

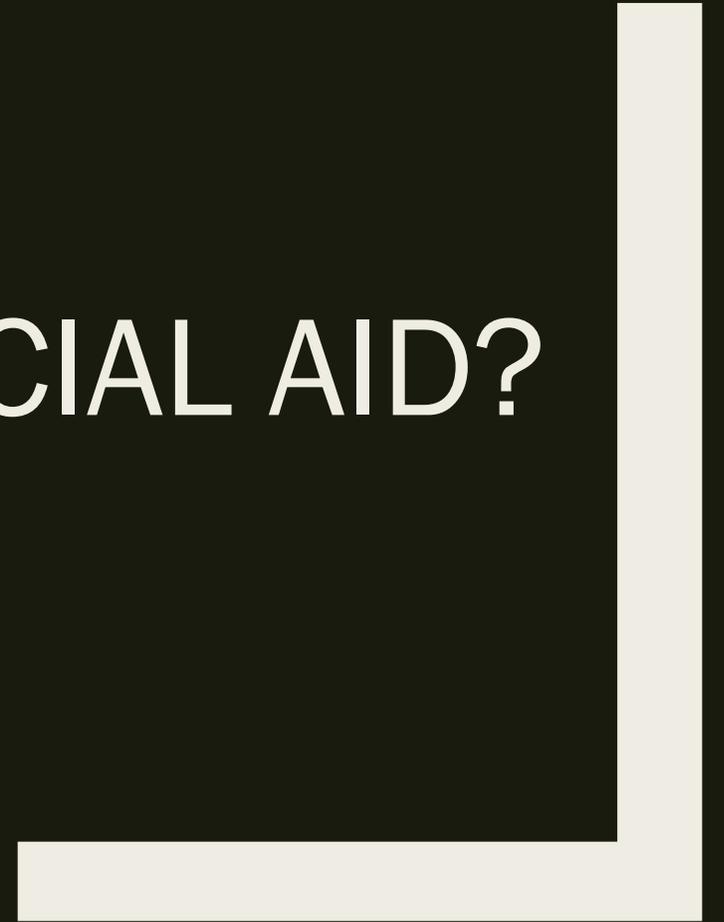
FINANCIAL AID
VICTOR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
COLLEGE AND CAREER CENTER
FALL 2018



Agenda Topics

- Why apply for financial aid?
- Types of financial aid
- How to apply for financial aid
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Dream Act
- Upcoming Workshops
- Scholarships

WHY APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?



Reasons to apply for financial aid

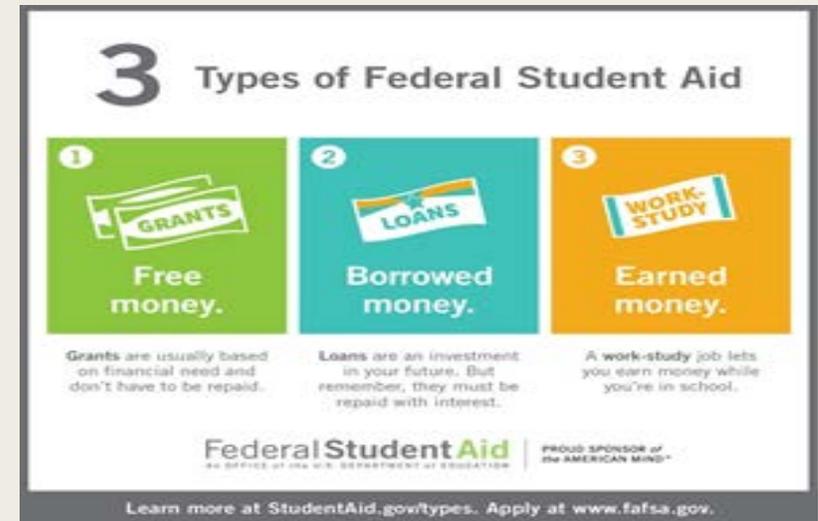
- Students who are planning to attend a community college, four year university, or vocational school can be eligible for grants (free money)
- It gives students the opportunity to receive government student loans vs. private loans
- Some scholarships require the completion of the FAFSA/Dream Act

TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID



What is Financial Aid?

- Money to pay for college or career school
 - **Grants** -Free money, doesn't need to be repaid
 - **Loans** -Borrowed money to be paid back with interest
 - **Work-study** -Money earned by the student as payment for a job on campus



Grants (Free Money)

Federal Grants

- Pell Grant
- Supplemental Education

***Can be used for Out of State institutions

State Grants

- Cal Grant A: 3.0 GPA
Cal Grant B: 2.0 GPA
Cal Grant C: Vocational Schools
- Chafee Grant (Foster Youth)
- Education Opportunity Program Grant

