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Eligibility for FAFSA and TASFA (Students may qualify for either the FAFSA or TASFA)

Eligible for the FAFSA

(Free Application for Federal Student Aid)

- U.S. citizen
- U.S. national
- Permanent Resident (Green Card Holder)
- Refugee or asylum granted
- Cuban-Haitian Entrant
- T visa holder or child of a T1 visa

Eligible for the TASFA

(Texas Application for State Financial Aid)

- DACA student
- Child of work visa holder
- Immigrant Texas student
 - At least three years in Texas
 - Graduated from a Texas high school

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Documents Needed

Documents to bring:

- Social Security number or an Alien Registration Number
- 2018 Federal tax return or record of earnings (1040 and W2 forms)

Documents to bring:

- Tax transcript
- University ID number
- 2018 Federal tax return or record of earnings (1040 and W2 forms)

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FSA ID

Create your FSA ID at www.fsaaid.ed.gov

1. Students and parents need a separate FSA ID
2. The FSA ID is used to log in to your FAFSA, retrieve data using the IRS tool, and sign your FAFSA.

FSA ID Video: <https://youtu.be/K7ihhGk8mCY>

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Getting Started Resources

Watch these videos for help:

1. Getting Started (FAFSA): <https://youtu.be/LK0bbu0y5AM>
2. Getting Started (TASFA): <https://youtu.be/aXX6HqaqEAK>
3. Tips (FAFSA): <https://youtu.be/fz9j-g1FIHQ>
4. Step-by-Step Guide (FAFSA): <https://youtu.be/d1GmaBMD-oY>

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