



Student Responsibilities

It is your responsibility to:

- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at www.fafsa.ed.gov in order to have eligibility determined for and receive a financial aid award that includes federal grant, loan or work-study assistance. (Curry College's school code # is 002143).
- Review and consider all information about the College's programs before you enroll.
- File your FAFSA as early as possible to meet the priority deadline of March 1 for new admissions or April 15 for returning students. Errors can delay your receiving financial aid. Intentional misreporting of information on application forms for federal financial aid is a violation of law and is considered a criminal offense subject to penalties including fines and imprisonment under the U.S. Criminal Code.
- Return all additional documentation, verification, corrections, and/or new information requested by either the Student Financial Services Office or the agency to which you submitted your application.
- Read and understand all forms that you are asked to sign and keep copies of them.
- Accept responsibility for all agreements that you sign including but not limited to loan promissory notes.
- If you have a loan, notify the lender of any changes in your name, address, or College enrollment status.
- Perform in a satisfactory manner, the work that is agreed upon in accepting a Federal Work-Study award.
- Know and comply with the deadline for application or reapplication for aid.
- Know and comply with the College's refund procedures.
- Maintain satisfactory academic progress in accordance with the standards in the Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy.

Students Financial Aid Rights

Keep yourself informed about:

- What financial assistance is available, including information about all federal, state, and institutional financial aid programs.
- What the deadlines are for submitting applications for each of the financial aid programs available.
- What the cost of attendance is, and what the policies are on refunds to students who withdraw.
- What criteria are used to select financial aid recipients.
- How the College determines your financial need. This process includes how costs for tuition and fees, room and board, travel, books and supplies, and personal and miscellaneous expenses, etc. are considered in your budget.
- What resources (such as parental contribution, other financial aid, your assets, etc.) are considered in the calculation of your need for financial aid.
- How much of your financial need, as determined by the institution, has been met.
- The various programs in your student aid package. You have the right to request reconsideration of the award which was made to you if your financial situation substantially changes after you filed your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- What portion of the financial aid you receive must be repaid, and what portion is grant aid. If the aid is a loan, you have the right to know what the interest rate is, the total that must be repaid, the repayment procedures, the length of time you have to repay the loan, and when repayment is to begin.
- How the College determines whether you are making satisfactory progress, and what happens if you are not (see Satisfactory Progress to Degree Completion).
- Graduate students may apply only for loans.