***Can be used only for in-state institutions

University Grants

- State University Grants

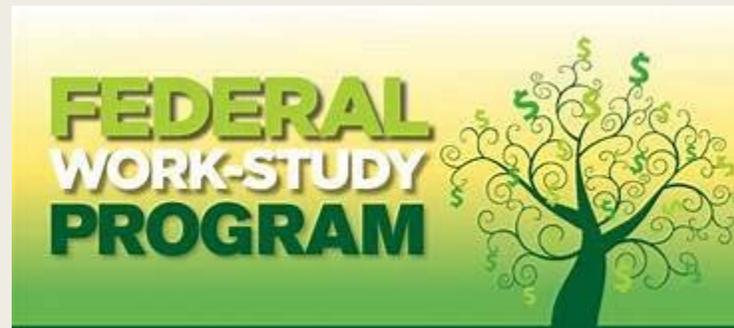
- Federal Grants are determined by Federal Student Aid Commission
- The California Student Aid Commission determines which Cal Grant students receive.
Victor Valley HS will be sending them your student's GPA unless you decide to opt-out.
- University Grants are determined by the universities

Loans

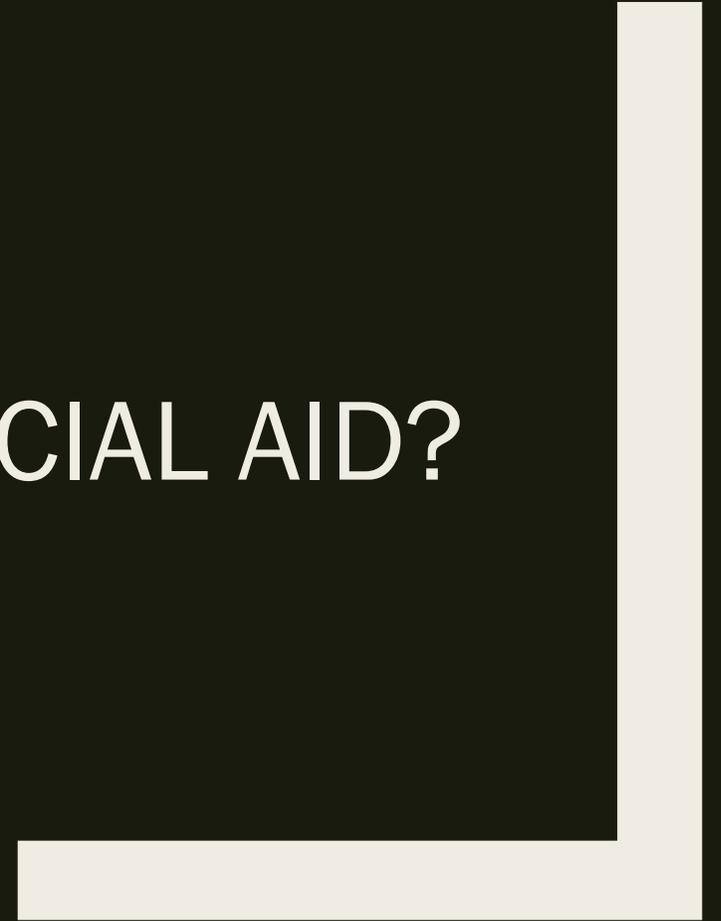
- **Subsidized Loans** - are loans made to eligible students who demonstrate financial need to help cover the cost of higher education. No interest and no payments until 6 months after graduation.
- **Unsubsidized Loans** -student does not need to demonstrate financial need to be eligible for the loan. Interest on these loans begin accruing immediately. No payments until 6 months after graduation.
- **Parent Loan (PLUS)** - allows parents borrow money to cover any costs not covered by the student's financial aid package.

Work-Study

- Universities and colleges have Federal Work Study job openings on their school websites.
- Students need to apply for these jobs. Students are not guaranteed a job.
- Students are paid in form of a paycheck, it is not deducted from their tuition bill.



HOW DO I APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?



How to apply for financial aid?

- You apply for financial aid by completing the FAFSA or Dream Act.
- You complete only 1 application! DON'T do both the FAFSA and Dream Act.

FAFSA

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- U.S. citizen, U.S. National, permanent resident, eligible non-citizen
- Valid Social Security Number

Dream Act

- Development, Relief, and Education for Alien Minors Act •
- For undocumented youth •
- No social security number •
- Have attended a California High School for at least 3 years

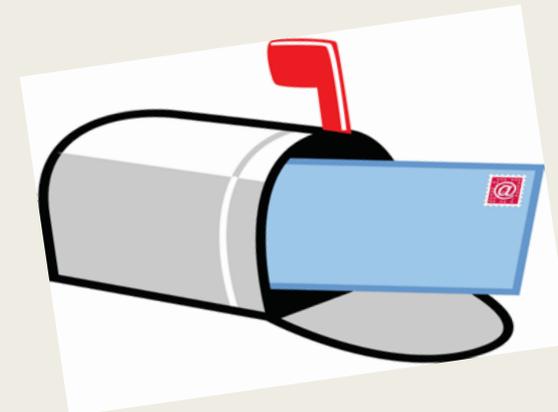
***Students that have DACA (Deferred Action) have to apply for the Dream Act.

