

## How to Apply for Financial Aid Using the FAFSA - (GR) Jan 20, 2022.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Good evening everyone, my name is Kevin brown i'm the associate director of student financial services here at the school of the art Institute of Chicago we want to thank you for joining us.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: For tonight's webinar entitled how to apply for financial aid, using the 2022 23 fasfa first, before we begin, I just want to make sure you can all hear my audio Okay, if you can please respond okay in the chat box on the screen in front of you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Wonderful Thank you very much, and as a reminder this webinar will be recorded and will be available on the saic website and will be emailed to any individual who registered for this webinar within the next 48 hours.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Now this webinar is primarily designed for domestic students are eligible non citizens who need to submit something, known as the fastball that is the free application for federal student aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: That students need to submit in order to be eligible for financial aid if there are anyone who might be joining us today who's an international student who's going to join in the graduate program here at saic and either summer.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: or fall 2022, this is probably not going to apply to you there's no additional actions that you need to take, besides the admissions application and admissions process, as stated by the office of graduate admissions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So let's go ahead and get started.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Most importantly, what is the cost to attend saic the school of the art institute Chicago is a private university with associated cost of attendance that will require a considerable financial investment to attend.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Just like any investment in you need to take the necessary steps to ensure that you have evaluator all of your cost and eligible resources to address these costs before you do side when rolling saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: estimated cost of attendance for a graduate student as saic and.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Is \$71,065, and that is based on the enrollment of 30 credit hours per year living off campus and includes indirect costs for books and supplies.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: that's important because we want to make sure that.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again, if we're going to make a decision to attend saic because it is a big investment, we want to make sure that you have gone through all of your due diligence, to make sure that you know that you can afford this investment.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: We do have a qr code that if you want to scan with your phone right now on the screen in front of you that will take you directly to our website, which will show you the estimated budget for.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Our budget for 2022 23 will be available within the next week or so to see you know also want to remind you that if you do have questions throughout this webinar.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: we're going to ask your attention throughout the webinar a lot of your questions are going to be addressed throughout the webinar so we're going to ask you to hold off.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Asking any questions during the webinar we are going to have an opportunity for you to ask your questions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Because I haven't joined by several Members of the student financial services staff.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: who are here to help you to address those questions at the conclusion of our webinar so once again if you do have any questions let's hold off until after the end of the webinar many of your questions will be addressed throughout the webinar and, more importantly, we want your attention.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Next to talk a little bit more about the cost of attendance at saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Although saic does provide general scholarships grants and other financial aid they're still typically are remaining balance that would still need to be addressed.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: With payments are securing additional student loans to address the balance before the Semester begins.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And so we're going to have a total cost of attendance we're obviously going to apply some eligible financial aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But there will be a remaining cost again that will need to be addressed so to begin finding out what specific costs might be for you as a US citizen eligible non citizen you do need to make sure you're submitting the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So what is the fastball it's a free federal application that students need to submit each year to be eligible for federal need based aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: To apply for federal aid, such as work, study federal loans, you need to complete the free application for federal student aid completing and submitting the fasfa is free and

easier than ever before and it gives you access to the largest source of financial aid to pay for college.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: In addition, many colleges, just like saic use the fast information to determine your eligible need based aid, specifically in saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Who can submit the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Students must submit a fast for each academic year in which financial aid, a saw.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: General general the eligibility requirements include that you have financial need that you are a US citizen or eligible non citizen be enrolled at an eligible degree or certificate program in your college like saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So those are the general eligibility requirements.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: When can the fast would be submitted the fast becomes available each year, this summit beginning on April I sorry October, the first.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: it's available online at specific website that the Department of Education has called student aid.gov.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: it's also available on a mobile APP, believe it or not, you can complete your fastball on your mobile device it's called my student aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You can actually download my student aid APP from the apple store or you can download it from Google play if you have an android device.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: A birdie deadline to submit your fastball for 2022 23 is January 1 of 2022, but there is still time to apply if you have not yet applied for your fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you have not yet submitted or fasfa for 2022 23 there is still time to submit that fasfa we do ask you to submit that as soon as possible.