2021–2022 Financial Aid Checklist
For Returning Students in the College of Professional Studies

- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) no later than three weeks before the start of the term. Full-time students who are Massachusetts residents and would like to be considered for the MASS Grant must complete the FAFSA before May 1.
- 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.

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- Respond promptly to any request for additional documentation or clarification. You will be notified via email to your Northeastern account if additional documentation is required.
- Financial aid awards are available beginning in July. You will be notified via email to your Northeastern account once your award is available.
- Review your award. Contact our office if your enrollment plans change or if you wish to cancel or reduce a portion of your financial aid.
- New loan borrowers must complete the necessary loan documentation (if accepting loans). Documents may include Federal Student Loan Entrance Counseling, Master Promissory Note, and Title IV Credit Authorization. Learn more about required loan documents.
- Secure financing options, such as supplemental and private loans, or enroll in the monthly payment plan by the due date.

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