Application Processing

Student Submits
FAFSA/Dream Act

Schools Receive
FAFSA/Dream Act

Student is contacted by
University/College



IMPORTANT DATES

Dream Act and FAFSA Application open
OCTOBER 1, 2018!!!

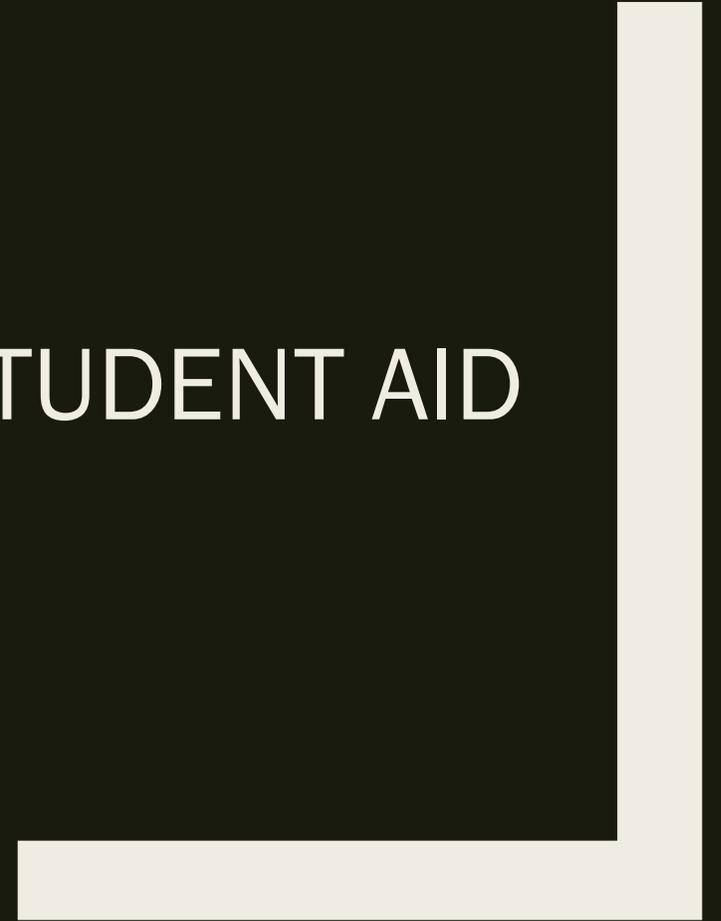
Deadline is March 2, 2019!!!

Helpful Tips

- Write down usernames and passwords
- Write down security questions
- Students should use their personal emails and not their school email
- Remember deadlines
- Application will take about 45 minutes to complete

***Students will have to apply for financial aid EVERY year

FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID
(FAFSA)
7 STEP PROCESS



Fafsa.ed.gov



The image shows the homepage of the Federal Student Aid website (fafsa.ed.gov). At the top, there is a navigation bar with the text "Federal Student Aid" and "Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)". Below this is a search bar and a language selector. The main heading is "Get help paying for college" with a sub-heading "Submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)". A banner image shows a group of diverse college students. Below the banner, there are two main sections: "New to the FAFSA?" with a "Start A New FAFSA" button, and "Returning User?" with a list of actions (Make a correction, Add a school, View your Student Aid Report (SAR), and more) and a "Login" button. The bottom section contains "Deadlines", "School Code Search", "FAFSA Filing Options", "Announcements", and "Thinking About College?".

Federal Student Aid Department of Education **FAFSA**
Free Application for Federal Student Aid

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English Español

Get help paying for college

Submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)



New to the FAFSA?

Start A New FAFSA

Returning User?

- Make a correction
- Add a school
- View your Student Aid Report (SAR), and more

Login

Deadlines
Information about your deadlines.

School Code Search
Find your college's school code. Also find detailed information about your college.

FAFSA Filing Options
Learn about the other options for filing your FAFSA.

Announcements

- The Department of Education is reviewing the recent Supreme Court decision on DACA and its impact on the federal student aid programs. We will provide information and guidance on this matter as soon as it is available.

Thinking About College?

Use FAFSA to see how federal student aid can help you pay for college.

Check out how Federal Student Aid can get you on a path to success. [View Videos on How to Use or Download the Accessibility Video](#)

Step 1: About the Student

Student Demographic Data:

- Name
- DOB
- Social Security Number
- Address

Please make sure your student is using their name as it appears on their birth certificate.

The screenshot shows the Federal Student Aid application interface. At the top, it features the 'Federal Student Aid' logo, the text 'PROUD SPONSOR of the AMERICAN MIND', and the 'FAFSA' logo with 'Free Application for Federal Student Aid'. A search bar and a 'SEARCH' button are located in the top right. Below the header is a navigation menu with tabs for 'Student Demographics', 'School Selection', 'Dependency Status', 'Parent Demographics', 'Financial Information', 'Sign & Submit', and 'Confirmation'. The 'Student Demographics' tab is active, and a vertical 'STUDENT' label is on the left side of the form area.

