



Paying for College

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A Few Stories

EEK!

*These are tales of
aid gone wrong!*

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Colin

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Kirsten

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Hailey

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Current Senior

Spoiler alert



Shh!

Here are the 5
secrets:

1

Developing a College List

2

Test Prep & Upgrading Resume

3

Securing Financial Aid

4

Merit-based and Special Scholarships

5

Outside Scholarships

1

Developing a College List



2

Test Prep & Upgrading Resume

Know
your baseline
score

Identify
“Top 10 Trends”

Tackle tests
more than
a few times

2

Test Prep & Upgrading Resume

Pro-Tip!
Colleges are looking for leaders

Nikki Sample 3303 Mulberry Dr. Lexington, KY 47401 (859)-332-0723	
High School Education	Henry Clay High School Lexington, Kentucky
Academics	Overall Unweighted GPA: 3.95 Class Rank: 1/256 Advanced Placement Classes: AP US History, AP Literature, AP Economics, AP Language/Composition
Test Scores	ACT: 28 SAT: 1260
Organization Membership & Leadership	Student Council - Secretary Swimming- 12 years Beta Club- 3 years Y Club- 4 years Environmental Club- 4 years Vice-President Spanish Club- 4 years President Track- 2 years - Finished #14 in state Cross Country- 2 years National Honors Society- 2 years Spanish National Honor Society President Choir
Awards	National Merit Finalist Central Kentucky Youth Salute Honors Geometry Award National Math Exam- 3 years AP Spanish Award Top Ten Award Lexington Leadership World Language Festival : State Champion, Reading Level 4:
Volunteer	Salvation Army, Montessori Volunteer, Birthright, Sunday Supper, Computer Total Hours: Hours 250

10 Activities



5 Honors



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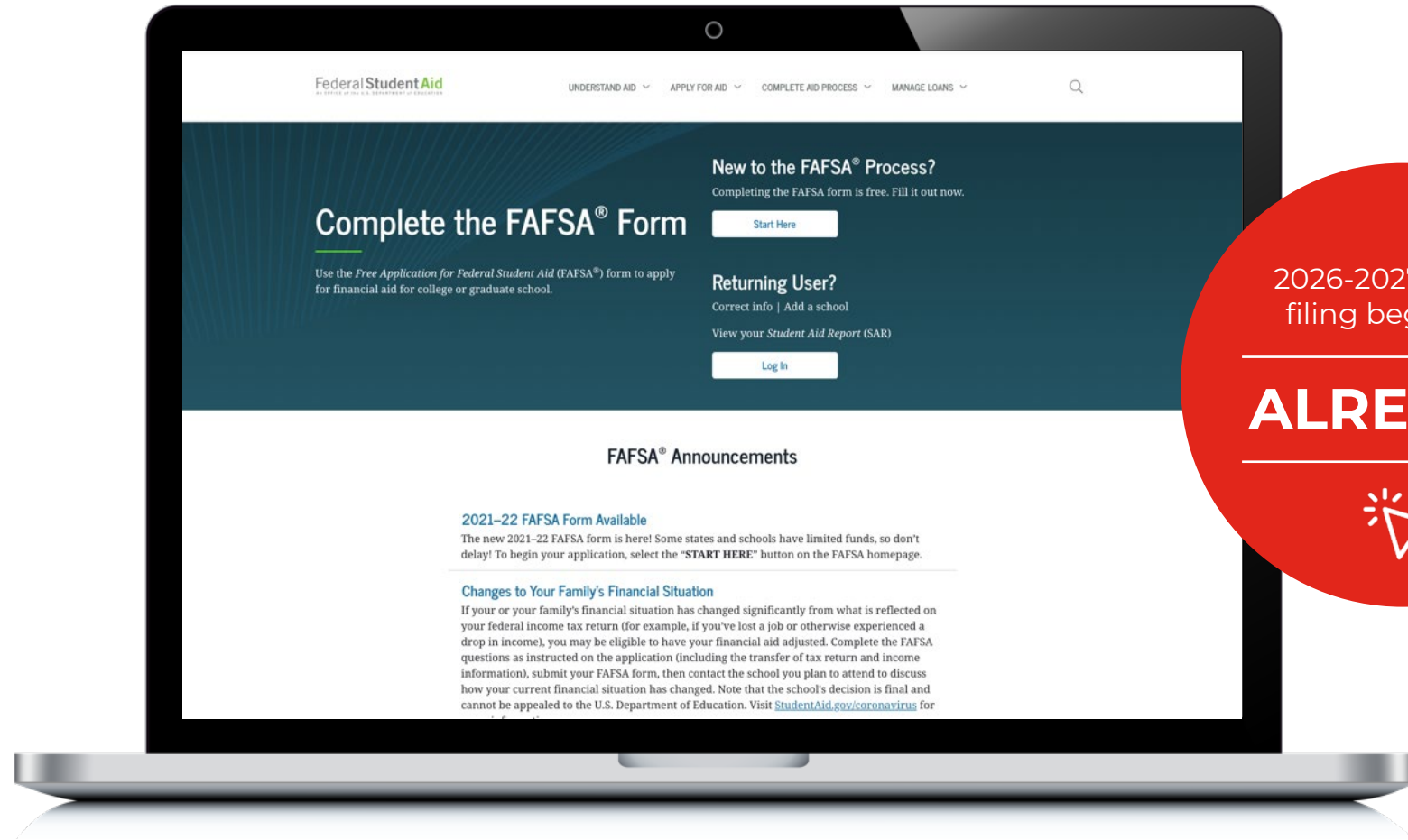
Securing Financial Aid (FAFSA)

