

RETURNING STUDENTS APPLYING FOR FINANCIAL AID AT CURRY COLLEGE 2021–2022

The 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) season began on October 1, 2020. Students can now complete the FAFSA for the 2021-2022 school year. Income and tax information reported will be from an earlier tax year. Students and their parents, as appropriate, will report **2019** income and tax information.

Filing Deadline for Returning Students: April 15, 2021

Priority Filing Deadline for Massachusetts State Scholarship Consideration: May 1, 2021

ALL STUDENTS: Use the checklist below to make certain your application is complete:

- Complete the 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can apply online at studentaid.gov
- Students and parents are strongly encouraged to use the IRS Data Retrieval to transfer your 2019 federal tax return data directly to the FAFSA
- Submit additional documents, if requested by the Office of Student Financial Services

Note: The most common request for additional information is due to a process called verification. Verification is a process for confirming information reported on the FAFSA. It involves the collection and review of additional documents specified by the Department of Education. These include:

- IRS data retrieval completed by the student and parent on the FAFSA, or IRS tax transcripts
- IRS confirmation of non-filing tax status for parents of dependent students and independent students by requesting a Verification of Non-Filing Letter at irs.gov along with copies of all W-2 forms (if applicable) for non-filers
- 2021-2022 Verification Worksheet
- Additional documents as requested

For questions, please feel free to contact the Student Financial Services Office.

Note: Students and/or parents sending personal information, such as a copy of a Federal tax return, to our office should send it via fax or encrypted e-mail.

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