

Graduate Financial Aid Checklist

- Apply for [admission](#).
- Complete the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#). The priority filing deadline date is **March 1**. You do not have to wait to be admitted; completing the FAFSA simultaneously with the admission process allows for a seamless financial aid process.
Northeastern Code: 002199
 - > If eligible, use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool, which allows you to access completed IRS tax return information and electronically transfer the required data to your FAFSA.
- Admitted students are awarded in late spring for the following fall semester or before the start of each term for programs with rolling admissions. Once your award is available, it will be mailed to you directly.
- Review your award and confirm the accuracy of the anticipated credits for each term. If you need to make changes, return the award letter and/or Change of Enrollment and Additional Resource Form to our office.
- Complete the necessary loan documentation (if accepting loans). Documents may include Federal Student Loan Entrance Counseling, Master Promissory Note (MPN), Title IV Credit Authorization, and possibly a Self-Certification Form. You may review your financial aid status on your [myNortheastern](#) student portal. Choose “Services & Links” and select “My Financial Aid Status” under the “Student Financial Services” section.
- Secure [financing options](#), i.e., supplemental and private loans, or enroll in the monthly payment plan by the due date.
- Check your Husky email and e-bills regularly so that you do not miss critical information.
- Reach out to your [financial aid counselor](#) or our office if you have any additional questions.

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