

# UMSL

## FINANCIAL AID CHECKLIST



- Complete the FAFSA which is available October 1st for the next school year. The FAFSA form is available at the [studentaid.gov](http://studentaid.gov) website and mobile app (The myStudentAid app is available for Apple's iOS/Android operating systems.) Students are encouraged to complete the form as soon as possible on or after October 1st to meet FAFSA deadlines
- Make sure to include UMSL's school code (002519) on the FAFSA
- Apply for scholarships by submitting the UMSL Competitive Scholarship application
- Submit all the documents requested by Student Financial Aid (verification form, tax return, etc) via Secure Document Upload feature in MyView Student Center
- Accept your Aid Offer through MyView Student Center's Self Service
- For Stafford Loans:
  - + If you are a first-time borrower, complete Entrance Loan Counseling and a Master Promissory Note at [studentaid.gov](http://studentaid.gov)
  - + If you are a previous borrower, submit your Entrance Loan Counseling to UMSL via [studentaid.gov](http://studentaid.gov) (If you need a new Master Promissory Note, you will be contacted)

**GREAT! YOU SHOULD BE ALL SET TO GO!**

**REMEMBER TO READ ALL CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED FROM STUDENT FINANCIAL AID (STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES), AND TO RESPOND PROMPTLY.**

**ALL THE BEST TO YOU,**

**Student Financial Services**

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