

GAME PLAN FOR FINANCIAL AID

YOUR PATH TO SUCCESS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Financing college can be a daunting task, but we're here to help. We believe a great education should be accessible to everyone. If you have the desire and the drive to attend the University of Kentucky, we want to work with you to make that happen.

UK is a leader in finding innovative ways to lower costs, eliminating unmet financial need and creating the support necessary to dramatically increase student success.

This path outlines the important steps students should take to get the most financial aid opportunities. Pay close attention to the associated time frames – prompt action gives you the best opportunity for aid options.

You are not on this journey alone. Our Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships team is here to help you every step of the way!

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January - March go.uky.edu/scholarshipuniverse

Once admitted, explore ScholarshipUniverse for additional departmental and outside scholarships. Prioritize attending on-campus events specific to your major, scholarship or interests to learn more!

May 1 go.uky.edu/confirm

Choose to be a Wildcat! Review and accept any financial aid offers and confirm your spot at UK!

June-August

Apply for Federal Parent PLUS Loans or alternative/private education loans for additional funding (if needed).



December www.fafsa.gov

File your FAFSA as soon as possible! If eligible, filing a FAFSA maximizes the federal (and Kentucky state) aid that you may receive.

April-May **Check your UKY email!**

Carefully review your Financial Aid Notification and additional offers. Ask questions, be informed and schedule a time to chat with our team if you need help!

July-August www.studentaid.gov

Complete your Federal Entrance Counseling and Master Promissory Notes for any Student Federal Direct Loan that you accepted.

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