



Need help completing the FAFSA? Online FAFSA Workshops Available

When: January 13, 27
February 3, 10, 24
March 2, 9, 23
April 13, 20
May 4, 18

Where: Transfer Center (SC-216P)
Time: 10:00 A.M.

Please Read

To apply for financial aid for the 2011-2012 or 2012-2013 school year, you will need to know:

- First and last name (as it appears on social security card), social security number, and date of birth. Must match the Social Security Administration's records.
- If you have a resident alien card, your alien registration number.
- If you have driver's license (not an ID card)
- 2010** income information (for the **2011-2012** application) both taxed and untaxed (If applicable, parents' **2010** income information).
- 2011** income (for the **2012-2013** application) information both taxed and untaxed (if applicable, parents' **2011** income information).

- **If you worked bring:**

- W-2 Forms and/or other records of money earned
- If you filed, a Federal Income Tax Return (IRS 1040, 1040A, 1040 EZ) or Foreign Tax Return

- **Amounts received in 2010 for:**

- Veterans non-educational benefits
- Child support received
- Worker's compensation

- Asset information (e.g. cash, checking/savings account, investments, current business value)

If applicable, you may need parent's information, too. To check to see if parental information is required, complete the worksheet on the back.

WE STRONGLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO CHECK YOUR EMAIL FREQUENTLY!



2011-2012 FAFSA Dependency Worksheet

Dependency

An independent student is one who:

- was born before January 1, 1988 **or**
- as of the date the FAFSA was filed, is married **or**
- will be working on a degree beyond a bachelor's degree in school year 2011-2012 **or**
- is currently serving active duty in U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training **or**
- is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces **or**
- has children who receive more than 50% of their support from you in 2011-2012 **or**
- has dependents other than a spouse who receive more than 50% of their support from you **or**
- as of the age of 13 both parents were deceased, was in foster care or was considered a ward of the court **or**
- as of the date the FAFSA was filed, is an emancipated minor as determined by the courts **or**
- as of the date the FAFSA was filed, is in a legal guardianship as determined by the courts **or**
- at any time your H.S. or school district's Homeless Liaison determined you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless **or**
- at any time the director of an emergency shelter funded by HUD determined you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless **or**
- at any time the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center determined you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless

Unless one of these applies to you, you must provide your parents information.

Exceptions

Exceptions may only be made if extraordinary and unusual circumstances can be documented. Please contact the Financial Aid Office if you believe you have extraordinary circumstances.

Financial Aid Office: 408-288-3741
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