

University of Idaho



FINANCIAL AID TIMELINE

Oct 1

**FAFSA OPEN / IDAHO OPP
OPEN**

DEC 1

PRIORITY DATE

WINTER 2022-2023

OFFER LETTERS PREPARED

WHAT IS FINANCIAL AID?

I GRANTS

I SCHOLARSHIPS

I WORK STUDY

I FEDERAL LOANS

SCHOLARSHIPS

I DO NOT HAVE TO BE REPAID

I AWARDED ON MERIT, SKILL, OR UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS

I SOMETIMES ASSOCIATED WITH FINANCIAL NEED

**I COMPETITIVE; SOME REQUIRE ESSAYS, PROOF OF ENROLLMENT,
OR GRADE TRANSCRIPTS**

I MAY BE RENEWABLE OR HAVE LIMITATIONS

GO IDAHO!

(IDAHO RESIDENT)

Category	Accredited High School Unweighted GPA	Level of Funding
Vandal Pride Award	3.9 - 4.0	\$4,000 \$6,500
Vandal Summit Award	3.75 - 3.899	\$3,000 \$4,500
Vandal Excellence Award	3.4 - 3.749	\$2,000 \$3,000
Vandal Merit Award	3.0 - 3.399	\$1,000

STATE OF IDAHO PROGRAMS

(IDAHO RESIDENT)

- I IDAHO OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP (\$3,500, RENEWABLE)**
- I IDAHO GOVERNOR'S CUP SCHOLARSHIP (\$3,000, RENEWABLE)**
- I IDAHO POSTSECONDARY CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP (10+ CREDITS, \$2,000)**
- I IDAHO POSTSECONDARY CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP (20+ CREDITS, \$4,000)**
- I IDAHO POSTSECONDARY CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP (AA/AS, \$8,000)**
- I THE ABOVE OPEN AS OF OCTOBER 1ST, APPLY ASAP!**

NONRESIDENT WESTERN UNDERGRADUATE EXCHANGE (WUE) 16 QUALIFYING STATES

I FIRST YEAR WUE STUDENTS – FALL 2023 AUTOMATIC CONSIDERATION

I NEW, FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN OR TRANSFER

I WORKING TOWARD FIRST BACHELOR DEGREE

I A RESIDENT OF A WUE PARTICIPATING STATE

I 150% OF RESIDENT TUITION, EXCLUDING FEES. ABOUT \$16,000/YR

I RENEWABLE WITH A 2.5 GPA

NONRESIDENT INVITATION TO IDAHO

I FIRST YEAR IVI STUDENTS – FALL 2023 AUTOMATIC CONSIDERATION

I NEW, FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN OR TRANSFER

I WORKING TOWARD FIRST BACHELOR DEGREE

I 3.0+ INCOMING GPA (UNWEIGHTED)

I OVER \$16,000 IN TUITION SAVINGS

I RENEWABLE WITH A 2.5 GPA

REGIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

- I LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS HAVE DIFFERENT DEADLINES, STAY ORGANIZED**
- I LOOK TO LOCAL COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, RELIGIOUS AFFILIATIONS, ETC.**
- I MOST COMMON SCHOLARSHIPS**
- I E.G. IDAHO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, COMMUNITY ACTION LEAGUE, ETC.**

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

I ACADEMIC MAJORS, DEPARTMENTS, ON-CAMPUS PROGRAMS, ETC.

I PERFORMANCE-BASED (ATHLETICS, MUSIC, ROTC, THEATRE ETC.)

I PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS


I NATIONAL MERIT (HIGHLY COMPETITIVE)


I WORKPLACE SUPPORT FOR EDUCATION

I SCHOLARSHIP UNIVERSE [HTTPS://UIDAHO.SCHOLARSHIPUNIVERSE.COM](https://uidaho.scholarshipuniverse.com)

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School Scholarships
You Qualify For

You still have outstanding questions that may qualify you for more opportunities! [Click here to continue answering more matching questions.](#)

Scholarship Opportunities

ScholarshipUniverse

1903 Open & Future Scholarships
\$2,334,935


Your Universe

Open & Future Matches
73 Scholarships

Actions Required

Action Items

All Types ▾ Next Two Weeks ▾

Matched Scholarships Expiring Deadline:  10/3/2021 [Take Action](#)

5 Scholarships

1 - 1 of 1 items

GRANTS

FREE MONEY

I AWARDED ON FAFSA RESULTS AND FINANCIAL NEED

I NO REPAYMENT

I FEDERAL PELL GRANT RANGE: \$699 TO \$6,895

I FEDERAL SEOG \$400

LOANS

BORROWED MONEY

I SUBSIDIZED VS UNSUBSIDIZED

I FRESHMAN OFFERED UP TO \$5,500

I PARENTS OFFERED UP TO COA

I LOANS MUST BE REPAID

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

EARN AND LEARN

I FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE

I STUDENT FIRST

I LEARN COMPETITIVE JOB SKILLS

I WORK STUDY OR STUDENT JOBS (HR)

I WORK STUDY IS OFFERED AT \$2,000

I LIMITED TO 20 HOURS PER WEEK

**I LOCAL EMPLOYERS ALSO OFFER
SCHOLARSHIPS**

FSA ID

I USERNAME AND PASSWORD COMBO MUST BE CREATED FOR STUDENT AND ONE PARENT (UNLESS SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCE).