Student Demographic Information

Your last name Your first name Your middle initial

Your Social Security Number

Your date of birth (mmdyyyy)

Are you male or female?
 Male Female

Your permanent mailing address (include apt. number)

Your city (and country if not U.S.) Your state

Your ZIP code

Have you lived in California for at least 5 years?
 Yes No

Your telephone number

Your e-mail address

What is your marital status as of today?

Do you have driver's license information that you want to provide?
 Yes No

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Help and Hints

Student's E-mail Address Question 13

Federal Student Aid uses your e-mail address to communicate important information about your application.

E-mail addresses have only one @ symbol. The first character cannot be the @ symbol. Periods cannot be first, last, or next to another period.

[More>>>](#)

Student Eligibility:

- Citizenship Questions
 - Will ask for Visa #, if applicable
- Student High School completion
- If student is interested in Work-Study
- Foster Youth question
- Parent Education Level

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Student Eligibility

Are you a U.S. citizen?

Yes, I am a U.S. citizen (or U.S. national) ▼

Are you registered with the Selective Service System?

Yes No

Most male citizens and male immigrants must register with the Selective Service System to receive federal student aid. If you are not registered, select **Register me**.

Register me

What will your high school completion status be when you begin college in the 2018-2019 school year?

High school diploma ▼

What will your college grade level be when you begin the 2018-2019 school year?

Never attended college/1st yr. ▼

What degree or certificate will you be working on when you begin the 2018-2019 school year?

1st bachelor's degree ▼

Are you interested in being considered for work-study?

Yes ▼

Will you have your first bachelor's degree before you begin the 2018-2019 school year?

Yes No

Are you a foster youth or were you at any time in the foster care system?

No ▼

Highest school completed by Parent 1

Select ▼

Highest school completed by Parent 2

Select ▼

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Help and Hints

Parent's Educational Level Question 24 and 25

Select the answer that best describes your parent's highest level of education completed.

This question is used for state scholarship purposes only and does not affect your eligibility for federal student aid. For this question, **parent** means your birth or adoptive parent. Do not answer this question about a stepparent, legal guardian, or foster parent.

Step 2: School Selection

- Add Colleges/ Universities that the student has applied to or plans to attend
- Select a housing plan:
 - *On campus*
 - *With parent*
 - *Off campus*

The screenshot shows the 'School Selection' step of the FAFSA application process. The page is titled 'STUDENT' on the left side. The navigation bar at the top includes 'Student Demographics', 'School Selection', 'Dependency Status', 'Parent Demographics', 'Financial Information', 'Sign & Submit', and 'Confirmation'. The 'School Selection' section contains two messages: an information message stating that Larry may qualify for federal student aid, and a success message indicating the application was saved. Below these messages, there is a search section with a dropdown for 'State' (set to 'Select'), a 'Federal School Code' input field, and optional input fields for 'City' and 'School Name'. There are 'SEARCH' buttons and a 'Search Tips' link. At the bottom, there are 'PREVIOUS' and 'NEXT' navigation buttons, and a footer with 'NEED HELP?', 'SAVE', 'CLEAR ALL DATA', 'VIEW FAFSA SUMMARY', and 'EXIT' buttons.

Student Demographics | **School Selection** | Dependency Status | Parent Demographics | Financial Information | Sign & Submit | Confirmation

School Selection

i ■ Larry, based on the information you provided, we have determined that you may qualify for federal student aid. Continue through the application for us to determine how much aid you can receive.

✓ ■ Application was successfully saved.

You can add up to 10 colleges to your FAFSA. If you know your college's school code, use the option to the right to search. If you need help finding your college, use the state (required), city (optional), and school name (optional) fields to begin your search.

State Federal School Code

City (optional) OR

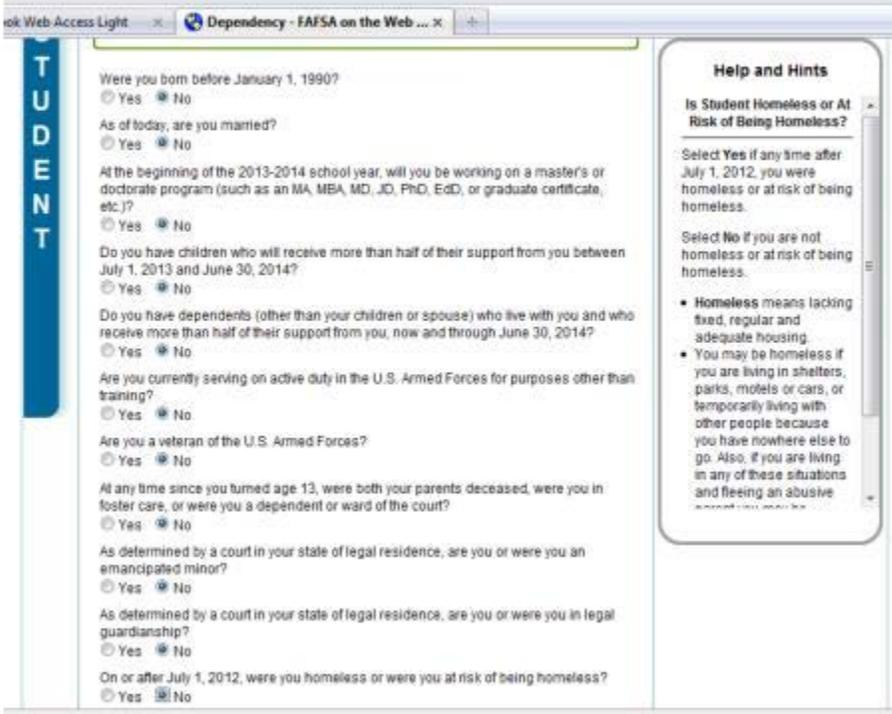
School Name (optional)

