### CONTACT STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

**CALL**  
318-675-5561  
**TEXT**  
318-217-2417  
**EMAIL**  
shvfinaid@lsuhs.edu

CLICK HERE OR SCAN BELOW TO SCHEDULE A VIRTUAL APPOINTMENT

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When contacting Student Financial Aid by email, list your government name and your Employee ID number to assist with your request. Providing any name other than what is listed in the Student Self-service Portal will lengthen the completion time of your request.

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### Exit Loan Counseling Required for Graduates with Federal Loans

Graduating federal loan borrowers must complete Exit Loan Counseling and attend a Student Loan Repayment Session — virtual or in-person — as a requirement for graduation clearance. Students who have graduated, obtained a degree, or have dropped below 6 credit hours are required to complete Exit Loan Counseling. Exit Loan Counseling is found on the student loans website [https://studentloans.gov](https://studentloans.gov). Use your FSA ID and Password to log in.

### APPLY FOR 2022-2023 FAFSA

The 2022-2023 FASFA Application is now available. Scan the QR code or visit [https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa](https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa) to apply today. See chart below for guidance.

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Virtual Sessions to Aid with Financial Matters

We want financial literacy to be a part of your life. To that end, The Office of Student Financial Aid has focused resources on providing support and education on financial understanding for all students.

The more you know, and the more tools you have at your disposal, the better prepared you will be for life at and beyond LSU Health Shreveport. Student Financial Aid has curated virtual sessions that are available to you.

UPCOMING SESSIONS & REGISTRATION LINKS
Student Loan Repayment 2022
May 18 at 1PM
Register: https://bit.ly/fin-lit-may18

Developing Focus
May 25 at 1PM

Student Loan Refinancing Options After the Federal Pause
June 15 at 1PM

Building Resilience: Strengthen Your Ability to Bounce Back
June 22 at 1PM

Understanding Credit and Private Student Loan Underwriting
June 29 at 1PM

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Did You Know...

QUICK FACTS ON YOUR FINANCIAL AID

Stay on Top of TOPS Funds

For remaining TOPS funds to be applied toward your education, provide the TOPS Award Progress Report by email to Shvfinaid@lsuhs.edu, and indicate the term — Summer or Fall — to which you want TOPS applied. Consider applying the TOPS funds to the term with highest tuition expenses, which grants the receipt of more funds.

Visit https://bit.ly/losfa-hub or scan the QR code for instructions on how to access the report. Contact the Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance directly regarding eligibility or assistance at 1-800-259-5626 or visit https://mylosfa.la.gov.

Webinars Explain Changes to Public Service Loan Forgiveness

On Oct. 6, the U.S. Department of Education announced a temporary change to Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF). Through Oct. 31, 2022, borrowers will receive credit for past payments that would not otherwise have qualified for PSLF.

To learn more, register for one of the following webinars that will walk you through what these changes mean for borrowers pursuing PSLF and discuss frequently asked questions about this opportunity.

For more information: https://bit.ly/pslf-info

UPCOMING WEBINARS
May 19 at 2PM
Register: https://bit.ly/pslf-may19

June 9 at 7:30PM

June 21 at 11AM

July 5 at 7:30PM

July 21 at 11AM

August 9 at 2PM

LOAN PAYMENT PAUSE EXTENDED

On April 6, 2022, the U.S. Department of Education extended the student loan payment pause through Aug. 31, 2022. The pause includes the following relief measures for eligible loans:

- A suspension of loan payments
- A 0% interest rate
- Stopped collections on defaulted loans

For more information, visit https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/covid-19.

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY FOR NUTRITION AID

College students enrolled at least half-time and either have an expected parental contribution of $0 or are eligible for work-study are now eligible for SNAP. Learn how to apply at https://bit.ly/snap-apply.

HOW AID OFFERS ARE PROCESSED

Once a review has been completed by a financial aid counselor, a Financial Aid Notification will be submitted to your student email to review. This notice allows you to view the aid offer and proceed to the student self-service link listed to Accept, Reduce, or Decline the aid you are eligible for. You must accept offers as soon as you can to allow your aid to process prior to the first day of class when tuition is due.

Note: The Financial Aid Notification may be printed and used as proof of income.

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS


STUDENT FINANCIAL AID
Administration Building
4th Floor, Room 405
Greetings from the Student

OASIS

You’ll Wish You Were Here!

Join Student Financial Aid at an Open House showcasing the new student area, The Student Oasis! Mingle while you get a better view of the new serenity space. Refreshments will be served.

LOCATION: Administration Building, 4th Floor

NEW STUDENT SPACE OPEN HOUSE

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REGISTER:

Thanks to the students who cast their votes to name the new space during the Spring Social in April.