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FAFSA TIPS

- Apply in early fall for Personal Identification Number (PIN) www.pin.ed.gov. Obtaining a PIN early in the fall will buy you time later when it is time to submit the FAFSA. It is your electronic signature when submitting the form.
- For State Aid (Indiana), the FAFSA filing deadline is March 10.
- For State Aid (Kentucky), it is recommended to file as soon after January 1 as possible.



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- The FAFSA must be re-submitted each year, based on the parent's IRS 1040 form for the previous year. Financial aid for the class of 2016 will be based on the 2015 tax information.
- The 1040 does not have to be on file with the IRS to complete the FAFSA, but the information on the 1040 is required for FAFSA completion.