[Search Tips](#)

Step 3: Determining Student Dependency Status

- The majority of students will be considered “Dependents”
- Situations where a student is considered “Independent” are if they:
 - *Have children*
 - *Foster Youth*
 - *Homeless Youth/ Unaccompanied Minors*
 - *Emancipated Minors*
 - *Legal Guardianship (via court)*
 - *Married*
 - *Active Duty*

Dependency Status



The screenshot shows the FAFSA Dependency Status form. The form is titled "Dependency Status" and is part of the FAFSA on the Web application. It contains several questions with radio button options for "Yes" and "No". The questions are:

- Were you born before January 1, 1990? (Yes selected)
- As of today, are you married? (Yes selected)
- At the beginning of the 2013-2014 school year, will you be working on a master's or doctorate program (such as an MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, or graduate certificate, etc.)? (Yes selected)
- Do you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014? (Yes selected)
- Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2014? (Yes selected)
- Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training? (Yes selected)
- Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces? (Yes selected)
- At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court? (Yes selected)
- As determined by a court in your state of legal residence, are you or were you an emancipated minor? (Yes selected)
- As determined by a court in your state of legal residence, are you or were you in legal guardianship? (Yes selected)
- On or after July 1, 2012, were you homeless or were you at risk of being homeless? (Yes selected)

There is a "Help and Hints" section on the right side of the form, which includes the following text:

Help and Hints

Is Student Homeless or At Risk of Being Homeless?

Select **Yes** if any time after July 1, 2012, you were homeless or at risk of being homeless.

Select **No** if you are not homeless or at risk of being homeless.

- **Homeless** means lacking fixed, regular and adequate housing.
- You may be homeless if you are living in shelters, parks, motels or cars, or temporarily living with other people because you have nowhere else to go. Also, if you are living in any of these situations and fleeing an abusive situation.

- If a *dependent student*, the student will report their own and his or her parents' information.
- If an *independent student*, the student will report his or her own information (and, if married, his or her spouse's).

Step 4: Parent Information for Dependent Students

- Parent demographics
 - Social Security #
 - Undocumented parents: please use 000-00-0000 for Social Security #
 - DOB
- Marital status
- Household size
 - Parent provides more than 50% financial support
- Number of students enrolled in College

The screenshot shows the 'Parents Demographics' section of the FAFSA application. At the top, it features the 'Federal Student Aid' logo, the text 'PROUD SPONSOR of the AMERICAN MIND', and the 'FAFSA Free Application for Federal Student Aid' logo. A navigation bar includes a 'Help' icon, a search box, and a 'SEARCH' button. Below this is a tabbed interface with tabs for 'Student Demographics', 'School Selection', 'Dependency Status', 'Parent Demographics' (which is active), 'Financial Information', 'Sign & Submit', and 'Confirmation'. The main content area is titled 'Parent Demographics Information' and contains a success message: 'Application was successfully saved.' Below this is a question: 'As of today, what is the marital status of your legal parents (biological and/or adoptive)?' with a dropdown menu set to 'Select'. There are input fields for 'Your parents' e-mail address', a radio button question 'Have your parents lived in Canada for at least 5 years?' with 'Yes' and 'No' options, a text input for 'Your parents' number of family members in 2015-2016 (household size)', and a text input for 'How many people in your parents' household will be college students between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016? Do not include your parents.' A 'HOUSEHOLD SIZE' button is also present. At the bottom of the form are buttons for 'NEED HELP?', 'SAVE', 'CLEAR ALL DATA', 'VIEW FAFSA SUMMARY', and 'EXIT'. On the right side, there is a 'Help and Hints' section titled 'Parents' Marital Status Question 59' with explanatory text and a 'More>>>' link. A vertical 'PARENT' label is on the left side of the form area.

Parent Income Information

IRS Data Retrieval Tool

- Transfers information directly from the IRS
- Will use 2017 tax return information
- It will directly transfer you to the IRS website

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Student Demographics	School Selection	Dependency Status	Parent Demographics	Financial Information	Sign & Submit	Confirmation
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Parent Tax Information

Application was successfully saved.