I FSA ID IS NEEDED FOR FAFSA EVERY YEAR, AND FOR EVERY YEAR OF LOAN REPAYMENT.

I FSA ID IS TIED TO YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND IS UNIQUE

I [HTTPS://FSAID.ED.GOV](https://fsaid.ed.gov)

FAFSA

I A STANDARD FORM THAT COLLECTS DEMOGRAPHIC AND FINANCIAL

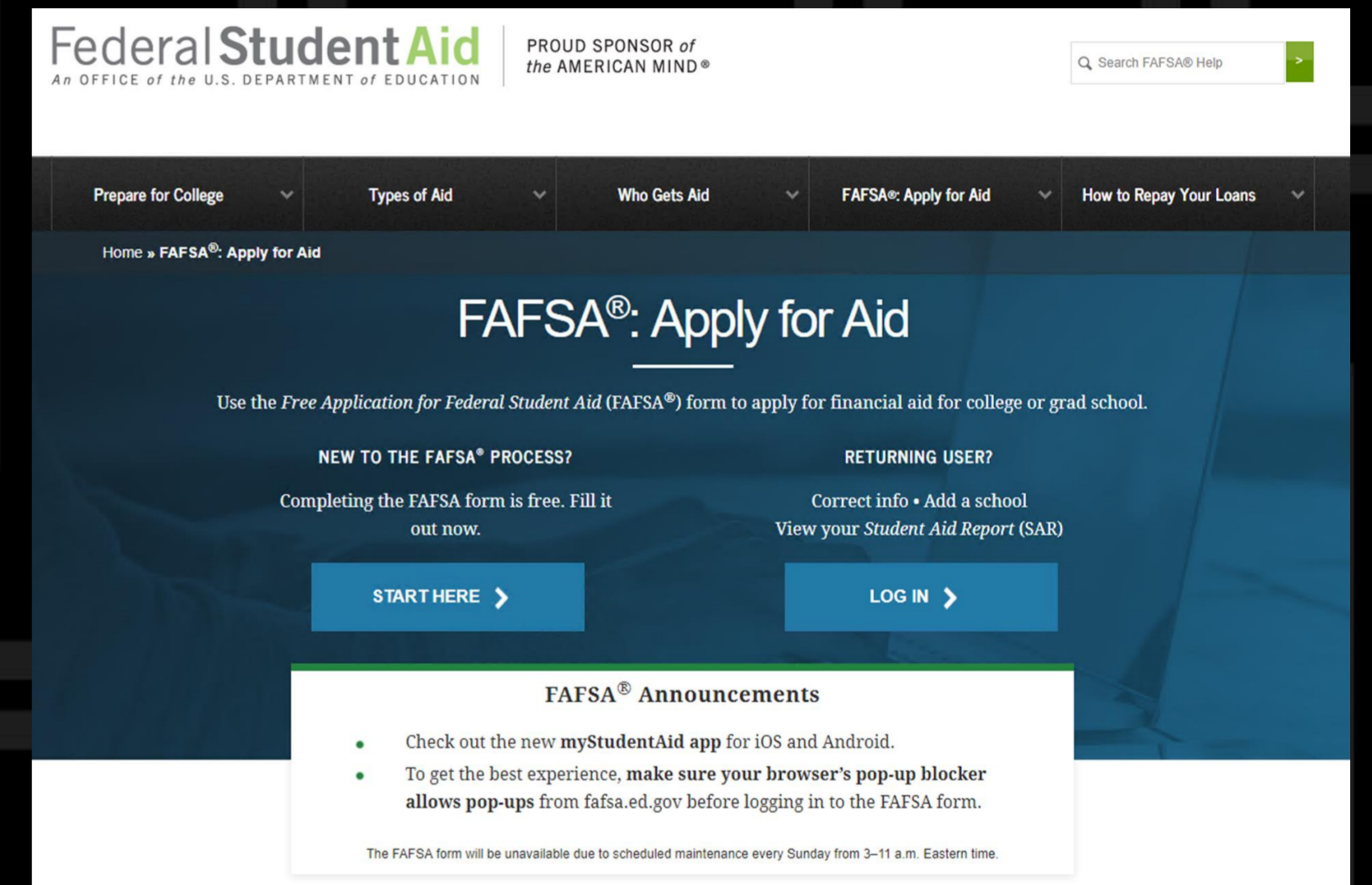
I INFORMATION ABOUT THE STUDENT AND FAMILY

I FILED ELECTRONICALLY AT **FAFSA.GOV**

I APPLYING TAKES APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES

I AVAILABLE OCTOBER 1ST FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

I RESULTS IN EFC INDEX WHICH GUIDES HOW ED ALLOWS AID TO BE OFFERED



FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

- I EACH STUDENT ASSIGNED FINANCIAL AID COUNSELOR BY LAST NAME**
- I ASSIST WITH SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ERRORS, OFFER LETTER PREP**
- I HELP WITH VERIFICATION AND APPEALS PROCESS**
- I HELP IN UNDERSTANDING THE OFFER LETTER**
- I CALL, EMAIL, VISIT IN-PERSON**
- I SCHEDULE APPOINTMENTS EXCLUSIVELY VIA VANDAL STAR (NEXT SLIDE)**

