under very limited circumstances, you may be able to submit your FAFSA[®] form without parental information. Select the "I am unable to provide information about my parent(s)" option and select "Continue" to get additional information. ?

I will provide information about my parent(s).

I am unable to provide information about my parent(s).

[Previous](#) [Continue](#)

Section 4: Parents Demographics

Student Demographics ✓ School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ **4 Parent Demographics** 5 Parent Financials 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

PARENT INFORMATION

Whose Information Should I Provide?

✓ Application was successfully saved.

i For additional assistance determining what parent information to report on the FAFSA® form, refer to [Who's my Parent When Filling Out the FAFSA form? fact sheet](#).

Since you have been identified as a dependent student, you will need to provide information about your parent(s). You must identify and report information about your parent(s) even if you don't live with him or her. Use the following criteria to determine whose information you should report in the "Parent Demographics" and "Parent Financials" sections of the FAFSA® form:

- My parents live together (married or unmarried).
- My parents are divorced or separated, and I live with one parent more than the other.
- My parents are divorced or separated, and I live with both parents equally.
- I was legally adopted.

[Previous](#) [Continue](#)

Whose information should I provide?

- ✓ My parents live together (married or unmarried)
- ✓ My parents are divorced or separated, and I live with one more than the other
- ✓ My parents are divorce or separated, and I live with them both equally
- ✓ I have been legally adopted

Step 4: Parents Demographics cont....

- Personal information for Parents
- Personal information for first and second parent
- SSN, DOB, driver's license
 - Email address and phone number
 - Name and permanent address (residency)
 - Parents dependents
 - Household information

WHEN I FILL OUT MY PARENT INFORMATION ON THE FAFSA?

Students are required to report parent information on the Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).¹ For purposes, "PARENT" means your legal (biological or adoptive) parent or stepparent, or a person that the state has determined to be your legal parent.

Use this guide to figure out which parent's information to include (depending on your family situation).

Some people are not your parents but have legally adopted you:



Widowed Stepparent



Grandparents



Foster Parents



Legal Guardians



Older Brothers or Sisters



Aunts or Uncles

Are your parents married to each other?



Yes

Report information for both parents on the FAFSA.



Do your parents live together?



Yes

Report information for both parents on the FAFSA if they were never married, divorced, or are separated.



Section 5: Parent(s) Financials

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School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ **5 Parent Financials** 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

PARENT INFORMATION
Parent Tax Filing Status

✓ Application was successfully saved.

i You indicated your parents are **married or remarried** but you also indicated your parents' tax return filing status is **head of household**. If one of your responses is incorrect, change it now. If the information you entered is correct, make sure the income information you provide on the following pages reflects both your parents' 2019 income.

For 2020, have your parents completed their IRS income tax return or another tax return?
Already completed

What type of income tax return did your parents file for 2020?
IRS Form 1040

For 2020, what is your parents' tax filing status according to their tax return?
Married-filed joint return

RECOMMENDED
IRS Data Retrieval Tool

Applying is faster and easier if your parents transfer their tax return information into this FAFSA form with the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)!

For your protection, your tax return information will not display on the IRS website or on the FAFSA form.

Previous Skip IRS DRT and Complete Manually **Proceed to the IRS**

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School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ **5 Parent Financials** 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

PARENT INFORMATION
Parent Eligible for IRS DRT

Applying is faster and easier with the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)!

Based on your responses, we recommend that you, the parents, transfer your information from the IRS into this FAFSA form. The **IRS DRT** allows you to link to the IRS website and securely transfer original IRS tax return information into the FAFSA form.

If you use the IRS DRT, you may not have to provide additional IRS documentation later for the student to qualify for federal student aid.

No Thanks **Proceed to the IRS**

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Parent Demographics ✓ School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ **5 Parent Financials** 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

PARENT INFORMATION
Parent Log In to IRS Data Retrieval Tool

i To use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT), have the parent listed in the FAFSA® form enter his or her credentials below. Otherwise, skip the IRS DRT. If you have any questions or problems using this tool, view more information about the IRS DRT.

