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**CREATE YOUR FSA ID**

* Go to studentaid.gov and select “Create an Account.”
* Complete the stages to register for your FSA ID using personal information.
* Review your information, then read and accept the terms and conditions.
* Confirm your e-mail address using the secure code, which will be sent to the e-mail address you entered when you created your FSA ID.
* The Social Security Administration will verify your information within 1-3 days and then you will be able to access all federal websites with your new FSA ID.
* Parents and students must each have their own FSA ID, and they must be linked to separate e-mail addresses.

**COMPLETE YOUR FAFSA**

***\*\*We recommend sitting down with your parents and completing this all at once. Both the student and parent(s) will need to complete separate parts of the FAFSA that are linked together to form one set of data for the student. The Department of Education cannot process a FAFSA that is missing information from either student or parents.***

* Go to studentaid.gov. Log in using your FSA ID.
* Begin a new FAFSA form.
* Watch the tutorial videos that explain the FAFSA and federal aid.
* Input your personal information as requested.
* Consent to your tax information being gathered by Federal Student Aid. This will help in completing the FAFSA and provide required information to the school. You will receive an email confirming your consent.
* **Invite your parents to contribute.**
* Complete all of the questions regarding personal circumstances, demographics, and financials.
* Under “Colleges,” include the Mississippi College school code. You can search by our name (Mississippi College) or use our code (002415). **Be sure to press “Search,” and then choose “+ Select” so that the school will be officially added to your FAFSA. This is the only way that we can receive your information.**
* Review your information and make any necessary corrections.
* Sign and submit the form.
* The Office of Financial Aid will receive completed FAFSAs within 4-6 business days of their completion.

If you have questions or wish to inquire about your FAFSA, please contact the Office of Financial Aid at 601-925-3212 or financialaid@mc.edu.