THINGS TO REMEMBER

- I FAFSA IS FREE, SCHOLARSHIP APPS ARE FREE, DO NOT PAY**
- I FAIL TO PLAN, PLAN TO FAIL – STAY ORGANIZED**
- I PRIVATE LOANS MAY BE NECESSARY**
- I THERE ARE LIMITS TO SCHOLARSHIPS, LOANS, GRANTS, ETC.**
- I STAY CONNECTED WITH ADVISORS TO GRADUATE**
- I APPLY FOR FAFSA EVERY YEAR AND RENEW THOSE SCHOLARSHIPS**

I FINANCIAL AID IS READY TO HELP!

FINAID@UIDAHO.EDU

FAFSAHELP@UIDAHO.EDU

208-885-6312

BRUCE PITMAN CENTER, 9:30 AM TO 5:00 PM (PST)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

I IF YOU ARE AN ADMITTED INTERNATIONAL STUDENT WANTING TO KNOW WHAT YOUR NEXT STEP IN THE PROCESS IS, VISIT OUR UPDATED RESOURCE PAGE HERE:

[HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/INTERNATIONAL/ADMITTED](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/international/admitted)

I IF YOU ARE A PROSPECTIVE STUDENT INTERESTED IN BECOMING A VANDAL, VISIT [HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions) TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. TAKE A VIRTUAL CAMPUS TOUR**
- 2. SCHEDULE A VIRTUAL VISIT WITH YOUR ADMISSIONS COUNSELOR**
- 3. REGISTER TO ATTEND VIRTUAL SPECIAL EVENTS ON CAMPUS AND IN YOUR AREA**
- 4. RECEIVE IMPORTANT AND UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO**
- 5. APPLY ONLINE FOR ADMISSION, AND**
- 6. LEARN MORE ABOUT THE U OF I EXPERIENCE AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

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I NEXT STEP: SUBMIT FINANCIAL PAPERWORK NEEDED FOR THE I-20: *SUBMIT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND THIS FALL; IF YOUR PLANS HAVE CHANGED, PLEASE LET ME KNOW.

- 1. CERTIFICATE OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CFR);**
 - a. If awarded, list your Invitation to Idaho scholarship in the *Sources of Funds* table, in *UI Department* section on the CFR; include the total amount of the scholarship on the same line but in the right column that says, “Amount in U.S. Dollars.”**
 - b. Submit the CFR electronically to your Application Status Portal;**

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2. **Bank statement; **Your bank statement will need to show that you have the funds to afford the balance of \$26,272.**
 - a. **Please ensure that the financial institution's name, the account holder's name, and account balance are all clearly visible.**
 - b. ****Please note that financial paperwork should not be dated prior to 6 months before the date that you will be issued your I-20; Spring 2022 I-20's will be issued this fall.**
 - c. **Submit a pdf copy of your bank statement electronically to your [Application Status Portal](#);**

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3. Copy of passport: Biographical Page

***Once you have received your I-20, pay the I-901 fee. **I-901 SEVIS fee payment registers you in the U.S. Immigration system; here is a video on how to make the payment: <https://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/students/i-901-sevis-fee-payment-video>**

****Once the I-901 fee is paid, print and save the receipt; now you can schedule a U.S. visa appointment at the nearest U.S. Embassy or consulate.**

Once You Have Been Issued Your I-20: Visit the Admitted International Student and continue making progress towards a Fall semester arrival:

<https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/international/admitted/to-do-list>

- 1. Securing your on-campus housing;**
- 2. Registering for classes;**
- 3. Setting up your student accounts;**

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I INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS: QUICK LINKS

[HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/INTERNATIONAL/ADMISSIONS-REQUIREMENTS](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/international/admissions-requirements)

I APPLICATION INFORMATION: [HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/APPLY](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/apply)

I INVITATION TO IDAHO & #YAWH SCHOLARSHIPS:

[HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/INTERNATIONAL/COSTS-AND-SCHOLARSHIPS](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/international/costs-and-scholarships)

I CAMPUS TOUR: [HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/VISIT-IDAHO](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/visit-Idaho)

I VIRTUAL TOUR: [HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/ADMISSIONS/VISIT-IDAHO/VIRTUAL-TOUR](https://www.uidaho.edu/admissions/visit-Idaho/virtual-tour)

I DIGITAL VIEWBOOK: [HTTPS://WWW.UIDAHO.EDU/VIEWBOOK](https://www.uidaho.edu/viewbook)

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B.A. English Literature

Secondary Teaching Certificate, grades 6-12

My favorite thing about the University of Idaho: The University of Idaho provides incredible opportunities and is home to a supportive, engaged community of students, staff, faculty, alums, and friends. There is great energy and exchange of ideas on campus! I love that!

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