

Map to Getting Financial Aid at Maine Maritime

Follow this checklist to ensure timely and efficient data collection and processing.

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Filed FAFSA (No later than April 15th – preferably sooner)

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Been accepted to MMA

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Received a letter from MMA asking for Verification materials.

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Returned Verification materials to MMA.

1. Sent **Verification Worksheet**
2. Sent Parent Taxes (all schedules of Federal Tax Return – SIGNED)
3. Sent Parent W2's.
4. Sent Student Taxes (if filed – all schedules of Federal Tax Return – SIGNED)
5. Sent Student W2's.

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Received Award Letter from MMA.

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Signed and returned my Award Letter Signature Page to MMA.

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Returned my Master Promissory Note to MMA (Only if borrowing a Federal Stafford Loan).

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Have made arrangements to meet any unmet need/gap left in my financial aid package.

Ways to meet UNMET NEED / GAP:

1. **Federal PLUS Loan** (A loan for Parents)
2. **A Payment Plan** (You will receive information from Key Bank and Tuition Management Systems about how you can enroll to pay your bill through their plans.)
3. **An Alternative Loan** (A private loan taken by the student to help meet costs. In most cases a credit worthy co-signer is required.)

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Prepared to pay my bill by Aug 15, prior to arrival at MMA.

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Keeping my eyes open for my RENEWAL FAFSA – arriving between Thanksgiving and Christmas, so I can start this process all over for next year!!!!