Apply, apply, apply!

Unless your family wants to pay for college out-of-pocket, it's a GREAT idea to complete the FAFSA.



Meet the **FAFSA** Form



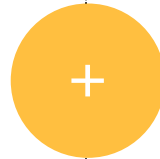
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Merit-based + Special Scholarships



**Merit-Based
Scholarships**

Predictable Money



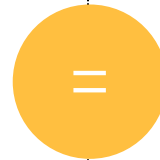
**Special
Scholarships**

Predictable Money



Costs Before & After Aid

Ann Arbor	\$80,142
Marquette	\$71,816
Lawrence	\$68,059
Creighton	\$63,590
Wisconsin	\$30,378
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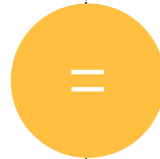




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**Merit Aid
Grants**



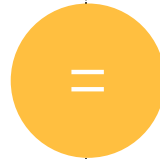
**Loans
Work Study**

Ann Arbor	\$15,929
Marquette	\$27,776
Lawrence	\$10,559
Creighton	\$14,590
Wisconsin	\$2,127
UW-Whitewater	\$11,678



Gathering Family Resources

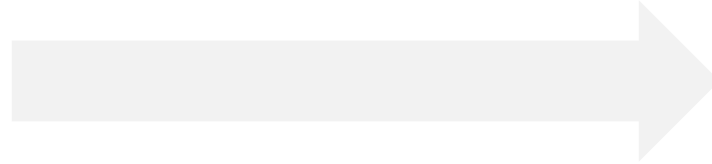
Summer Job	\$3,000
Campus Job	\$0* (Wisconsin)
Parent Plan	\$2,700
Savings	\$5,000
Graduation	\$1,000
	\$500



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\$12,200

Maximizing Merit-based Scholarships



Competitive Scholarships

Presidential

- ★ 3.5 unweighted GPA, 31 ACT or 1400 SAT 4-year full in-state tuition

Automatic Scholarships

Provost

- ★ 3.3 unweighted GPA, 26 ACT or 1240 SAT, \$2,500 per year
- ★ 3.3 unweighted GPA, 28 ACT or 1310 SAT, \$5,000 per year

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Outside Scholarships

Examples of Outside Scholarships

- ✓ Coca-Cola Scholars Program
- ✓ Burger King Scholarship
- ✓ National Merit Scholarship Corporation
- ✓ Gates Millennium Scholars
- ✓ Intel Science Talent Search





Typical Student

*Characteristics
used to
demonstrate aid*

1

High School Senior

2

Lives with two parents, one sibling

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Family income of \$75,000

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GPA is 3.8 unweighted

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ACT is 28

Schedule your free consultation today!

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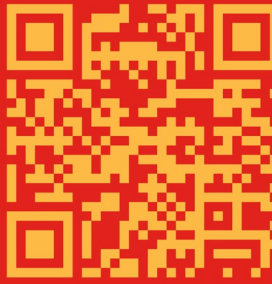
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**Make college
planning
simple**





Thank You.

