

School Counseling

Financial Aid

The Student Financial Assistance Programs, overseen by the US Department of Education, are the largest source of student aid in America. To access financial aid, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) application must be filed. FAFSA applications are available after <u>October 1</u> online at <u>https://fafsa.gov/</u>

Filling Out the FAFSA Guide - https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out

The Federal Student Aid website is a comprehensive guide to not only the FAFSA information, but the types of aid, loan information, financial prep for college and more. It is a recommended starting point to learn about various aid sources that exist.

Federal Student Aid Website - http://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/

The Higher Educational Aids Board website is the state resource for financial aid information. Resources range from the various need based options to the Academic and Technical Excellence Scholarships.

Higher Educational Aids Board - http://heab.state.wi.us/

Sallie Mae Bank is a private corporation that focuses their business on educational loans. The site is a good resource for comparing public and private loan options.

Sallie Mae Bank - https://www.salliemae.com/