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Because we're going to need to have that fast for submitted in order to provide you with federal need based aid so once again, there is still time to submit your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you haven't done so already, but it is important that you do it as soon as possible.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So before you begin your fast, but sometimes helpful to have a few items one of those things are something known as an FSA ID and FSA ID is a username and password you'll need to sign your fastball line fast perform online.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You will also need to use this fast ID again, so please make sure you're remembering write down write it down in a secure place you're going to need to use this to complete your fasfa.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: you're also going to need your FSA ID in order to complete your steps for such things as your federal student federal student loans so again, you can secure this FSA ID at the same website we've talked about before at student aid.gov.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You should also gather some additional documentation before you submit your fast, but it's good to have this information in front of you, because it will be referenced on the fafsa application itself.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: it's important to have your social security number, if you don't know what it is, please make sure you have it, because that is one thing that cannot be.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: corrected so you do want to make sure you're putting in the proper social security number for the student.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also, if you have a resident alien registration number if you're not a US citizen again you're going to need to have that number as well.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again, you do want to make sure, and using those correct numbers.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: are also going to need your driver's license number, if you have one if you don't have one, not a problem at all you don't it's not necessary don't need it, but it is asked on the application so if you do have a driver's license please have it available.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: you're also going to be asked for income information, specifically on your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Faster from.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: i'm sorry.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: This is what's called prior prior year so again, the US Department of Education federal student aid is requiring students to put down their income information explicitly from 2020 on your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Faster so you and your spouse if you're married will report your income information rather than your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Income information, you should have your irs 10 1045 1048 or 1040 easy from.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Just so you can refine some of the numbers that are on there.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You should also have records of untaxed income they if you have any type of on tax income they could include things like child support you've received.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: or interest income or veterans non educational benefits any income that's untaxed please make sure that you have that information available as well, again, the fastball will be asking you some specific information about what you received in 2020.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also it's going to ask you information regarding your current assets recurring money.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: This section includes information regarding savings and checking account balances, as well as the value of investments such as stocks and bonds.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But not your retirement plan, such as for a one plans or pension funds, that is something you're not going to include on the fast.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You are going to include your real estate but you're not going to include the value of your home, in which you or your family lives.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And again, you should report, the current amount as the date that you sign or submit the faster rather than uploading those are using the.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Tax year and again that's explicitly for the tax information for your assets.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You are going to have an opportunity to list some schools, he wants to receive the results that fast file, please make sure you indicate saic is one of the schools for save one of the results.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And again, our school code is 001753 you put that number on there that will ensure that saic receives the results of your fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Next, I want to just provide you some helpful resources are the US Department of Education federal student aid does have some helpful reef videos that you can reference on YouTube.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You can actually find those right here@youtube.com forward slash federal student aid it's a great place for you to go they do have some additional information and videos about how to.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: fill out a fast further faster overview, the financial aid process just in general and also what happens after you submit your fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So those are great videos and what I love about them a really short for your lesson usually than two minutes long and they really do provide some great information.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also, the Department of Education has a great location on the website that basically says, you know you have to fill out your free application for federal student aid also knows the fast.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But maybe you're not sure what to do next so here's that qr code, you can actually take your phone right now and go ahead and scan that using your your camera feature.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And that will take you directly to the Department of Education federal student aid website that can talk a