Provide parent FSA ID credentials.

Which parent are you?
 B. Smith (Parent 1)
 C. Smith (Parent 2)

FSA ID Username, Email Address, or Mobile Number
Forgot Username | Create an FSA ID

FSA ID Password
Forgot Password

Skip IRS DRT and Complete Manually **Continue**

Section 5: Parents Financials cont.....

The screenshot shows a progress bar at the top with seven steps: Student Demographics, School Selection, Dependency Status, Parent Demographics, Parent Financials (current step, marked with a blue circle and number 5), Student Financials, and Sign & Submit. Below the progress bar, the section is titled 'PARENT INFORMATION' and 'Parent IRS Info'. The main question is 'What was your parents' adjusted gross income for 2020?' with a sub-note 'This amount is found on IRS Form 1040-line 11.'. There is a text input field with a dollar sign on the left and a spinner control on the right showing '.00'. Below the input field is a link 'Calculate with Income Estimator'. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Previous' and 'Continue'.

Student Demographics ✓ School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ **5 Parent Financials** 6 Student Financials 7 Sign & Submit

PARENT INFORMATION
Parent IRS Info

What was your parents' adjusted gross income for 2020?
This amount is found on IRS Form 1040-line 11.

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[Calculate with Income Estimator](#)

[Previous](#) [Continue](#)

- Parent Information (manually)
- Parent IRS information (2020)
- Parent income from work
- Parent additional IRS information
- Parent questions for IRS tax filers only
- Parent additional financial information
- Parent untaxed information
- Assets

Section 6: Student Financials

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The screenshot shows the 'Student Tax Filing Status' section of the FAFSA form. At the top, a progress bar indicates that 'School Selection', 'Dependency Status', 'Parent Demographics', and 'Parent Financials' are complete, while 'Student Financials' is the current step. The page includes an attention warning: 'Attention! You must provide financial information from your 2019 tax return on the following pages.' Below this, an information note states: 'Because the FAFSA® form belongs to the student, "you" and "your" always (unless otherwise noted) refer to the student.' There are three dropdown menus: 'For 2020, have you completed your IRS income tax return or another tax return?' (set to 'Already completed'), 'What income tax return did you file for 2020?' (set to 'IRS Form 1040'), and 'For 2020, what is your tax filing status according to your tax return?' (set to 'Single'). A 'RECOMMENDED' box for the 'IRS Data Retrieval Tool' is present, with the text: 'Applying is faster and easier if you transfer your tax return information into this FAFSA® form with the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)!' and a note: 'For your protection, your tax return information will not display on the IRS website or on the FAFSA form.' At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Previous', 'Skip IRS DRT and Complete Manually', and 'Proceed to the IRS >'.

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The screenshot shows the 'Student Eligible for IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)' section. The progress bar at the top shows 'School Selection', 'Dependency Status', 'Parent Demographics', and 'Parent Financials' as complete, with 'Student Financials' as the current step. The page title is 'STUDENT INFORMATION Student Eligible for IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)'. The main heading is 'Applying is faster and easier with the IRS DRT!'. The text explains: 'Based on your responses, we recommend that you transfer your information from the IRS into this FAFSA form. The IRS DRT allows you to link to the IRS website and securely transfer original IRS tax return information into your FAFSA form.' It also states: 'If you use the IRS DRT, you may not have to provide additional IRS documentation later to qualify for federal student aid.' At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'No Thanks' and 'Proceed to the IRS'.

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NOTE: If a user has logged in anywhere on StudentAid.gov using an account username and password (FSA ID), he or she will not be asked to provide credentials again when accessing the FAFSA form in the student role.

Step 6: Student Financials cont.....

