

Summer Timeline for Financial Aid



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Register for summer courses. Summer course registration opens on the same day your spring registration opens in November.

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File your Summer Financial Aid Application. The application can be found on the WSU Financial Aid website.

Be sure to have a current FAFSA on file.

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If you plan to take a course at another school, and would like enough WSU financial aid (FA) to cover those costs, complete a Consortium Agreement. The Consortium Agreement forms can be found on the WSU Financial Aid website.

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In your eServices account, be sure to accept any Federal student loans that you wish to borrow. If you wish to borrow an optional/alternative loan you will have to complete an application and be approved through a lender of your choice. Visit the WSU Financial Aid website to find a list of optional loan lenders.

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To view your summer award letter, log into your eServices account, click on Financial Aid, then Awards.

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For those students who completed the Summer FA Application, award letters will begin appearing on eServices typically after spring break.

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Tuition & fees can be paid on eServices or in-person at the Warrior Hub. Students who have a balance on their account after the 1st payment due date will automatically be placed on the extended payment plan. For more information on payment due dates and payment plans, visit www.winona.edu/billing

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If you add or drop a course from your summer registration, be sure to update your Summer Financial Aid Application.

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Summer financial aid typically begins disbursing, or applying, to the balance of your student bill beginning late May. Courses starting later in the summer term will often not have aid disburse until the first day of the class.

Enrollment is defined as:

Undergraduate

Full-time: 12+ credits
¾-time: 9-11 credits
½-time: 6-8 credits
Less-than ½-time: 1-5 credits

Graduate

Full-time: 6+ credits
½-time: 3-5 credits
Less-than ½-time : 1-2 credits

Award Letter:

Award letters will be built based on a number of factors. It is important to understand that Cost of Attendance (tuition, fees, laptop, allowance for housing, food, books, etc.) is based on the number of weeks the course(s) is held as well as the number of credits attempted. (ex: if your course start – end dates are over a 5-week period, you will be awarded FA based on 5 weeks of registration. Questions? Contact the WSU Financial Aid Office!

Summer Work Study

1st: Enroll in at least 6-undergraduate or 3-graduate credits
2nd: Talk to your current, or future, supervisor about summer work opportunities
3rd: Make an appointment with a FA Counselor to see if you are eligible for summer work study.

Direct Deposit

To check if you have an active direct deposit account, log into your eServices account, click on Financial Aid, then Direct Deposit Setup

FAFSA

Complete your FAFSA (www.fafsa.gov) to receive FA for the upcoming academic year.

