

Senior Parent Night

Financial Aid
Senior Activities



FAFSA

Free Application for
Federal Student Aid

California
DreamAct



- **Definition of FAFSA/CADAA:** Is a form that can be prepared annually by current and prospective college students (undergraduate and graduate) in the United States to determine their eligibility for student financial aid.
- **Purpose of FAFSA/CADAA:** Help you pay for your educational expenses. (Tuition & Cost of living)

What is

FAFSA/CADAA?



Student Question?

- Can I afford to go to college after High school?

Yes, you can!



- Completing and submitting the **FAFSA/CADAA** is **FREE** and easier than ever.



To be Eligible for **FAFSA** you must have:

- Have a valid Social Security Number.



- Have a high school diploma or a General Education Development (GED) certificate, or completed homeschooling.
- If you do not have a Social Security Number you can still apply for Financial aid.



Additional Documents

- Federal tax information or tax returns (**2018**) for you and for your parents if you are a dependent student: IRS 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ.



- Your parent's Social Security Number (if you are a dependent student)
- Your School Code (053579)

Important FAFSA dates to remember!

- **ATTENTION!:**



the FAFSA[®] FORM launches
OCTOBER 1!

- The **FAFSA/CA Dream Act** must be submitted by



- With all required documents, the application process takes between **20 to 30** minutes to fill out and submit.

Available Resources to help complete **FAFSA/CADAA** Application

- Request to see Counselor (s)
- Visit Career Center weekly
- Attend “[Cash for College](#)” Workshop
- Call **1-800-4-FED-AID** for specific questions



Why is it important to Apply for **Financial Aid**?

- **Financial opportunity**-College/Career/Grants/Scholarships/Work-Study/Federal Loans
- **Application process experience**- Becoming familiar/comfortable with technological format for the future.
- **Submitting your **Financial Aid Applications****- Protects you if your financial circumstances change(Ex. Parent income). You can speak with a representative from the financial aid office to modify your package.

Stockton Scholars

Stockton Scholars provides graduating seniors with the tools, resources, and financial support needed to enter and complete higher education. They offer \$1,000 per year to 4-year students and \$500 per year to 2-year/trade students. Transfer pathways are highly encouraged!

Cash 4 College Workshops

Franklin High School	10/17/2019	3:30 PM	6:00 PM
University of the Pacific	10/20/2019	10:00 AM	12:00 PM
Edison High School	10/29/2019	4:00 PM	7:00 PM
Chavez High School	11/14/2019	5:30 PM	7:30 PM
San Joaquin Delta College	11/19/2019	12:00 PM	6:00 PM
Stagg High School	11/20/2019	5:00 PM	7:00 PM

To qualify for the Stockton Scholars grant, students must:

- **Have attended an eligible Stockton Unified **high school** for four years and be on track to graduate by the end of their senior year**
- **Have a 2.0 unweighted overall high school GPA**
- **Complete the FAFSA or DREAM ACT application by the March 2 Cal Grant deadline and apply for two additional grants or scholarships**
- **Plan to pursue a degree and enroll full-time at a non-profit college, university, or regionally accredited trade school in the state of California**
- **Submit the application by the March deadline during their senior year**

CLASS OF 2020 EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Class Advisers:

Mrs. Calderon, Mrs. Tigno & Mrs. Avendano



Questions?