The screenshot shows a progress bar at the top with seven steps: Student Demographics, School Selection, Dependency Status, Parent Demographics, Parent Financials, Student Financials (highlighted with a blue circle and the number 6), and Sign & Submit (with a circled 7). Below the progress bar, the page title is "STUDENT INFORMATION" followed by "Student IRS Info". The main question is "What was your and your spouse's adjusted gross income for 2020?" with a note "This amount is found on 1040-line 11." Below this is a text input field with a dollar sign on the left, ".00" on the right, and a help icon. A link "Calculate with Income Estimator" is positioned below the input field. At the bottom, there are two buttons: "Previous" and "Continue".

- Student Information (manually)
 - Student IRS information (2020)
 - Student work income
 - Student additional IRS information
 - Student questions for tax filers only
 - Student additional financial information
 - Student untaxed income
 - Student assets

Step 8: Sign and Submit

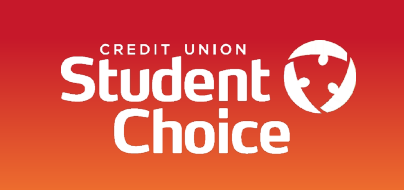
✓ Student Demographics ✓ School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ Parent Financials ✓ Student Financials **7** Sign & Submit

SIGN & SUBMIT

FAFSA® Summary

i You're not done yet!
You still need to submit your FAFSA® form. After you print this page, select "Continue" to sign your FAFSA form.

FAFSA Summary: 2022-23 Student ID: ****-0017 TE



Step 8: Sign and Submit cont.....

Student Demographics ✓ School Selection ✓ Dependency Status ✓ Parent Demographics ✓ Parent Financials ✓ Student Financials ✓ Sign & Submit 7

SIGN & SUBMIT

Read Before Proceeding

i Carefully read and acknowledge whether you agree to our terms outlined below by selecting the checkbox at the bottom of this page.
Select "Sign and Submit FAFSA Form."

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

1. will use federal and/or state student financial aid only to pay the cost of attending an institution of higher education,
2. are not in default on a federal student loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
3. do not owe money back on a federal student grant or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
4. will notify your school if you default on a federal student loan, and
5. 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 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

1. information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form, and
2. U.S. or state 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 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.

I, T Perez, agree to the terms outlined above.

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
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SIGN & SUBMIT

Signature Status

i A parent must sign the FAFSA® form. If you're a parent, select "Provide Parent Signature" to sign your child's FAFSA form.

Note: If you're the student and your parent isn't present, select "Save FAFSA Form" and then "Exit FAFSA." Your parent should log in to the FAFSA form using the student's identifiers and the save key to sign and submit your FAFSA form.



 Student Signed With FSA ID Signed With FSA ID	 Parent Signature Needed UNSIGNED
Last Name Anderson	
Date of Birth 08/09/2002	Social Security Number -----1483
	Provide Parent Signature

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Which parent are you?

 Parent 1 Unsigned	 Parent 2 Unsigned
Last Name Taylor	Last Name Perez
Date of Birth 07/01/2000	Date of Birth 02/17/2001
Social Security Number -----3006	Social Security Number -----1531
Provide Parent Signature	Provide Parent Signature

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Read Before Proceeding

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 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

1. information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form, and
2. 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.

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Signature Options

Parent Signature for: Perez

Date of Birth 02/17/2001 Social Security Number1531

Enter the parent's FSA ID.
Do not enter the FSA ID if you are not the parent.

