



Applying for a PIN

Applying for PIN at

www.pin.ed.gov



Submit your FAFSA on line at

www.FAFSA.gov

FAFSA Priority Application Deadline:

March 2

Submitting your FAFSA electronically is easy, if you have a PIN from the Department of Education.

Your PIN can be used to perform the following functions:

- Sign your FAFSA application electronically
- Make electronic corrections to your FAFSA application
- Access your FAFSA Renewal on the web
- Authorize the IRS Data Retrieval process (When completing the FAFSA application, you can link to the IRS website to retrieve your current federal tax information to populate your FAFSA)
- Sign your Master Promissory Note (MPN) for Direct Loans electronically
- Apply for a Direct Loan Deferment or Forbearance
- Access your financial aid records online at the NSLDS website

A parent of a dependent student may also apply for a PIN.

A parent's PIN can be used to perform the following functions :

- Sign a dependent child's FAFSA application electronically
- Make electronic corrections to a dependent child's FAFSA application
- Authorize the IRS Data Retrieval process (When completing the FAFSA Application, you can link to the IRS website to retrieve your current federal tax information to populate a dependent child's FAFSA)
- Apply for a Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS)
- Sign a Master Promissory Note (MPN) for a Federal PLUS electronically



Your federal PIN is your unique number used to access confidential financial aid information and complete important financial aid application transactions. You should never share your PIN. If you feel your PIN has been compromised, you can request that your PIN be reset on the Department of Education PIN website at www.pin.ed.gov.