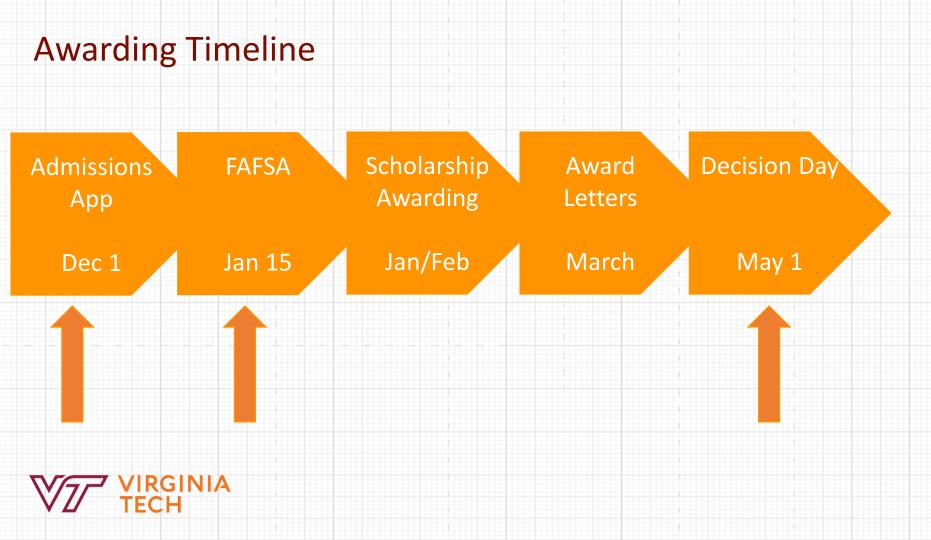
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# Let's Discuss Financial Aid!

Rhonda Johnson, Associate Director for Client Services University Scholarships and Financial Aid





# TYPES OF AID – Need based/Merit Based

- •Grants/Scholarships- "Free Money"
- Federal Work-Study
- •Loans

Need based aid is awarded according to financial information from FAFSA



# SOURCES of Aid

**Federal Aid** 

The federal government is the largest financial aid provider in the nation. Types of financial aid for college that the federal government offers include loans, grants, and work-study funds.

### State Aid

State governments offer grants, scholarships, state loans, and tuition assistance.

### **Institutional Aid**

Institutional financial aid consists of aid that individual colleges and universities provide to their students. Colleges and universities typically offer scholarships, grants, and employment programs.

### **Private Aid**

Typically in the form of loans and scholarships, private financial aid comes from corporations, religious organizations, cultural organizations, professional and service organizations, and more.

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## Undergraduate and Graduate Financial Aid Programs

Application deadlines for the Undergraduate and Graduate programs listed below will vary and the eligibility requirements listed are not all inclusive. **Contact your institution's financial aid office or the agency listed under "Application Contact" for additional information.** 

All need-based financial aid programs listed below require, at a minimum, the completion of the <u>Free Application for Federal Student Aid</u> (FAFSA). Individual colleges and universities may require the completion of an additional institutional form.

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Undergraduate and Graduate Financial Aid

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#### State financial aid for undergraduates

Program	Application Contact	Participating Colleges	Residency Requirement	Eligibility	Award Amount
Virginia Commonwealth Award	Institution Financial Aid Office	Virginia Public Institutions	Virginia Residents Only	Financial Need	Varies Based on Need, Up to Tuition/Fees
Virginia Guaranteed Assistance Program	Institution Financial Aid Office	Virginia Public Institutions	Virginia Residents Only	Financial Need, Full-Time Enrollment & Some Merit	Varies Based on Need, Up to Tuition/Fees & Books

# State Council on Higher Ed in VA

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Scholarship Reporting

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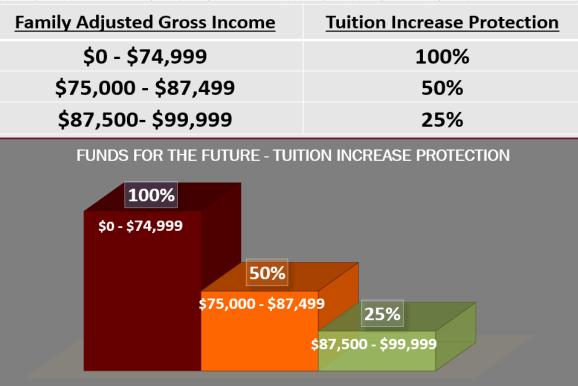
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# Scholarships

Please do not wait for an offer of admissions before applying for scholarships. <u>Apply Now!</u> The application process and deadline will vary depending on who is awarding the scholarship. Click on the various types of scholarships on the right side of this page for more information.

