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## FINANCIAL AID

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### Complete the FAFSA application beginning December 1st



- Complete the FAFSA online application at studentaid.gov
- Cal State LA will receive your FAFSA within 7-10 business days.
- Utilize the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to decrease the processing time.
- Report the 2023 tax year.
- Cal State LA school code: **001140**.
- March 3<sup>rd</sup> is the priority deadline to submit the FAFSA to be eligible for available aid.
- Apply early to ensure that your financial aid is processed before you need to pay for class registration.

# FAFSA

# APPLY

Complete the admissions process at Cal State LA

- Apply to Cal State LA at https://www2.calstate.edu/apply
- Provide your social security number and the exact spelling of your name as it appears on your social security card
- Include your correct date of birth to ensure that admissions and financial aid files are linked and complete for processing.
- ➤ To be eligible for financial aid, you must be admitted to an approved program (degree or certificate) at Cal State LA.

### SCHOLARSHIPS

Apply for the Cal State LA General Scholarship

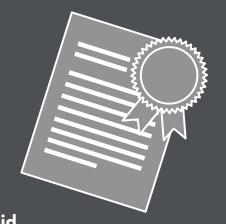
- ► Complete '1' application http://www.calstatela.edu/financialaid/scholarship
- ► Then, apply to the General Scholarship between March 3 and April 18

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## Check your financial aid status in GET (Golden Eagle Territory) Student Center

- Include your correct date of birth to ensure that admissions and financial aid files are linked and complete for processing.
- Review your **GET** "To-Do-Lists" and any communications received and respond in a timely manner.
- **GET** Login
- https://cmsweb.calstatela.edu/psp/HLAPRD/?cmd=login
- Once documents are submitted, processing time is approximately 7-10 business days.





### Financial Aid Award Notification

- ▶ View your award on the GET Student Center by:
  - Selecting "Finances" and clicking on the "View Financial Aid" link
  - Clicking on "Aid Year" to view your award
- Financial aid awards are initially based on full time enrollment (12 or more units).
- Award proration for Undergraduates enrolled in less than a full-time schedule are:
- □ 12 or more = 100%
- □ 9-11 units = 75%
- □ 6-8 units = 50%
- □ 1-5 units = 25%



### Federal Direct Subsidized/ Unsubsidized Loans

- ▶ To be eligible, students must:
  - Be enrolled in a minimum of 6 units or more each semester
- PLEASE NOTE: Additional steps are required to receive Federal Direct Student Loans. Learn more at: studentaid.gov
- Complete the Loan Counseling
- Complete the MPN (Master Promissory Note)
- For more information:
  http://www.colstatela.edu/financialaid/laans

# LOANS SUBSIDIZED/UNSUBSIDIZED

### DISBURSEMENT

Disbursement Information

- Disbursements are scheduled approximately 10 days prior to the start of classes
- Disbursements occur weekly once the semester begins
- The Disbursement Office prepares and issues checks for the following:
- Financial Aid Grants/Direct Loans
- Scholarships
- Alternative Loans/Parent PLUS Loans
- ASI Grant-In-Aid/Athletic Grant-In-Aid
- Off Campus Work Study
- Tuition Refunds
- 30 Day Loans
- Disbursement Schedule
  - vww.calstatela.edu/financialaid/disbursement-informatio
  - Enroll in Eagle Express Direct Deposit



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