

# FINANCIAL AID CHECKLIST

## COMPLETE THE FAFSA

- ▶ If you would like to be considered for all available financial aid programs, you will need to complete a **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**. Complete the FAFSA at [studentaid.gov/fafsa](https://studentaid.gov/fafsa).

If you plan to be enrolled in Fall 2022 or Spring 2023, complete the 2022-23 FAFSA.  
If you plan to start attending UF in Summer 2022, also complete the 2021-22 FAFSA.

UF's Federal School Code is 001535.

## CHECK ONE.UF

In early March 2022, students can access information about their financial aid at [one.uf.edu](https://one.uf.edu). Log in with your GatorLink username and password.

- ▶ View your financial aid awards and summary.  
*Most aid programs, including Bright Futures, require students to be enrolled at least half-time (6 credit hours).*
- ▶ Report scholarships that are not listed on your award summary.  
*Do not report UF Scholarships, Bright Futures Scholarships, Florida Prepaid or Private Loans.*
- ▶ Check "To-Dos" and "Holds" to see if you are missing requirements or documentation that could prevent the disbursement of your financial aid.  
*If your FAFSA application is selected for federal verification, you will be required to provide verifying documentation before aid can be disbursed to you. Respond promptly to requests for information or documentation. Do not wait until school begins to submit required documents. Ask questions if you are unsure about any part of the verification process.*
- ▶ At **ONE.UF**, you can monitor financial aid disbursements/refunds, view campus finances, tuition statements, payment history and MORE!

## UPDATE AND MONITOR BRIGHT FUTURES

If you are a potential Bright Futures Scholarship recipient, contact the Florida Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) at 888-827-2004 or online at [www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org](https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org), to verify the University of Florida is listed as your institution and to view your eligibility status. You do not need to complete a FAFSA to be eligible for a Bright Futures Scholarship.

## ENROLL IN DIRECT DEPOSIT

Direct Deposit is the quickest and safest way to receive your financial aid refunds. To sign up, go to **ONE.UF** at [one.uf.edu/campusfinances/directdeposit](https://one.uf.edu/campusfinances/directdeposit) and sign in with your GatorLink username and password. Follow the instructions on the screen.

## FINANCIAL AID QUESTIONS

Financial aid advising services are available at the OneStop. See contact information at [www.sfa.ufl.edu/contact-sfa](https://www.sfa.ufl.edu/contact-sfa). We are open from 9:00am-4:30pm, Monday to Friday (excluding holidays) and by phone at 352-392-2244.

**Financial aid advisers will be available at Preview sessions.**