Navigating Financial Aid at CU-Boulder

Apply for Financial Aid

Complete the FAFSA online at www.fafsa.gov

You must complete a new FAFSA each school year!

CU-Boulder School Code

001370
What will I be asked?

- General Information
- School Information
- Student/Parent
  - Income and taxes
  - Untaxed Income
  - Assets

FAFSA Tips

1. 2018-2019 FAFSA will require 2016 tax information
2. IRS Data Retrieval Tool
3. Parent Information
CU-Boulder might need more info…

- Tax Return Transcript
- Non-filer Form
- Household Verification
- Untaxed Income Verification

Types of Aid

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University of Colorado Boulder
Cost of Attendance

- We use your combined enrollment from CU-Boulder and CMU to determine your COA
- If your enrollment changes, it may change your COA and financial aid
- You cannot receive more aid than your total COA

Process for CU/CMU

- October: FAFSA Opens
- February: Begin turning in requested documents to CU Boulder, Actual Financial Aid Award
- August: Aid will disburse to your CU Boulder student bill
- September: Use your refund from CU Boulder to pay your CMU student bill
Follow-Up with Financial Aid

- Please check your emails as we will be communicating with you through this platform
- Submit requested documents as soon as possible
- Contact our office if you have any questions or concerns

Have questions?

- Room 175, Regent Administrative Center
- 303-492-5091
- financialaid@colorado.edu
- Monday-Friday 9am-5pm

www.colorado.edu/financialaid