

Creating your FSA ID is the first step to completing the FAFSA!

Let this be your guide to gather information to begin the financial aid process

- Your FSA ID gives you access to the Federal Student Aid online system and serves as your legal signature.
- Only create an FSA ID using your own personal information and for your own exclusive use.
- You will use your FSA ID every year you are in college to complete the FAFSA and to review your federal student aid.

1. Log on to www.StudentAid.gov to create a username and password

2. Input your identity information

- Be sure to input your legal name and date of birth correctly when you complete your FSA ID.
- Your Social Security number and name must match what is on your Social Security card.

PERSONAL EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

FIRST NAME: _____ MIDDLE INITIAL: _____ LAST NAME: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN): _____

Note: Be sure to have access to your email address. FSA will soon email you a five digit code.

3. Input your profile information

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CELL PHONE NUMBER: (_____) _____ - _____ ALT PHONE NUMBER: (_____) _____ - _____

- Include your cell phone number to aid with recovery assistance should you lose your FSA ID information.
- Remember to write down your username and passwords and keep them confidential and stored in a safe location.

USERNAME: _____ PASSWORD: _____

4. Confirm and verify your information

- Once the information is submitted, check your email and cell phone for a FSA verification before logging out.

Please note: It is required to use your personal email address and highly recommended to use your cell phone number to complete the verification process.

- Parents and students will have their own FSA ID.
- Parents must use an account previously created to apply for financial aid with another student.

Congratulations! You have officially begun taking your next steps toward college!

