2019-20 available October 1, 2018

www.fafsa.gov

ATTENTION SENIORS: During the academic year, the federal government provides billions of dollars to students in the way of loans, grants and work study programs.

First visit <u>www.STUDENTAID.ED.GOV</u>, to learn all about the financial aid process, from precollege to repayment. To apply for financial aid, students must fill out the <u>2019 Free Application</u> <u>for Federal Student Aid</u> (FAFSA) as soon as possible <u>After</u> October 1, 2018.

- FAFSA on the Web is a Fast, <u>Free</u>, secure and Easy way to apply for federal aid. Access the application at <u>www.fafsa.gov</u>
- While students are encouraged to apply ONLINE, paper applications are available by calling the Federal Student Aid Information Center at 1-800-433-3243
- PIN Obtain your by visiting https://fsaid.ed.gov
- **Students** and **Parents** need to obtain their own PINs which are used to electronically sign the FAFSA application. **GUARD your PIN**. You will use this PIN each year to File a FAFSA.
- Prepare by completing the FAFSA ON THE Web Worksheet.
 - o Google: FAFSA on the web worksheet 2019-20 available October 2018
- You will need to have filed your <u>2017</u> taxes. During the application, FAFSA will ask to directly download your numbers via the IRS website.
- The FAFSA is available in Spanish. Both Spanish and English directions are available.
- Parents must have completed their **2017** Federal taxes to the complete application.

Be sure you **make a copy** of your completed FAFSA for your records.

<u>Do not pay money</u> to submit your application to the Office of Federal Student Aid, U.S. Department of Education. The application is **FREE**.

Students who are undocumented can fill out a UNR **E**stimated **F**amily **C**ontribution document. Please see Ms. Haddad for the application in Spanish and English. This EFC can only be used by students for the Incline Scholarship and UNR Application.

- Federal College search https://collegescorecard.ed.gov
 Most reliable data on colleges, costs, financial aid and graduation rates.
- All Families are eligible for low interest <u>Federal Student Loans</u> thru the FAFSA application regardless of income.