Alamo Colleges

Applying for a Federal the Direct Loan

Student Financial Aid
Presented by Student Financial Aid
1. Login to ACES
2. Click on Financial Aid tab
3. Click on Financial Aid Status
1. Select Aid Year
   2013-14 for Summer
   or 2014-15 for Fall

   Note: Check SFA website
   for official application
   dates.

2. Click SUBMIT
Direct Loan Request

1. You will be at the FA Status page
2. Click on the Financial Aid tab again
Click on Federal Direct Loan Request
1. Complete the application and authorize. Don’t forget to confirm the Loan Period.

2. Click on Submit
All applicants will receive an e-mail to your ACES accounts verifying the request has been submitted.

The Student Financial Aid office will process your application and determine eligibility.

Any student who has a Summer or Fall Direct Loan award posted prior to the end of the Spring semester must meet SAP (Satisfactory Academic Progress) once SAP is calculated for the 14-15 academic year.

Any student who is not meeting SAP for the 14-15 year does not qualify for financial aid for all future terms including Summer 2014. Eligibility can only be reinstated if a financial aid appeal is approved during one the submission timeframes.

Processing time is six (6) weeks