
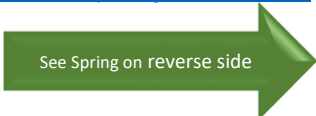


# Fall 2022 – Financial Literacy Timeline

FALL 2022 THINGS TO DO	APPLY OR TIMEFRAME	WHY and HOW	RESOURCES AVAILABLE AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL OR WEBISTES
<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Create FSA ID and Password</b></p> 	<p><b>Recommend September 30, 2022</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create your FSA ID before September 30, 2022 before you apply for FAFSA <a href="http://www.fsaaid.ed.gov">www.fsaaid.ed.gov</a></li> <li>FSA ID takes 1-3 days to verify with social security administration (SSA) to confirm your identity. Do not apply for FAFSA until you are verified by SSA</li> <li>The 2023/2024 FAFSA is available for filing on or after 10/1/2022</li> <li>Create or activate your Xello account at <a href="https://xello.world/en/middle-and-high-school/">https://xello.world/en/middle-and-high-school/</a></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The FSA ID is your legal online signature and the name needs to match the name on your social security card (if it does not match exactly to the name on the card, it will be rejected and delay financial aid)</li> <li><b>Both student and one parent</b> with social security card will need their verified FSA ID to sign and submit the FAFSA online. ( this does not apply for work purposes social security numbers starting with a “9”</li> <li>Parent with an ITIN or do not have a Social Security Numer, DO NOT need to apply for an FSA ID, <u>however a signature page will be required</u> (instruction handout available)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="https://ccr.fresnounified.org">https://ccr.fresnounified.org</a> for additional resources and calender of events</li> <li>Teams or Zoom virtual webinars for students and parents– contact your counselor</li> <li>Make sure to activate and utilize your Xello account at; <a href="https://xello.world/en/middle-and-high-school/">https://xello.world/en/middle-and-high-school/</a></li> <li><a href="http://go.fresnou.org/xellostudent">http://go.fresnou.org/xellostudent</a></li> <li>FSA ID Instruction handout <a href="http://www.fsaaid.ed.gov">www.fsaaid.ed.gov</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.fresnounified.org">www.fresnounified.org</a></li> <li>FSA ID video at <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a></li> <li>Financial Aid T.V. answers your question 24/7 <a href="https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/">https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>Apply for FAFSA</b></p> <p><b>Create California Colleges account and link to the FAFSA (New at FUSD)</b></p>	<p><b>FAFSA opens 10/01/2022</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>State deadline 3/2/2023</li> <li>Federal deadline 6/30/2023</li> </ul> <p><b>Note: ALL FUSD students must create the California Colleges account and link to the FAFSA from California College site.</b></p> <p><b>Note:</b> Students in foster care will need to also complete a Chafee Application for a Chafee grant <a href="http://www.chafee.csac.ca.gov">www.chafee.csac.ca.gov</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The financial aid covers educational expenses for college</li> <li>several types of financial aid, including grants, scholarships, work study and loans are available to eligible applicants</li> <li>Start applying for scholarships early. (you will need a FAFSA on file to be eligible for most scholarships)</li> <li>Make sure to apply for the FUSD scholarship. (Ask your counselor)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3-Step Instructional handout</li> <li>How to use the IRS “Data Retrieval “Tool handout</li> <li>Top 11 mistakes handout</li> <li><a href="https://collegesteps.com">https://collegesteps.com</a></li> <li>FAFSA website at <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.californiacolleges.edu">www.californiacolleges.edu</a></li> <li><a href="http://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov">http://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov</a></li> <li><b>FUSD website and link to College and Career Readiness to retrieve handouts and additional resources at <a href="http://ccr.fresnounified.org">ccr.fresnounified.org</a></b></li> </ul>
<p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>Apply for DREAM ACT</b></p>	<p><b>DREAM ACT opens 10/1/2022</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deadline 3/02/2023</li> <li>Dreamers must complete an affidavit at their school</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial support and help for undocumented students who meet AB 540 and AB68 to pay for college</li> <li>Only state aid campus loans to cover educational expenses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="https://dream.csac.ca.gov/">https://dream.csac.ca.gov/</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.csac.ca.gov">www.csac.ca.gov</a></li> <li>Many Colleges have Dream Centers</li> <li><a href="http://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov">http://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>What to Expect after applying to FAFSA/DREAM ACT – email notification from federal student aid or CSAC</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1<sup>st</sup> EMAIL:</b> immediately sent after submission, <b>ONLY CONFIRMS APPLICATION SUBMISSION</b> <u>this is not a confirmation of being processed.</u></li> <li><b>2<sup>ND</sup> email:</b> sent 1-3 days later <b>INDICATES EITHER “Processed Successfully” or “Action Required”</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If <b>“Action required”</b> student will need to go back into the FAFSA using their verified FSA ID to make corrections and re-verify with social security administration.</li> <li>If <b>“Processed Successfully”</b> you will then go to next step</li> <li><b>MAKE SURE TO READ ALL OF YOUR E-MAILS</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Power point</li> <li>Financial Aid T.V. answers your question 24/7 <a href="https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/">https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.tuitionfundfingdsources.com">www.tuitionfundfingdsources.com</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Review your Student Aid Report (SAR)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You’ll receive the SAR depending on when you submitted the FAFSA</li> <li>If you provided an email address when you submitted the FAFSA, you can expect to receive your SAR within 1-5 days after submitting electronically</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your SAR is a summary of the FAFSA data you submitted</li> <li>Review your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) number.</li> <li>Your EFC listed on your SAR will determine the amount of aid you will receive according to a formula established by law.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a></li> <li><a href="http://www.csac.ca.gov">www.csac.ca.gov</a></li> <li>Financial Aid T.V. answers your question 24/7 <a href="https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/">https://fresnocitycollege.financialaidtv.com/</a></li> </ul> <div style="text-align: right;">  <p>See Spring on reverse side</p> </div>

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