

What to Consider After Submitting FAFSA...

Clicking submit on your FAFSA does NOT necessarily mean you have completed the financial aid process. Your college(s) may request additional paperwork from you! Your college's financial aid office is your best resource in determining your steps after FAFSA.

Student Aid Report

The Student Aid Report (SAR) includes information on your financial aid eligibility and lists your answers to the questions on your FAFSA. **Log in to your FAFSA 3-5 days after submitting it to view your SAR.**

Verification

Students can be selected for a random process called verification, which means students may need to submit additional paperwork to confirm financial and household information. **Use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to avoid being selected for verification.**

Financial Aid Package

After completing the financial aid process and being accepted for admissions, each college listed on FAFSA will send the student a financial aid package, which lists all financial aid the student is eligible to receive. The student can accept or decline all or partial amounts of aid offered. **If you have not heard from the college(s), it is best to contact their financial aid office.**

MAC Program

Your only opportunity to apply for the MAC Grant is during your senior year of high school, so apply as soon as you submit your FAFSA. **Apply even if you won't be attending MCC/TSTC because it could mean the MAC Scholarship later on.**

Scholarships

FAFSA is one source of financial aid. The MAC Program's Twitter and Facebook (WacoMAC) are great resources for upcoming scholarships. **Apply for as many scholarships during high school and college!**