

Create your Federal Student Aid (FSA) ID

Go to studentaid.gov and click “Create account” then “Get Started”.

1 Enter your **Name**, **Date of birth**, and **Social Security Number**.

Username: Choose something you will remember and hasn't already been taken.

Note: You will see a message that says “Username Available” or “Username Taken” once you meet the minimum field requirements.

2 **Email:** Must be personal and unique to the individual requesting the ID.

Password: Choose something you will remember that meets the password criteria and minimum field requirements.

3 **Mailing Address, City, State, and Zip Code**

Mobile Phone: Must be personal and unique to the individual requesting the ID.

Note: Make sure to check the box which allows you to use your mobile phone for account recovery.

4 **Communication Preferences**

- Required Communications - Email (Automatically selected) *Recommended*
- Informal Communications - Optional (You may leave both boxes unchecked)

5 **Challenge Questions:** You must select and answer all four questions.

- Your answers must be between 3 and 55 characters.
- Answers are not case sensitive.
- Letters, numbers, and spaces are the only allowed characters.

6 Review **ALL** information and click on the check box, agreeing to the terms and conditions.

7 **Account Recovery:**

Click on “Verify My Mobile Phone Number”

- You will receive a 6-digit code via text.
- Enter the secure code in the box provided.

Click on “Verify My Email Address”

- You will receive a 6-digit code via email.
- **Subject Line:** “Important: Your FSA ID E-mail Validation - Action Required”
- Enter the secure 6-digit code in the box provided.

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