



## Financial Aid Checklist

Let Financial Aid help you get to GGC! Follow the steps below:

### 1. Apply to GGC

Even while you still working on the [application process](#) for Admissions, you should also be working on the [application for Financial Aid](#). Don't wait.

### 2. Create your [FSA ID](#)

This is a secure log in you and your parent will use to complete your FAFSA. You will create one specifically for you and your parent will create a different one specifically for him/her.

### 3. Complete the [FAFSA](#)

Complete the correct version of the FAFSA for the semester you are joining GGC. Be sure to add the GGC school code of 041429 so we will receive it. Find out what version of the FAFSA to complete by [visiting Financial Aid](#).

### 4. Check your [Banner Web \(login required\)](#)

Three-to-five business days after you complete and submit your FAFSA with the GGC school code, we will receive it. You can view your financial aid file in your Banner Web account to see if we are required to collect any additional information or documents.

### 5. Complete your Financial Aid File

If we are not required to collect any additional information for your aid file, you will be awarded and emailed an award notification. You will view, accept / decline your awards in Banner Web. If we are required to collect additional information for your aid file, you must successfully complete all requirements and turn them in to our office before we can award you any aid.

### 6. Attend Bear Essentials

This is GGC's orientation program for new GGC students.

### 7. Succeed!