little bit more about that that is again some additional information that can help you regarding any questions you might have specifically about what's asked on the faster.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Next I mentioned earlier that the information that's on the fastball for 2022 23 is coming from 2020 tax information, as required by the US Department of Education.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you had filed federal income taxes in 2020 you are required by the US Department of Education to use something known as a data retrieval tool that's available on the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: The data retrieval tool as an opportunity for you be able to share that information directly with the Department of Education from the irs.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: This way we can make sure that that information that you're providing on the fastball is accurate, based on the information you have from your from your fast.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So again, you are required to do that again you're going to need to use your name and information, exactly as you provided in 2020 tax return when you're using the Dr T or the data retrieval tool, it is one of the ways that making sure that you are, you would say.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: To make sure they're safe guarding your security.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: i'm also once you do use the iris data retrieval tool to import your tax information from 2022 year 2022 23 faster do not change any of that information if you change that information makes a null and void.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So again, once you import that information do not changing if you did not file federal income taxes and.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Or, for whatever reason you're eligible to use the Dr T the data retrieval tool and that sometimes happens when students, maybe have had a security breach.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Then you will need to go ahead and enter that information on the fastball directly from here 2020 tax returns or your 2020 income information, please make sure your your as accurate as possible, if you are putting that information in by hand.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But again, if you are going to be spending your fastball please, as required by the US Department of Education, if you do have the option to use the data retrieval tool, also known as in the air T, you are required to use it.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: What happens next after you submit your fastball your faster information is shared with the colleges on the list that you listed on the application.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Schools will use this information to figure out how much aid you'll receive at that specific school.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Other schools might have other forms, you need to fill out, but specifically here at saic domestic students or an eligible non citizens only need to fill out the fafsa, that is the only forums that saic requires for financial aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You should also check to see if your fastball has been processed APP you submitted students can check the status of your fast perform immediately after submitting get online by visiting again student aid.gov.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also, the student will receive an email from federal student aid within three days after you submit the fast check for that email that's going to give you some follow up information directly from the Department of Education.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Really read that email, that is something known as a student aid report or a SAR.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Now there is a process known as federal verification, the US Department of Education does choose students for a process known as federal verification.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Verification as a process for your school uses to confirm that the data that you report on your fafsa form is accurate.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you're chosen for federal verification your school request additional documentation that supports the information that report on the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again, not all students will be are chosen for federal verification, but if you are chosen for federal verification don't assume you're being accused of doing anything wrong.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Some people are selected for verification of random and some schools verify all students, submit a fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Here at saic we primarily focus on students who are only chosen for federal verification by the US Department of Education.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again, if we are choosing you for federal verification or something known as institutional review.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: All you need to do is provide us with the documentation that we're asking for, and please be sure to do this by the school's deadline, because or you won't be able to be eligible for financial aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Once again, after you submit your fast by the US Department of Education, if you are chosen for federal verification or institutional review we will reach out to the student and let you know you've been.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: That you've been chosen for verification you just need to get that information to us as soon as possible, again, not all students are chosen for federal verification.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again, we will be sending you an email at a letter of the student, if you are chosen for federal verification, please respond as soon as possible.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So what is the result of the fast, one after you submit your fast by, as I mentioned earlier you're going to receive a student aid report, also known as a SAR.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: that's do navy report will contain something known as a expected family contribution, also known as the UFC this will display in the upper right hand corner of your student aid report.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If your application is incomplete, your SAR will not include any FC but will tell you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: What you need to do to resolve any issues, once again, students, please, please, please read that email that you're sending from the US Department of Education approximately three days.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: After you submit your fafsa that will be the Department of Education for writing your direct feedback regarding the faster you submitted.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Schools will use this UFC the as many family contribution to determine your federal student aid eligibility and financial aid award.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Your afc is not the amount of money that you will have to pay to go to college, nor is it the amount of federal financial aid you'll receive.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: It is a number used by the school to calculate the amount of federal aid and school need based aid, you are eligible to receive again will be using that particular FC for that calculation.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Next let's talk a little bit more about your financial aid award that's produced once I say I see receives your student aid report.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: From your submit a fastball will use that FC to determine your eligibility for financial assistance.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Your financial aid award as it's called will contain or might contain scholarships and grants, you might be eligible, these are free money, money you don't have to pay back everyone's favorite It could also include anything you might be receiving informs on merit scholarships and.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: or need based brands from saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: We could also be eligible for federal work, study, this is earned money and is based on the FC.