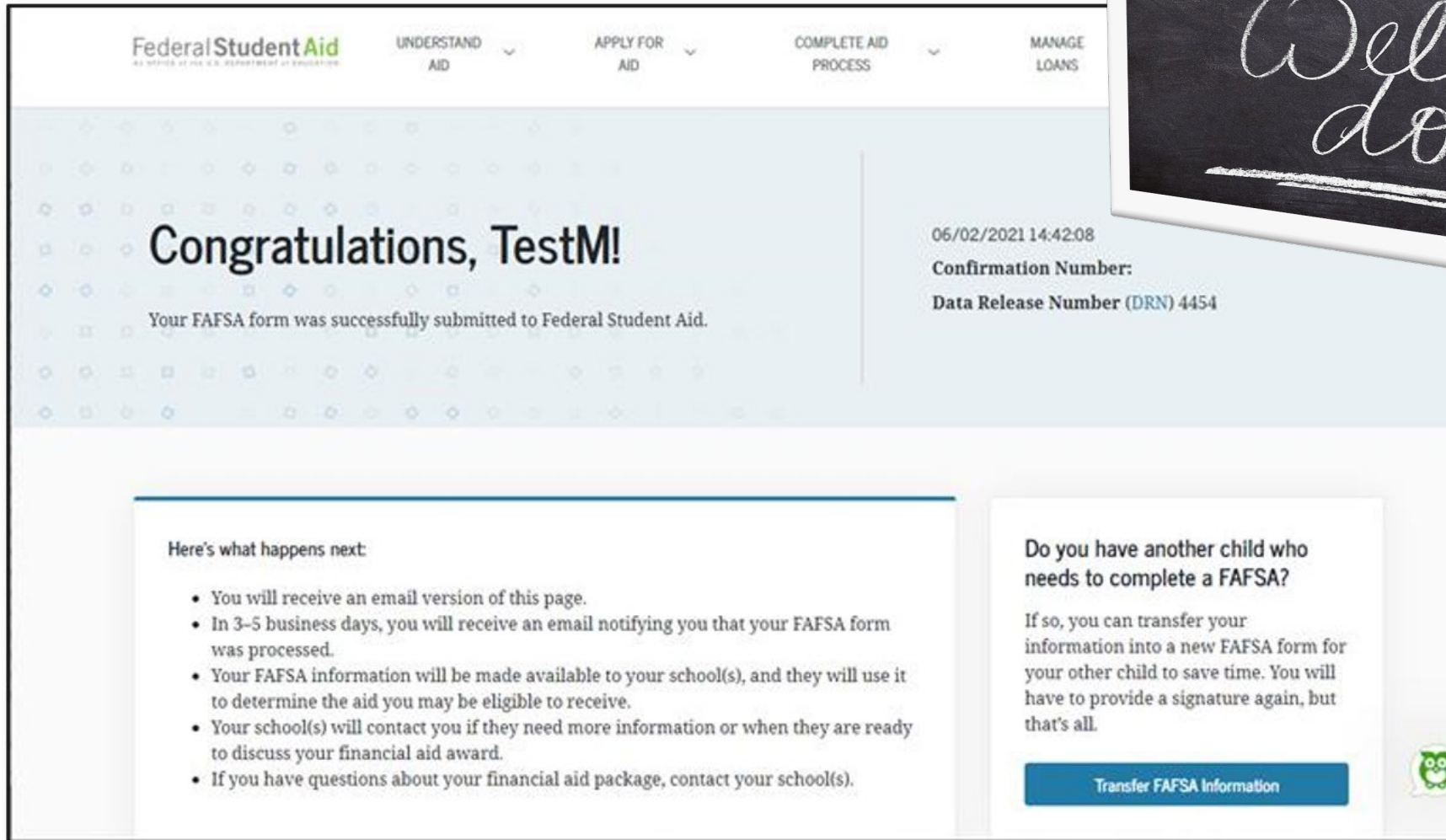
Parent's FSA ID Username, Email Address, or Mobile Number ?
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Parent's FSA ID Password Show ?
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Confirmation Page



The screenshot shows the Federal Student Aid Confirmation Page. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Federal Student Aid logo and four menu items: UNDERSTAND AID, APPLY FOR AID, COMPLETE AID PROCESS, and MANAGE LOANS. The main content area features a large heading "Congratulations, TestM!" and a sub-heading "Your FAFSA form was successfully submitted to Federal Student Aid." To the right, there is a timestamp "06/02/2021 14:42:08", a "Confirmation Number:", and a "Data Release Number (DRN) 4454". Below this, there are two columns of text. The left column is titled "Here's what happens next:" and contains a bulleted list of five items. The right column is titled "Do you have another child who needs to complete a FAFSA?" and contains a paragraph of text and a blue button labeled "Transfer FAFSA Information". A small owl icon is visible in the bottom right corner of the right column.

