FAFSA Checklist

You will need to do the following before completing your FAFSA:

1. Go to fsaid.ed.gov to create a FSA ID. An FSA ID gives you access to Federal Student Aid’s online systems and can serve as your legal signature.
   a. Your FSA ID:__________
   b. Your parent’s FSA ID:__________

2. Fill out the following information for yourself:
   a. Your Social Security Number (SSN): _______ - _____ - _____
   OR Alien Registration Number: ______________________
   b. Your CA ID/ Driver’s License Number: ______________________

3. Fill out the following information for your parents:
   a. Parents Relationship status: ____________________ (married, single, divorce or widow)
   b. Father’s SSN: ____ - ____ - ____ Mother’s SSN: ____ - ____ - ____
   c. Father’s DOB: ____ / ____ / ____ Mother’s DOB: ____ / ____ / ____
   d. Highest level of education: Father: ______ Mother: ______
   e. Date of marriage/separation/divorce: ____ / ____ / ______

4. You will need to gather the following for both you and your parents:
   a. 2015 W-2 forms
   b. 2015 Federal Tax Forms (generally 1040’s)
      i. If you have not yet filed, use the 2014 Tax Forms as an estimate.
   c. Records of Untaxed Income
      i. Supplemental Security benefits, welfare benefits (TANF, WIC, Cal Works),
         disability, child support, veterans benefits, etc.
   d. Information on investments
   e. Savings and Checking account balances AFTER bills are paid

5. If your school submits GPA Verification Forms electronically, you might have to complete the Cal Grant GPA Information Release Form.

FAFSA website is www.fafsa.ed.gov & must be completed by March 2nd!!!

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