Attention Scholarship Recipients! Please submit your <u>Thank You Letter</u> as soon as possible to avoid a delay in the disbursement of your scholarship.

# **Funds for the Future Tuition Protection**





# FAFSA – Free Application for Federal Student Aid

• Institutional Student Information Record (ISIR) sent to colleges listed on FAFSA a few days after FAFSA is submitted

 College reviews ISIR and creates an award package so students can make a decision on what school to attend by May 1st



# FAFSA – Priority Deadlines

- Priority Deadlines will be different for each institution
- Find deadlines at schev.edu



### 2018-19 Financial Aid Deadlines

#### PUBLIC 4-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

#### 2018-19 public 4-year institution financial aid deadlines

Institution	Title IV Code	Priority Deadlines
Christopher Newport	003706	FAFSA Only - March 1
University		Preferred filing date (to receive award packages earlier) - December 15
College of William & Mary	003705	New Students: FAFSA - March 1, CSS Profile (if pursuing institutional need-based aid) - March 1 Returning Students: FAFSA Only - April 15
George Mason University	003749	FAFSA Only - March 1
James Madison University	003721	FAFSA Only - March 1
Longwood University	003719	FAFSA - March 1 (except for applicants for the LIFE STEM scholarship who must file by December 1) Scholarship application (optional) - March 1 Summer aid application - May 15, 2019
Norfolk State University	003765	FAFSA Only - March 1
Old Dominion University	003728	FAFSA – Continuing and Transfer students – January 15 (Priority consideration as funds available) New freshmen – February 1 (Priority consideration as funds available)
Radford University	003732	FAFSA Only - December 1 (priority scholarship/grant awarding
University of Mary Washington	003746	Continuing Students: FAFSA - February 1 New Freshman: FAFSA - February 1 New Transfer Students: FAFSA - April 1 Scholarship Application (optional) - May 1
University of Virginia	003745	FAFSA and CSS Profile (required for consideration for institutional need-based aid) - March 1
University of Virginia's College at Wise	003747	FAFSA Only - February 15
Virginia Commonwealth University	003735	FAFSA Only - March 1
Virginia Military Institute	003753	FAFSA and Institutional Application - March 1
Virginia State University	003764	FAFSA Only - March 31
Virginia Tech (Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University)	003754	FAFSA Only - January 15 General Scholarship Application (optional) - December 1, 2017

#### **FAFSA.gov**





- Add a school
- View your Student Aid Report (SAR), and more...



# FAFSA – Student Aid Report

## Federal Student Aid FAFSA...

Form Approved OMB No. 1845-0001 App. Exp. 12/31/2016

#### 2015-2016

#### Electronic Student Aid Report (SAR)

The SAR summarizes the information you submitted on your 2015-2016 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Application Receipt Date:	02/21/2015	XXX-XX-1493 BA 03
Processed Date:	03/17/2015	EFC: 000000 *
		DRN: 3653

#### **Comments About Your Information**

Learn about federal tax benefits for education, including the American Opportunity Tax Credit (AOTC).

Based on the information we have on record for you, your EFC is 000000. You may be eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant and other federal student aid. Your school will use your EFC to determine your financial aid eligibility for federal grants, loans, and work-study, and possible funding from your state and school.

Your FAFSA has been selected for a review process called verification. Your school has the authority to request copies of certain financial documents from you and your parent(s).

There is a limit to the total amount of Federal Pell Grants that a student may receive, which is the equivalent of 6 school years. Once a total amount of Pell Grant eligibility has been received, a student can no longer receive Pell Grant aid.

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Based on your EFC of 000000, you may be eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant of up to \$5,730 for the 2015-2016 school year provided you have not met or exceeded the lifetime limit established for the Federal Pell Grant program.