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Here's what happens next:

- You will receive an email version of this page.
- In 3-5 business days, you will receive an email notifying you that your FAFSA form was processed.
- Your FAFSA information will be made available to your school(s), and they will use it to determine the aid you may be eligible to receive.
- Your school(s) will contact you if they need more information or when they are ready to discuss your financial aid award.
- If you have questions about your financial aid package, contact your school(s).

Do you have another child who needs to complete a FAFSA?

If so, you can transfer your information into a new FAFSA form for your other child to save time. You will have to provide a signature again, but that's all.

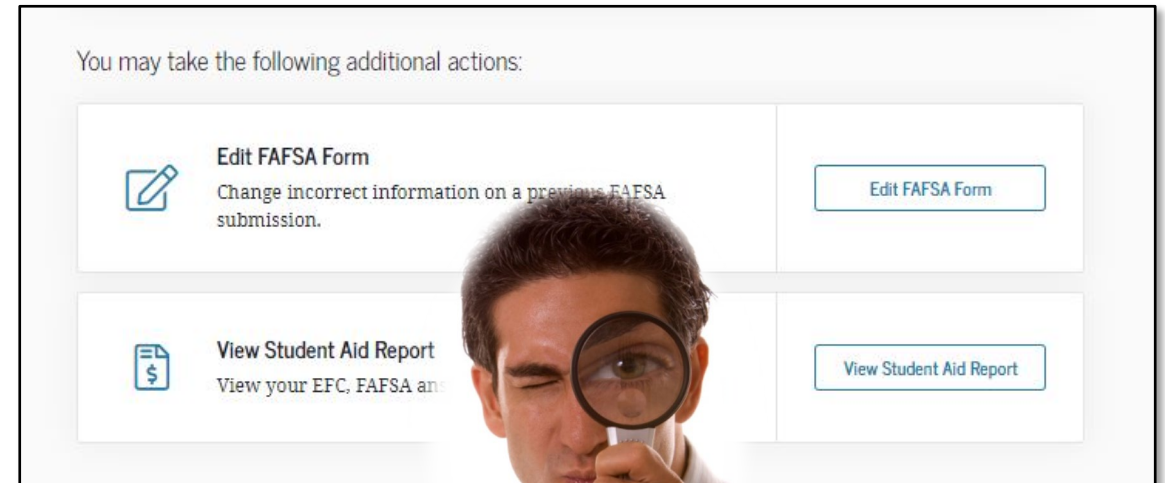
[Transfer FAFSA Information](#)



After the FAFSA: Next Steps

Next Steps

- FAFSA online processed within 3 – 5 business days
- FAFSA paper or PDF processed within 10 business days
- Student Aid Report (SAR)
 - Summary of FAFSA information
 - Expected family contribution (EFC)
 - Data release number (DRN)
 - FAFSA verification
 - Make corrections if necessary
- Institutional Student Information Record (ISIR)
 - Summary of FAFSA sent to school(s)
 - School(s) use information to determine financial aid
 - Financial aid award notification mailer of emailed to student in the Spring



FAFSA Tips

- 1) FAFSA is FREE! Beware of scams!
- 2) The 2022-2023 FAFSA is available October 1, 2021 – now is the time to apply!
- 3) Be aware of FAFSA deadlines.
- 4) FAFSA on the web is a smart application, so additional information and questions may come up based on the user's responses.
- 5) Review and gather the information needed to complete the FAFSA.
- 6) Create an FSA ID.
- 7) Email addresses and phone numbers may be used for verifying users if they need to reset FSA password.
- 8) User's name should be submitted as shown on social security card.
- 9) For FAFSA help, use the question mark next to each question.
- 10) Utilize studentaid.gov for all your federal financial needs and FAFSA questions.



Thank you for attending!!

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