

Complete Your FAFSA Application

- Submit your FAFSA online at fafsa.gov or download the myStudentAid App to complete the FAFSA application on your phone.
 - If you are applying for Summer 2021 choose FAFSA year 2020–2021. Application dates: October 1, 2019–June 30, 2021.
 - If you are applying for Fall 2021 Spring 2022, and/or Summer 2022 choose FAFSA year 2021–2022. Application dates: October 1, 2020–June 30, 2022.
- File your FAFSA by July 1 to be eligible for State of Iowa funds.

Submit All Required Forms and Documents

About a week after you submit your FAFSA, you'll get an email to your IWCC email from Iowa Western that lets you know if additional paperwork is required.

- One in three students is selected for verification by the Department of Education. The verification process asks for additional documentation to verify that the information on your FAFSA is correct. You will have to complete all required paperwork before you can receive financial aid.
 - You can view your missing documents through Financial Aid Self-Service in ROC. Log into your ROC account and go to the Self-Service Menu in the upper right-hand corner, then click on **Students>Financial Aid>Financial Aid**.

Review and Accept Your Awards

Once your financial aid has been awarded, your award notification will be sent to your IWCC email.

- Your financial aid award notice will let you know what types of aid you are eligible for. If you need to take out loans to cover your bill, there will be additional steps you will need to take, such as accepting your loan, master promissory note, and loan entrance counseling.
 - You can view and complete your next steps through Financial Aid Self-Service in ROC. Log into your ROC account and go to the Self-Service Menu in the upper right-hand corner, then click on **Students>Financial Aid>Financial Aid**.

Deadlines:

Scholarships:

- Foundation Scholarships
 - Priority Deadline: April 22nd by midnight CST for full-year awards (fall/spring)
 - Final deadline: May 15th by midnight CST for full-year awards (fall/spring)
 - November 15th by midnight CST for spring-only awards
- Presidential Scholarship
 - March 15th by midnight CST

Scholarship Application link:

https://iwcc.scholarships.ngwebsolutions.com/CMXAdmin/Cmx_Content.aspx?cpId=869

Payment Deadlines:

- Payment is generally due the 3rd Monday after classes starts. For more specific dates see payment page: <https://www.iwcc.edu/financial-aid/payment-plan/>.

Financial Aid Disbursement Dates: <https://www.iwcc.edu/financial-aid/refunds/>.

Academic Calendar: <https://www.iwcc.edu/events/>.