



October 1, 2017 FAFSA (FAFSA.ed.gov) and ORSAA (OregonStudentAid.gov/FAFSA-ORSAA) open

February 15, 2018 **Early Bird Scholarship Application Deadline at 5:00 pm (PST)**
Error-free applications are entered into a drawing for a \$1,000 scholarship

March 1, 2018 **Scholarship Application Deadline at 5:00 pm (PST)**
Final deadline to submit a Scholarship Application and all required materials

May 31, 2018 **Oregon Student Child Care Grant Deadline at 5:00 pm (PDT)**
Application opens in January in the OSAC student portal

June 1, 2018 **Oregon Promise Deadline at 5:00 pm (PDT) for Fall Term**
Additional rolling deadlines for other terms are found online

Chafee Education and Training Grant Application

Available in the OSAC Student Portal

Chafee Deadlines	August 1, 2017	Fall Term Deadline
	November 1, 2017	Winter Term Deadline
	February 1, 2018	Spring Term Deadline
	May 1, 2018	Summer Term Deadline

OSAC Scholarship Programs

OSAC brings together donors to provide more than 500 scholarship programs for students

How to Apply: Complete the Scholarship Application and the FAFSA or ORSAA

Award Amount: Varies, depending on the scholarship program

Oregon Opportunity Grant

Oregon's largest state-funded, need-based grant program for students planning to attend an Oregon college

How to Apply: Complete the FAFSA or ORSAA

Award Amount: Up to \$2,250 (2017-2018), awards are made until funds are depleted

Oregon Promise Grant

State grant that provides funding for recent high school graduates and GED recipients entering an Oregon community college within six months of graduation

How to Apply: Complete the Oregon Promise Grant Application and the FAFSA or ORSAA

Award Amount: Ranges from \$1,000 to \$3,540 (2017-2018) per year

Other State and Federal Grants

Oregon also administers several other government grants, including the Federal Chafee Education and Training Grant and the Oregon Student Child Care Grant

How to Apply: Complete the Chafee or Childcare application and the FAFSA or ORSAA

Award Amount: Varies, depending on grant program

OREGON STUDENT AID APPLICATION (ORSAA)

ORSAA is the State of Oregon's alternative to the FAFSA for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) students and other undocumented students. These students are not eligible for federal aid. However, they may be eligible for the Oregon Opportunity Grant, Oregon Promise Grant and some OSAC scholarships. The ORSAA is an online application that is available at OregonStudentAid.gov.

OUTREACH AND RESOURCES

Programs to Support Students

FAFSA Plus+

FAFSA Plus+ provides access to student-level data, trainings, and resources to help support high school seniors. High schools, TRIO programs, Tribal Education Agencies and community-based organizations are eligible to apply. For more info, visit FAFSAPlus.org.

ASPIRE

ASPIRE is a volunteer mentoring program for middle school, high school, and college students to explore training and education beyond high school. Apply to become an ASPIRE site or learn more at OregonStudentAid.gov/ASPIRE.

In-Person Presentations

OSAC offers in-person presentations for students, families and support staff at college fairs, financial aid nights and other events. Request a presenter for various topics like OSAC resources, how to complete the OSAC scholarship application and more. View a complete list of available presentations and complete a request form on the Outreach and Resources page at OregonStudentAid.gov.

Publications & Online Videos

OSAC Publications

Order free brochures and posters that inform about OSAC's scholarships, grants and programs.

The Ford Family Foundation

Order bookmarks and posters from the Ford Family Foundation that help advertise scholarships available to Oregon residents.

Opportunities Booklet (ECMC)

Order this free booklet that provides tips on how to choose the right college, understand admission requirements, identify types of financial aid, and more. Available in English and Spanish.

Online Videos

Follow the OSAC Oregon YouTube Channel for videos that explain the various grants and scholarship programs, give tips on how to successfully apply, and educational videos to better understand eligibility requirements.

Order and Download Free Publications

OregonStudentAid.gov/publications

Webinars

OSAC offers free webinars to help potential applicants, families and student support staff understand OSAC financial aid opportunities and apply successfully. Visit OregonStudentAid.gov, under *Outreach and Resources*, to view the most up-to-date schedule of webinars and to register as an attendee. All webinars are recorded and posted on the OSAC YouTube Channel to be viewed after the actual webinar.

September

20 th -	10:00 am	Oregon Promise: Changes for 2017-18
22 nd -	10:00 am	Finding Funds for Current and Former Foster Youth
25 th -	10:00 am	Finding Funds for Current and Former Foster Youth
28 th -	2:00 pm	Oregon Promise: Introduction and How to Apply

October

2 nd -	10:00 am	Oregon Promise: Key Info for Current Recipients
16 th -	10:00 am	OSAC Resources (Spanish)
17 th -	10:00 am	OSAC Resources Available for DACA and Other Undocumented Students (English)
18 th -	7:00 pm	OSAC Resources Available for DACA and Other Undocumented Students (Spanish)

ADDITIONAL WEBINARS ONLINE...

OregonStudentAid.gov