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And is eligible based on what the student is submitting under fast pay for eligible federal work, study we'll make sure we include that on your students financial aid package or on your financial aid package.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: will also include information regarding federal student loans as a reminder loans are not free money they do need to be repaid back.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And primarily we're going to be talking specifically about the federal direct unsubsidized Stafford loan program through the US Department of Education for graduate students or post baccalaureate graduate students.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I will also talk about your eligibility for federal direct graduate plus loans and you're eligible for private loans if that's another loan teacher interested in applying for.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So again, all of these will be included in your financial aid award and when we mail this to you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Now again once again your financial aid award when the students receive your financial aid award the office of student financial services will begin awarding new graduate students from.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: beginning in February 2022 so just a few weeks from now we're going to start to see those financial aid packages being sent to your home addresses.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: After the student has been admitted to saic and after we receive the results every 2022 23 fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: How will you receive your saic financial aid award students will be sent an saic financial aid award package by us mail to the home mailing address and a large blue envelope.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: This is what the financial aid package will look like it's on the screen right now it's be a plain blue envelope so take a mental image of it that's what's going to look look like make sure you read everything that's inside that package.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: admitted students will also be sent an email notifying them other to their saic email address informing them that you've also been awarded your financial aid.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: and your financial aid can also be viewed on your students self service account.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: As a reminder, if you're admitted saic you'll be directed by the office of admissions to make sure you activate your saic of self service.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: and your saic email immediately after you've been admitted this way, you will be able to see your financial aid online and begin for you, your important emails are being sent to you directly to your saic email account.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: What do I need to do if I need help understanding my cost and financial aid, we understand this can be a complicated process.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: we're going to ask you to contact our office to schedule a 20 minute zoom meeting to review with our financial aid advisor everything that's included in that in that booklet and we're going to be able to help you unpack all that information for sure.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Now, during that financial aid and cost review you're going you're going to schedule that 20 minute zoom meeting with a student financial aid advisor.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again we're going to ask you to read all the documents and all the instructions are included in the award packet or the email notification that is sent to the student after awarded again that's going to happen in the next couple weeks.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Students please share this information with any individual who might be assisting you, with your college costs, if applicable, any other family members.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also we're going to ask you to contact our office to schedule a 20 minute zoom meeting to review with a student financial service advisor.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: After you've been awarded again, you can scheduling instructions will be included in the awards packet and will also be included in the email that we're sending to students.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But students, you can include you can go ahead and schedule that appointment again after we have your awarded and after you believe.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You received that blue envelope, you can schedule that appointment directly with us here's that qr code, you want to use your phone right now, you can actually scan it just to see where.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You can actually schedule that appointment I don't want you to schedule these appointments now.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I want you to schedule these appointments after you've been awarded your financial aid from 2022 23 so once again after receive that very pretty blue envelope in the mail or if you received.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: an email saying you've been waiting for 2022 23 if you'd like we really encourage you to schedule this 20 minute zoom meeting with us, so we can review all of your financial aid all of your costs.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So, again during that financial aid or review we're going to.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: review and discuss all the items that might be included in your financial aid award letter, including any scholarships grants work, study eligibility of eligible and your eligibility for federal student loans.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: we're also going to review and complete a very important worksheet known as a.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: figure cost worksheet to determine your exact cost after your financial aid has been applied to your first year here at saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: This way, by the end of our meeting you'll know what your costs will be after financially as applied and before you even decide to submit your enrollment deposit or to register at saic for 2022 23.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: we're we're also going to be able to review all the required next steps secure additional student loans and payment arrangements by the require deadlines.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And again we're course are going to be able to answer any additional questions or concerns you might have at that time so again it's very important that you schedule this 20 minutes zoom meeting.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: After you've been awarded for 2022 23 again we're just beginning to begin that process to get those awards sent out to our students were been admitted.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: To say I see so you're going to start seeing those over the next couple of weeks again we're starting awarding students about mid February.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I do want to talk about special circumstances, you know this has been an incredible two years for our our world and our nation and it's had.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Some of us have had some major economic downturns because of the Kobe Kobe virus, and so I do want to remind you that when you feel about your fastball for 2022 23 it's asking for income information explicitly from.