



Financial Aid Resources and Information



APPLICATION OPENS OCTOBER 1st

Use your www.CaliforniaColleges.edu account to launch your **2024-2025**

- **FAFSA (FREE Application for Federal Student Aid)**
- OR
- **CADAA (California Dream Act Application)**

Choosing FAFSA vs. CADAA x

Select the Form That's Right for You

FAFSA

Select the **FAFSA** if one of these describes you:

- You're a U.S. citizen.
- You're a [permanent resident](#).
- You're an [eligible non-citizen](#).
- You have a [T Visa](#).

or

CADAA

Select the **CADAA** if one of these describes you:

- You're [undocumented](#).
- You have a valid or expired [Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals \(DACA\)](#)
- You have a [U Visa](#).
- You have a [Temporary Protected Status](#).

CHECKLIST OF IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE FAFSA/CADAA

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| ✓ FSA ID | ✓ List of Colleges you are interested in |
| ✓ Driver's License, if you have one | ✓ Most current bank statements |
| ✓ Social Security card, if you have one | ✓ Any record of untaxed income |
| ✓ Alien Registration Card, if you have one | ✓ Prior-prior year tax information (1040s and W2s) |
| ✓ ITIN, if you have one | |

- Community Resource Assistance
 - **FAFSA – Student Help Line: 800-433-3243**
 - **CADAA & Cal Grant - Student Help Line: 888-224-7268**or email: studentsupport@csac.ca.gov
- Cash for College Workshops
 - www.calgrants.org
 - Provides students and their families an opportunity to receive FREE, professional help to complete the FAFSA/CADAA forms needed for Cal Grants and other financial aid.
 - Visit the website above to find a location in your city.
- Create a CalGrant Student Account
 - www.webgrants4students.org
 - **EGUSD will automatically submit Cal Grant GPA Verifications to CSAC in October.**There is no need for a separate application for Cal Grant.