For 2012, has your mother completed her IRS income tax return or another tax return?
Already completed

You, the mother, may be able to use the [IRS Data Retrieval Tool](#) to view and transfer your tax information from the IRS.

Did you, the mother, file an amended tax return?
 Yes No

Did you, the mother, file a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return?
 Yes No

Did you, the mother, file taxes electronically in the last 3 weeks (or by mail in the last 8 weeks)?
 Yes No

If you filed your taxes electronically within the last 3 weeks or if you filed your taxes by mail within the last 8 weeks, your tax information may not be available yet from the IRS. You can determine if you should attempt to access your tax information from the IRS at this time. Keep in mind any [deadlines](#).

Enter your PIN and click **Link To IRS**.

What is your (the mother's/stepmother's) PIN?
 [Apply For A PIN](#)
[I Forgot/Don't Know My PIN](#)

LINK TO IRS

PREVIOUS **NEXT**

NEED HELP? **SAVE** **CLEAR ALL DATA** **VIEW FAFSA SUMMARY** **EXIT**

Help and Hints

Filed an Amended Tax Return?

If you, the parent(s), filed an amended tax return, select **Yes**; otherwise, select **No**.

You are not eligible to use the [IRS Data Retrieval Tool](#) if you filed an amended tax return.

Related Topics:
[Why can't I use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool if I filed an amended tax return?](#)

Situations when you won't be able to use the IRS Retrieval tool

You won't be able to use the IRS Retrieval tool IF:

- You've made correction on your taxes (Form 1040X amended tax return)
- Are undocumented and filed taxes using an Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN)
- Sometimes there are technical issues with transferring information from the IRS

DON'T Worry!!!! You can still complete the FAFSA.
You will simply need to manually input tax return
information.

Step 5: Student Income

- If your student worked and filed their 2017 taxes they will also provide their income

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Student Demographics | School Selection | Dependency Status | Parent Demographics | Financial Information

Student Tax Information

i • **Attention!** You must provide financial information from your **2016 tax return** on the following pages.

✓ • Application was successfully saved.

For 2016, have you completed your IRS income tax return or another tax return?
Already completed ▾

For 2016, what is your tax filing status according to your tax return?
Single ▾

Did you file a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return for 2016?
 Yes No

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

[LINK TO IRS](#)

[PREVIOUS](#) [NEXT](#)

[NEED HELP?](#) [SAVE](#) [CLEAR ALL DATA](#) [VIEW FAFSA SUMMARY](#) [EXIT](#)

Step 6: Signatures

Last Step:

- Student AND Parent will have to create an FSA ID
 - *FSA ID is a “username and password” that is used as a form of electronic signature*
- Student AND Parent will have to agree to Terms and Conditions
- Submit!!!

*****Parents with no SS # will not be able to create an FSA ID. They will have to print out a signature page and mail it.**

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Help [SEARCH]

Student Demographics | School Selection | Dependency Status | Parent Demographics | Financial Information | **Sign & Submit** | Confirmation

Sign & Submit

Application was successfully saved.

[VIEW OR PRINT YOUR FAFSA INFORMATION](#)

Are you a preparer?
 Yes No

Student Signature

Student's Social Security Number: XXX-XX-2581
Student's last name: Data
Student's date of birth: 01/01/1994

READ BEFORE PROCEEDING

By signing this application electronically using your Federal Student Aid PIN, 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

I, the student, agree to the terms outlined above.
 Agree Disagree

[SIGN](#)

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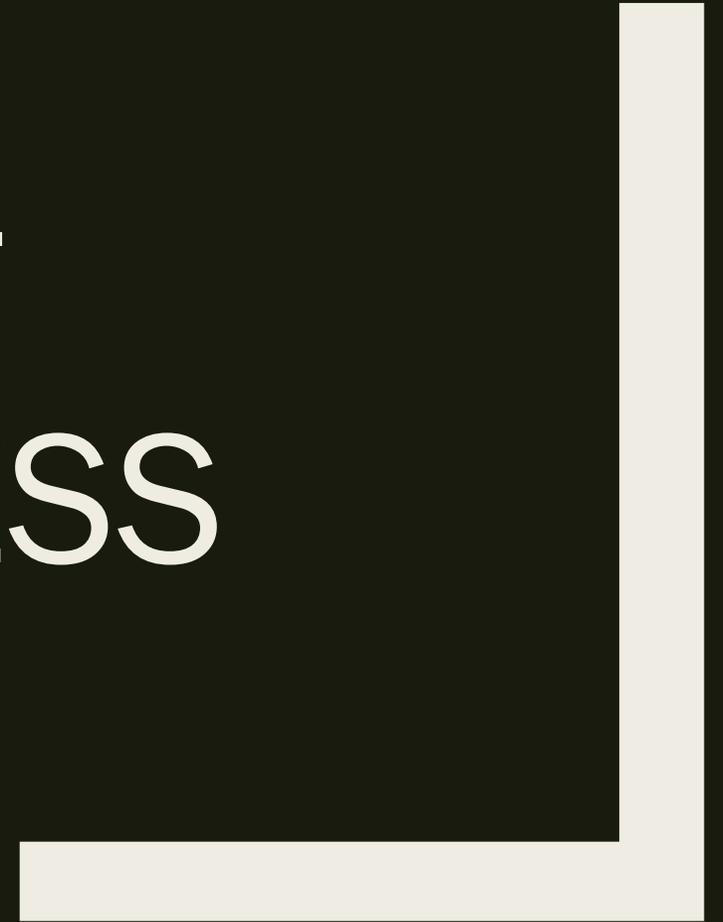
Are you a preparer?

