



GATHERING THE DOCUMENTS NEEDED FOR FAFSA

To complete the 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), you will need:

- Student and Parent FSA ID to sign electronically.
- Student Social Security Number
- Student Alien Registration number (if student is not a U.S. citizen)
- Parent(s) Social Security Number (if applicable)
 - *Note: If your parent doesn't have an SSN, enter all zeros (e.g., 000000000). Don't enter an Individual Taxpayer Identification Number in the "Social Security number" field.*
- Student and Parent(s) Date of Birth
- Know your parents date of marriage or divorce
- Student driver's license number if you have one
- Parent(s) and student (*if applicable*) **2019** federal income tax returns, W-2s, and other records of money earned.
 - IRS Data Retrieval Tool- allows students and parents who filed a U.S tax return with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) to access the IRS tax return information and transfer data directly into FAFSA form. *We recommend having access to the physical returns so that you enter the information exactly as it appears into the IRS Data Retrieval Tool.*
- Information of untaxed income (child support received or paid, interest income, veteran's non-education benefits, etc.)
- Information on food stamps (SNAP) benefits received during the last two calendar years (if any)
- Household size
- Information on cash, savings and checking account balances in your bank account
- Information on investments, including stocks and bonds and real estate, not including the home in which you live; and business and farm assets for you, and for your parents if you are a dependent student

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