# FAFSA – Student Aid Report

## Pay attention to:

# • Expected Family Contribution (EFC)

Your EFC is an index number that colleges use to determine how much financial aid you're eligible to receive. Your EFC is calculated according to a formula established by law and the information you enter on your FAFSA.

### This is NOT the amount you pay.

# Verification

If there's an asterisk next to your EFC, it means the school will request documentation to verify the accuracy of your FAFSA – it does NOT mean you did anything wrong!

# • FAFSA corrections or documentation needed

You'll have the chance to correct any information that was wrong on your FAFSA. You will also be notified of any documentation required for citizenship or selective service issues (as examples)

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# FAFSA – Student Aid Report

Additional Requirements

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### **Pell Grant Eligibility**

# Cost of Attendance (COA)

# Expected Family Contribution (EFC)

= Financial Need (Number used to award need-based financial aid)

Scholarship Awarding happens December -February

Award Letters: March 2018



# FAFSA – Special Circumstances

• Loss of income, unusual expenses etc.

- Cannot be documented using FAFSA loss of employment, separation or divorce, significant medical expenses
- Send written explanation and documentation to financial aid office at each college (appeal process is explained on school websites)
- College will review and request additional information if necessary
- CAN result in additional need based aid



# FAFSA – Special Circumstances



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In some cases, students and parents find the information they provided on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) no longer reflects their current financial situation. When circumstances change, students may request a FAFSA data appeal by following the process below.

Our staff strives to provide individual consideration of each student's circumstance. Appeals will be reviewed by a committee of University Scholarships and Financial Aid Staff. Students should monitor their Virginia Tech email closely after submitting appeals, in case additional information is requested by the Committee.



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#### VIRGINIA TECH FINANCIAL AID NOTIFICATION

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#### COSTS IN THE 2017-18 YEAR

Estimated Cost of Attendance	
Tuition and Fees	13,220
Housing and Meals	8,920
Books and Supplies	1,150
Transportation	1,160
Other educational costs	1,780

#### GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS TO PAY FOR COLLEGE

Total Grants and Scholarships \$5,000 Grants and scholarships from your school 5,000 Federal Pell Grant Grants from your state Other scholarships

#### NET COST: WHAT YOU WILL PAY FOR COLLEGE

Net Costs (Cost of attendance minus total grants and scholarships)

#### OPTIONS TO PAY NET COSTS

Work Options				
Workstudy	\$1,500			
Workwardy funds are not directly applied to your bill. If you accept this for an eligible position and are hired, you will receive a paycheck for h				
Loan Options				
Federal Perkins Loan	\$3,500			
Federal Subsidized Loan				
Federal Unsubsidized Loan	\$2,000			
Maximum amounts shown here. You may choose to accept, reduce, or de cline these loan amounts via Hokie SPA once you accept your offer of admission and create your Virginia Tech PID.				
Other Options				
Remaining Costs (Net Cost less loan op	tions) \$15,730			

- Virginia Tech Budget Tultion Plan Parent PLUS Loan
- Military and/or National Service benefits
- Non-Rederal private education loan

#### GRADUATION RATE Percentage of full-time students who graduate within 6 years. Low Medium

VirginiaTech

#### REPAYMENT RATE





National Average

#### MEDIAN BORROWING

Students who borrow at Virginia Tech typically take out \$24,250 in Federal loans for their undergraduate study. The Federal loan payment over 10 years for this amount is approximately \$249 per month. Your borrowing may be different Repaying your loans To learn about loan repayment choices and work out your Federal Loan monthly payment, go to: studentaided.gov/repayloans/understand/plans For more information and next steps

VT University Scholarships and Financial Aid 800 Washington St SW, Sulle 200 Blacksburg, WA 24061 Telephone: 540-231-5179 Email: finaid@vt.edu Website: www.finaid.vt.edu

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### 2017-2018 Financial Aid Award Notice

January 25, 2017

#### Estimated Cost of Attendance

Tuition and Fees	\$ 34,210
Housing & Meals (Room & Board)	13,202
Total Estimated Billed Costs:	\$ 47,412

The total estimated Cost of Attendance is \$ 51,570. This includes \$ 4,158 of non-billed expenses, such as books, supplies, transportation, and misc. living expenses. Additional course fees may be included in above Tuition and Fees amount. Please visit MiamiOH.edu/fees for additional details.