A preparer is anyone who charges a fee for helping you fill out your FAFSA.

Typically high school counselors, school financial aid administrators, or other mentors do not charge a fee to help you complete your application, so they are not considered preparers unless you paid them for their services.

If you are a preparer, select Yes.

DREAM ACT 8 STEP PROCESS



WWW.CALDREAMACT.ORG

The screenshot shows the homepage of the California Student Aid Commission's website for the California Dream Act. At the top, there are logos for 'CA GOV' and 'California Student Aid Commission'. A navigation bar includes links for 'Home', 'FAQ', 'Contact Us', 'Privacy Policy', and 'Site Map'. The main banner features a smiling young woman with a backpack, with the text 'CALIFORNIA DREAM ACT Apply by March 2'. Below this, a text box explains that the application allows eligible students to apply for state financial aid. A central heading reads 'Check out our California Dream Act information & resources.' Below this, there are three columns of information:

- Announcements:** A yellow circle with an 'i' icon. The text includes: 'Remember, the January 2016 to January 2017 deadline for the...', 'To apply for a Cal State student California Dream Act Application March 2...', and 'Be it essential information to receive California Dream Act application via separate way that always available for it like a PDF file...'
- NEW to the CA Dream Act? First Time User?** A green circle with a checkmark icon. The text includes: 'Read the PDF application', 'Get Started', and a green 'Start' button.
- Returning User to CA Dream Act?** A green circle with a checkmark icon. The text includes: 'Complete a revised application', 'Make corrections to your application', 'Review your application', 'Add another...', and a green 'Login' button.
- Submit Parent Signature** A green circle with a checkmark icon. The text includes: 'Request a Parent PIN', 'Forgot your Parent PIN?', and 'Sign the Student Application', and a green 'Parent Signature' button.

At the bottom, there is a disclaimer: 'The California Student Aid Commission has strict security and confidentiality policies and procedures in place to protect the integrity and confidentiality of student records. The California Student Aid Commission has not ever, or in the past, stored any information which would indicate a student's immigration status, either documented or undocumented. The California Student Aid Commission also adheres to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. § 1232g) and the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) (15 U.S.C. § 1681) to protect the privacy of student records and reports.'

Step 1: Confirming AB 540 Criteria

AB 540 Criteria:

- Attended high school in CA for 3 or more years
- Graduated or will graduate from a CA high school
- Will enroll at an accredited CA college or university
- Don't hold a valid non-immigrant visa (F, J, H, L, A, B, C, D, E, etc.)

The screenshot shows the California Student Aid Commission website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, CA.GOV, CSAC.CA.GOV, Privacy Policy, and Help. The main header features the CA.GOV logo and the California Student Aid Commission logo. A large orange ribbon graphic is positioned below the header. The main content area is titled "STUDENT" on the left side. The question "Do you meet the AB540 criteria list below?" is displayed with radio buttons for "Yes" (selected) and "No". A green "Continue" button with a right-pointing arrow is located below the question. The criteria list is as follows:

- Attended a California high school for at least three years OR graduated early from a California high school with the equivalent of at least three years of credits*, **AND**
- Graduated or will graduate from a California high school or passed the California High School Proficiency Examination (CHSPE), or obtained a Certificate of General Education Development (GED), **AND**
- Will register or enroll in an accredited and qualifying California college or university, **AND**
- If applicable, complete(d) an affidavit to legalize immigration status as soon as you are eligible, **AND**
- Do not hold a valid non-immigrant visa (F, J, H, L, A, B, C, D, E, etc.)**

Footnotes at the bottom of the criteria list:

*If you graduated early from high school under this provision, you must also have attended CA schools (elementary and secondary) for a cumulative total of three or more years.
**If you have Temporary Protected Status or hold a U Visa select "Yes"

Step 2: Student Demographic Information

Student Demographic:

- Name
- Address
- Will ask students to create a username and password

Lets Get Started

Please complete the following form in order to continue. The minimum required fields are indicated with a red asterisk, although we recommend completing the entire form in order to expedite your application processing time.