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But sometimes students are want to see a reduction in income or have seen a reduction of income as a result of you going to graduate.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: School So if you anticipate or if you seen a change of employment or incarnate because you're going to be a graduate student.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Or, if you have unusually high medical expenses that you've already paid for that are not been covered by health insurance.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Or if you've had a change in marital status or, if you have unusual dependent care expenses or private school expenses for dependent.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you feel you have any of these special circumstances, you may discuss this with a student financial services advisor for guidance on your next steps, if applicable, after you've received your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Financial aid award letter, if you we do find this is true we're going to ask you to submit an appeal to this website, in order for us to address these specific special circumstances regarding or 2022 23 fasfa and any changes in your income.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: We also encouraging students to apply for outside scholarships outside scholarships are scholarships that are not provided by the US Department of Education, or by saic.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: These are independent organizations that offer scholarships to students these to take a little bit of legwork for the student again, there is an application process.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: When we want to remind students that sometimes your employers offer scholarships, you might want to ask your current employers.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: You want to check with local organizations your hometown lots of local organizations have scholarships, they want to provide to students from their hometown.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Also, great place to look her as the Internet, obviously one of the best one out there is fast web.com fast web COM.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Is a great source for looking for outside scholarships students actually build a profile on fast web we're going to ask you some specific information about you and what you want to study.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And then festival COM will show you any outside scholarships, you might be eligible for based on that criteria.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: They also send you an email approximately every two weeks with any additional outside scholarships that they have realized that you might be eligible, you might want to apply for so again fast web COM.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: A great place to look also we have a brain listing on our own website and saic.edu forward slash outside scholarships.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Again there's that link and go right to it, or you can go ahead and use this qr code right now use your phone to use your photograph feature to go ahead and scan that and it'll take you directly to our website where we have information regarding downside scholarship options.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Lastly, I do want to remind you once again that this webinar is being recorded and will be available on the

saic website and will be emailed to any individual who registered for this webinar if you attended or not within the next 48 hours.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: At this time, I want to open the floor to questions if you have any questions we're going to ask you to post those.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: explicitly in the Q amp a box, not the chat box, once again, if you do have any questions, please post those in a Q amp a box now, not the chat box.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If we do find a question that's interesting or a common question that we're seeing, I will be coming back online to share that question with everyone and share the answer.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So, once again, thank you for joining us for tonight's webinar again, the floor is open for questions if you have additional questions, please post, those are Q amp a box.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: We are going to be available for approximately the next 15 minutes to address those questions so get those questions rolling I appreciate it, thank you very much.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we have one common question I want to make sure I bring up the gangs, I did say at the beginning of the webinar.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: On for international students on there are no additional financial aid applications that you need to submit.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: The only application that you need to submit in order to be eligible for any possible institutional aid at saic is the admissions application.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So once again for international students, there is no additional documentation or applications, you need

to file for financial aid only the application that's required by the office of graduate admissions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Thanks, we have another question from a student who might have filled out a fast as an undergraduate student and at that time, if you remember.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Students when you're filling out a fafsa as an undergraduate student and if you're under the age of 24 you are required to conclude your parents information on the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: But if you're applying to graduate schools, you are automatically going to be considered an independent student by the US Department of Education.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So you're only going to need to include information regarding the student or your spouse, if you are married hopefully that provides some additional clarification.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we're getting some specific questions that students are really anxious about finding out basically what the average financial aid package might be, or what.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: What would be your balance dude saic what your cost my be at this early stage I cannot provide that information or we can say.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: That, if you are domestic students on eligible non citizen that you should make sure that you're filling out that fasfa.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So we can go ahead, provide you with a financial aid package as soon as we possibly can.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And then, after we have that package we're going to email that you are going to mail that to you, and of course we're going to provide personal one on one.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Attention with you, through the 20 minute zoom meeting to go over all of your costs and financial aid, by the time we're done with that 20 minute meeting you're going to have a very good idea.