#### Scholarships & Grants Eminence Scholarship Total Scholarship & Grants: Remaining Billed Costs: Options for Financing Remaining Costs Loans (Must be repaid)

Loans (Must be repaid)	A 5 500
Fdrl Direct Unsubsidized Loan	\$ 5,500
Total Loans:	\$ 5,500
Federal Work Study	\$ 0

**Private Educational or Direct PLUS Loans** 

Total Award Information Total Financial Aid Offered:

\$ 24,500

\$ 19,000

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\$ 28.412

Remaining Billed Costs After All Aid:

\$ 22,912

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Federal Work Study	\$440.00	\$440.00	\$880.00
Community Service Work Study	\$83.00	\$82.00	\$165.00
Federal Direct Subsidized Loan	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00	\$3,500.00
Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan	\$1,000.00	\$1,750.00	\$2,000.00

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ESTIMATED TUITION, ROOM, BOARD, AND FEES FOR BUSINESS STUDENTS:

\$50,495.00

Award(s)	
Award	\$1,000.00
Scholarship	\$19,000.00
Financial Aid	
Federal Direct Unsub Loan	\$5,500.00
Total Financial Aid package	\$25,500.00
Your Remaining Balance*	\$24,995.00



# **Comparing Costs and Awards**

# Direct Cost (tuition/fees/room/board) -Scholarships/Grants NET COST

**Net Cost** – amount YOU pay using work study/loans/payment plans



#### 2017-18 Financial Planning Worksheet

### Worksheet

finaid.vt.edu

#### Calculate your Estimated Net Cost:

Use this worksheet to estimate your net cost - what you will actually pay once all financial aid has been applied.

		Enter your numbers from to 2017-18 Financial Aid Notifice
Step 1: Review Estimated Direct Charges These will appear on your bill. Other Indirect Costs that you ca should plan for, but will not be billed to you through Virginia Te below the worksheet.		
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Books and Supplies	
Transportation	
Other (Direct Loan Fees and Personal Expenses)	
2017-18 Total Estimated Indirect Educational Costs:	

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	Housing and Meals:	
Direct Costs	2017-18 Total Estimated Direct Costs:	
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= Net Cost	2017-18 Estimated Net Cost (Step 1 minus Step 2)	
	Step 3: Subtract Self-Help Options You have the option to reduce the cost you will have to pay by using funds received through low-interest loans. Total Federal Student Loan(s):	
	2017-18 Reduced Estimated Net Cost (Step 2 minus Step 3)	

# **Cost of Attendance**

In State Cost of Attendance Budget 2017-18 Academic Year

DIRECT -	Tuition \$ 11,090
Costs:	Fees \$ 2,140
\$22,170	Room and Board \$ 8,940
	Books and Supplies \$ 1,150
	Personal \$ 1,710
	Transportation \$ 1,160
	Loan Fees \$ 70
	Total \$ 26,260

INDIRECT Costs: \$3,090

# Cost of Attendance

### **Direct Costs** = Tuition/Fees/Housing/Dining

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\$31,396

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School of Engineering, First-Year & Second-Year Students	Virginian
Tuition	17,436
Fees	2,740
Subtotal	20,176
Additional Categories	15,432
Total	35,608

Additional Categories (Separate from Tuition and Required Fees)	Virginian
Housing	6,270
Dining	4,950
Books and Supplies	1,320
Personal	2,430
Direct Loan Fees	72
Subtotal	15,042
Travel	390
Total	15,432

# Cost of Attendance

#### On or Off Campus Tuition \$34,694 Fees(2) \$1,364 Books and Clemson \$1,346 Supplies Room(3) \$5,732 Board(4) \$3,860 Transportation \$960 Personal \$2,560 Loan Fees(5) \$70 TOTAL \$50,586

Undergrad

### **Direct Costs** = Tuition/Fees/Room/Board

\$40,491

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Direct Costs – 22140 Less Grants/Sch – 5000

Net Cost = 17140

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GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS TO PAY FOR COLLEGE Total Grants and Scholarships \$5,000