Student Information

* First Name

Middle Initial

* Last Name

* Date of Birth

Student Address

* Mailing Address

* City

* State

* Zip Code

Student Contact

Phone Number

* Email Address

* Confirm Email Address

Security Information

User ID Hint: Length 6 - 128 characters, accepts Alphanumeric and _ . - @

* User ID

Password Hint: Length 6 - 40 characters, at least one number, one lowercase, one uppercase

* Password

* Confirm Password

* Security Question

Security Answer Hint: Minimum length is 6 characters

* Security Answer

* Confirm Security Answer

Step 3: Student Income

- If student worked and filed 2017 taxes they will have to manually input information

CA .GOV California Student Aid Commission

Home | CA.GOV | CSAC.CA.GOV | Privacy Policy | Help

Welcome [Name] | Logout

CA Dream Application

Academic Year 2016 - 2017

Instructions | **Student** | Dependency | Parent | Signature | Confirmation | CaISAR

1) * Your Last Name

2) * Your First Name

3) Your Middle Initial

4) * Your Street or Post Office Mailing Address

5) * City

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[Save Application](#)

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Step 4: College Selection

- Add Colleges/ Universities that the student has applied to or plans to attend
- Select a housing plan:
 - *On campus*
 - *With parent*
 - *Off campus*

Step 5: Dependency Questions

- The majority of students will be considered “Dependents”
- The only time a student is considered “Independent” is if they:
 - *Have children*
 - *Foster Youth*
 - *Homeless Youth/Unaccompanied Minors*
 - *Emancipated Minors*
 - *Legal Guardianship (via court)*
 - *Married*
 - *Active Duty*

Step 6: Parent Information

- Parent marital status
- Parent Social Security # or ITIN Number
- Tax Return information from 2017 will have to be manually entered

Step 7: Student Signature

- Read terms and conditions
- Student signs application

The screenshot displays the 'CA Dream Application' website for the Academic Year 2016-2017. The page is titled 'CA Dream Application' and 'Academic Year 2016 - 2017'. The navigation menu includes 'Home', 'CA.GOV', 'CSAC.CA.GOV', 'Privacy Policy', and 'Help'. The user is logged in, with a 'Welcome' message and a 'Logout' link. The main content area is divided into several tabs: 'Instructions', 'Student', 'Dependency', 'Parent', 'Signature' (which is the active tab), 'Confirmation', and 'CaSAR'. The 'Signature' tab contains the following text:

- You do not owe money back on a federal or state student grant or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it;
- You will notify your college if you default on a federal student loan; and
- You will not receive a Cal Grant from more than one college for the same period of time.

Below the list, there is a paragraph of text: "If you are the parent or the student, by signing this application you agree, if asked, to provide information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form. This information may include U.S. or state income tax forms that you filed or are required to file. Also, you certify that you understand that the California Attorney General has the authority to verify information reported on this application with the Franchise Tax Board and other state or federal agencies. If you sign any document related to the state student aid programs electronically, you certify that you are the person identified. If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined up to \$20,000, sent to prison, or both."

On the right side of the page, there is a large digital timer showing '24:00' with 'Min: Sec' below it, and a green button labeled 'Save Application'.

At the bottom of the main content area, there is a green bar with the text 'Student signature' and a checkbox labeled '(check this box to sign)'. Below this bar are 'Save' and 'Submit' buttons. A warning icon and text state: 'Single Click! Double clicking the submit button may prevent you from receiving confirmation for this application.'

The footer of the page includes 'Copyright © 2013 State of California', 'DA. 31D.1', and navigation links for 'CA.GOV', 'CSAC.CA.GOV', 'Contact Us', 'Privacy Policy', 'Terms of Use', and 'Help'.

Step 8: Parent Signature

The screenshot shows the California Student Aid Commission website. At the top, there are logos for CA.GOV and the California Student Aid Commission, along with navigation links for Home, CA.GOV, CASH.GOV, Privacy Policy, and Help. The main banner features a smiling woman and the text "CALIFORNIA DREAM ACT Apply by March 2". Below this, a text box explains that the application allows eligible students to apply for state financial aid and is included in the federal Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program. The central heading reads "Check out our California Dream Act information & resources." Below this, there are three columns of information:

- Announcements:** Includes a yellow information icon and a list of updates regarding the application process.
- NEW to the CA Dream Act? First Time User?** Includes a green checkmark icon and a list of steps: Start a NEW application, Get Started, and a green "Start" button.
- Returning to the CA Dream Act?** Includes a green checkmark icon and a list of steps: Complete a renewal application, Make a correction to your application, Renew your application, Add a school, and a green "Login" button.
- Submit Parent Signature** (highlighted with a red circle): Includes a green checkmark icon and a list of steps: Request a Parent PIN, Forget your Parent PIN, Sign the Student application, and a green "Parent Signature" button.

At the bottom, there is a disclaimer: "The California Student Aid Commission has strict security and confidentiality policies and procedures in place to protect the integrity and confidentiality of student records. The California Student Aid Commission has not now, or in the past, shared any information which would indicate a student's immigration status, either identified or unidentifiable. The California Student Aid Commission also adheres to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) 20 U.S.C. § 1222g, 34 CFR § 101.31, a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records."