

FAFSA Deadlines

Although the Federal Deadline is May 1st for filling out the FAFSA, almost every state and school has a different and earlier deadline. You should contact your school(s) of choice to find out their FAFSA deadline. The earlier you complete and submit the FAFSA, the faster you will receive information regarding your financial aid packages. For many families, the financial aid package can play a significant role in the decision making process. Below are some **FAFSA deadlines**:

February 15th

Marywood University
Penn State University
Kutztown University
University of Scranton
Kings University

March 1st

Arcadia University
Johnson College
Temple University
University of Pittsburgh
East Stroudsburg University
Wilkes University
Misericordia University
West Chester University
West Virginia University
Drexel University

March 15th

Bloomsburg University
Lock Haven University
Mansfield University
Shippensburg University

April 15th

Luzerne County Community College
Clarion University
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia University

May 1st

Lackawanna College
Keystone College

THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP IS TO FILE THE NECESSARY FORM(S) BY THE EARLIEST DEADLINE OF ALL THE SCHOOLS THAT YOU ARE CONSIDERING.

In addition, some institutions require their own application that could be used for need-based and/or merit-based scholarships. To find out if an institutional application is required as well as the deadline, refer to the school's publications or website, or contact their Admissions Office or Financial Aid Office.