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### Institution X

### Direct Cost – 47412 Less Grants/Sch – 19000

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### Institution Y

Direct Costs – 65,234 Less Grants/Sch – 16,500

#### Net Cost = \$47,734

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Institution Z

Direct Costs – 50,495 Less Grants/Sch – 20,000

Net Cost = \$30,495

ESTIMATED TUITION, ROOM, BOARD, AND FEES FOR BUSINESS STUDENTS:	\$50,495.00
Award(s)	
Award	\$1,000.00
Scholarship	\$19,000.00
Financial Aid	
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Total Financial Aid package	\$25,500.00

\$24,995.00

Your Remaining Balance\*

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# Net Cost – Comparing Apples to Apples!

### VT

Direct Costs – 22,140 Less Grants/Sch – 5000

Net Cost = \$17,140

Institution X

Direct Cost – 47,412 Less Grants/Sch – 19,000

Net Cost = \$28,412

Institution Y

Direct Costs – 65,234 Less Grants/Sch – 16,500

Net Cost = \$47,734

Institution Z Direct Costs – 50,495 Less Grants/Sch – 20,000

Net Cost = \$30,495

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# Maximizing Grants and Scholarships

- Complete FAFSA and other applications ON TIME!
- Use FREE search tools such as Fastweb or ScholarshipMonkey.com
- Never pay to apply for a scholarship!
- Ask at church, parent's employers or civic groups
- Check the websites for the schools you will apply to.
   VT has a Scholarship Application is available now and will be due December 7, 2017 for the 2018-19 year. (must apply for admission but don't have to be accepted yet)

# VT Scholarship Central *finaid.vt.edu*

Prospective Students: Prospective students should be able to log in to VT Scholarship Central after 3 business days of applying for admission.

- Day 1 Apply for admission
- Day 2 Create a Guest Account
- Day 3 Log in to Scholarship Central



## VT Scholarship Central finaid.vt.edu

**General Application** 

Conditional Application (if available) Recommended Opportunities (Apply-To scholarships)



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My Applications Opportunities Application Progress You can save your application at any time by clicking Save and Keep Editing at the bottom of the form. Once completed, you can submit your application by clicking Finish and Continue. Note: Required fields are marked with an asterisk. General Application ① **General Application Questions** \* Are you interested in or registered for a study abroad program? O Yes O No \* How many extracurricular activities have you participated in during the previous academic year? 00 O 1-3 O 4-6 07+ \* How many leadership positions have you participated in during the past two years? ① 00 01 02+ \* How many community service activities have you participated in during the previous academic year? () O o O 1-2 034 O 5+

#### **General Application**

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#### Conditional Application (if any)

Application Progress

General Application

College of Science

The College of Science scholarship application is available to all students majoring within the College of Science.

You will be required to include a personal statement/essay. The Writing Center has a variety of resources available. For more information, please visit http://www.lib.vt.edu/spaces/writing/students.html. Please have someone proofread your essay before submitting it.

#### Resume

Typically, a resume will contain the following:

- Your current educational status (e.g., student at Virginia Tech; year started; your anticipated degree; your major; current overall GPA)
- · Awards/Honors
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I have completed at least one academic year at Virginia Tech.

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I am taking or have completed courses in the Integrated Science Curriculum (ISC) at Virginia Tech.
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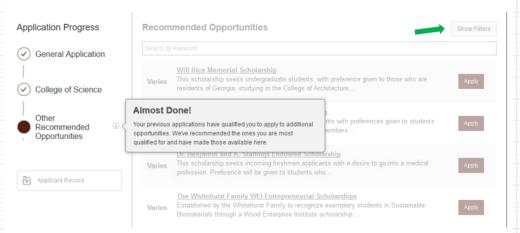
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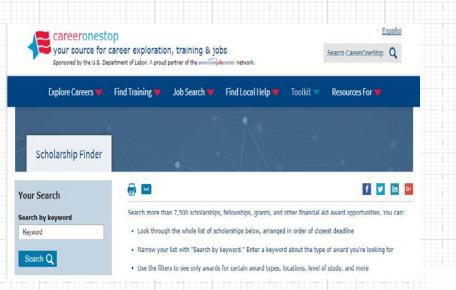


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