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: about what your investment would look like at si si and at that point, you can make a determination, whether or not you'd like to enroll at saic but again it's very, very important.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: That you know what your investments going to look like, before you make any commitment to any college or university.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So I do want to make sure I just clarify that I know there's live anxiety and concern about what your costs are again.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: you're going to have a much better idea what this is going to look like over the next couple of weeks as we complete the process for admitting students saic we're saving your fast was.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: providing you with your financial aid award and having a wonderful opportunity to meet with you, through a 20 minute meet zoom and zoom meeting okay just want to make sure I send them, thank you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I also had an interesting question from someone who is concerned about the information that's required on the fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I want to remind you that that is a federal form by the US Department of Education.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Just like the irs irs information, so it is secure and that information is required on the fast, but in order for.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: saic in any other colleges universities, you might be applying for it in order to be able to provide you with the best financial aid package possible so if you're interested in receiving.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: The best financial aid packages, as we can, as soon as we can, I do recommend that you again fill out that fasfa.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: For 2022 23 as soon as possible, so we and any other colleges universities, you might be applying for have.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: The best opportunity to provide you with the best financial aid package we possibly can so.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I just leave it at that, so that's just want to make sure I share that information with you guys, I understand that sensitive information, but this is a federal form.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: And our federal document that is required if you want to be in consideration for any need based financial aid as domestic or eligible non citizen.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Books is another interesting question from someone who.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Is married and they need to submit their fastball whether you and your spouse are filing your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Income information with the irs as head of household jointly married single in any case, if you're married you do need to include you and your spouse's income information from.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: On your fast perform it is required by the US Department of Education, so if you are married, you are required to hold your spouse's information on the fastball so please make sure you follow the directions, as required by the US Department of Education and on the fast before.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks were asking some questions about the office of admissions the office of graduate admissions and when they will be getting word out to.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Individuals regarding their application if they've been admitted or interviews etc again that is going to be the purview of the office of graduate admissions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: I know that they're currently diligently working with hundreds of students, right now, thousands of students, probably to address these concerns.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If if you've applied to saic as a graduate student the admissions office will be reaching out to you directly regarding those updates so again those will be specifically addressed by the office of graduate admissions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we had another interesting question about someone who might be starting the low residency program for summer 2022.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If you are going to be taking classes, that I say I see either that's in summer 2022 fall 2022 you need to fill out the 2022 23 fastball.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So once again everybody who was on this call on this webinar if you're thinking about enrolling saic whether that happens to be in summer 2022 or fall 2022 you do need to make sure filling out the 2022 23 fastball hopefully that provides some clarification.



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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we're getting a few questions about international students and saic scholarships for international students.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: If there are any saic scholarships that are offered to students from the opposite admissions specifically to international students.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: That will be decided specifically from the from the office of graduate admissions at the time of your.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Evaluation so again international students there's no additional documentation, you need to submit in regards to financial aid, the only process, you need to complete is to complete the admissions process will be office.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: office of graduate admissions and if you are eligible for any specific saic academic scholarship you will be notified directly from the office of graduate admissions.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we have a few more minutes left, if you have any last minute questions, please make sure your post those in the q&a box, we are going to conclude our webinar tonight at 730.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: approximately seven minutes from now so again, if you have any questions or concerns please make sure you address those the Q amp a box to be addressed by our helpful student financial services staff, thank you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks about four minutes four more minutes left, if you have any last minute questions okay those those in the Q amp a box we're going to be concluding at 7:30pm central time, thank you.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: folks we want to thank you again for joining us for tonight's webinar I do want to remind you that if you registered for this webinar and even if you didn't attend.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: you're going to receive a recording of this webinar within the next 24 hours and a copy will also be our website review.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: So, once again, we want to thank you for joining us for tonight's webinar we hope we found this helpful if you have any additional questions or concerns.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: Please do not hesitate to reach out for office, we will be happy to assist you in any way whatsoever going forward we hope you enjoy the rest of your night and we look forward to working with you in the future, have a good night.

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SAIC Student Financial Services: bye bye.