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Financial Aid Process

Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) - <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>. This will determine a student's eligibility for Pell grants, College Access Program (CAP), and work study and is required for the Kentucky Work Ready Scholarship.

- Unmarried students under the age of 24 will include parents' financial information.
- Students 24 year of age or older will include only their financial information.

Kentucky Work Ready Scholarship (WRKS) is subject to the availability of funds, award determinations are made on a first-come, first-served basis by WRKS application date. Completion of the FAFSA is required to receive WRKS. A short additional form is also required. Follow the instructions below and select "CTP" as the subject area. Go to www.kheaa.com, click on "Scholarships and Grants" then "Work Ready Kentucky Scholarships". You will need to create an account.

Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) will be awarded to all qualifying students. No forms are necessary to receive KEES. Traditional KEES funds will be awarded based on high school performance.

CTP KEES award amounts (will be awarded in addition to any traditional KEES funds)-

- \$500 for enrollment of at least six (6) hours
- \$250 for enrollment less than six (6) hours

See back for more information and resources.

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Follow these steps to make sure you fill out the FAFSA correctly

1. Create your FSA ID at studentaid.gov to complete the FAFSA online or print out a fillable PDF.
2. Gather documents you will need to refer to in completing the FAFSA. These include:
 - Your Social Security card and driver’s license.
 - Your W-2 forms and federal income tax return.
 - Your parents’ W-2 forms and federal income tax return if you are dependent.
 - Records of other untaxed income received, such as veteran’s benefits.
 - Current bank statements and records of stocks, bonds or other investments.
 - Business or farm records if applicable.
 - Your alien registration card if you are not a U.S. citizen.
3. Don’t forget to:
 - **Submit the FAFSA as soon as possible after October 1** to make sure you have the best chance of receiving aid for which you’re eligible.
 - **Enter only whole dollars, not cents.**

College Cost Calculator	
Expenses	
Tuition and Fees	\$
Books	\$
Transportation	\$
Total Expenses	\$
Financial Aid	
Pell	\$
CAP Grant	\$
Work Ready KY Scholarship	\$
KEES	\$
Other Financial Aid	\$
Total Financial Aid	\$
Total Expenses	- Total Aid= Remaining College Cost
\$ _____	- \$ _____ = \$ _____

For additional questions contact KHEAA at 800.928.8926 or studentaid@kheaa.com