

Direct Loan Paperwork ...for Students

As the Student borrower you will need...

- Your Department of Education issued FSA ID (the same FSA ID used for the FAFSA). Go to www.FSAID.ed.gov to retrieve your FSA ID immediately if you have forgotten, or to apply for a FSA ID. During the previous year, May 10, 2015 the PIN was discontinued.
- Your social security number, date of birth, and driver's license number.
- Two personal references (full name, address, and telephone number) whom you have known for at least three years. Each reference provided must reside at a different U.S. address as well as different from the student's address.
- Approximately 30 minutes to complete

Log-In

• www.studentloans.gov

- In the upper right of the screen click on the  button to begin and fill in the required information.
- Once you have confirmed your information, select what you would like to do by clicking on...

 Complete Loan Counseling (Entrance, Financial Awareness, Exit)



Complete Counseling

• Entrance Counseling

Step 1: Counseling Type

Click on "Start" to begin.

Step 2: School Information



Select "Indiana" and "Trine University"

from the drop down boxes and

click "Notify This School".

Step 3: Student Type

Select Student Type

- I am completing entrance counseling to receive Direct Loans as an undergraduate  student
- I am completing entrance counseling to receive Direct Loans as a graduate or professional  student

CONTINUE



Entrance Counseling (Required)

Entrance Counseling is required before you can receive your first Direct Subsidized Loan, or Direct Unsubsidized Loan as an undergraduate, or your first Direct PLUS Loan as a graduate/professional student.

[Learn More](#)

START

Add School to Notify

Select up to 3 schools you wish to notify of your counseling completion.

Choose from Associated Schools

- Select -

OR

Select School to Notify

U.S. Schools/U.S. Territory Schools

Non U.S. Schools

Choose a state:

- Select -

Search school by name:

Select or type

Step 4: Counseling Session/Quiz

You will now answer a series of questions to finish the entrance counseling. You will see this when you have finished.

ENTRANCE COUNSELING SUMMARY

you have successfully completed Entrance Counseling!

It is **IMPORTANT** you continue and complete the MPN after you complete this step!!!

At the end of Step 4, click on... →



Complete Loan Agreement (Master Promissory Note)



MPN

- Complete your MPN in Four Steps.

Click this to begin →

MPN for Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loans

Use this MPN for Direct Subsidized or Direct Unsubsidized Loans available to eligible undergraduate or graduate/professional students.

Students must be logged in with their own FSA ID.

START

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Step 1: Information

Complete the requested information such as home phone number, address driver's license number, etc.

Step 2: References

Complete both (2) required references and click "Continue".

NOTE: References must reside at different addresses.

Step 3: Terms & Conditions

Read and review the terms and conditions, check the box to indicate that you have reviewed the information and then click "Continue".

Step 4: Review & Sign

The final step is to make sure all information is correct. Your name must be entered exactly as it was when you signed up for your FSA ID, this includes capitalization. Next, electronically sign your (the student's) MPN by clicking the "Sign" button.

First Name: Middle Initial: Last Name:

The time and date of your signature will be recorded and be made part of your completed MPN.

You have completed your Direct Loan Entrance Counseling and Master Promissory Note. Trine University will receive notification electronically within 5-7 business days. If after that point you receive notification we have not received the paperwork, please contact our offices at 800.347.4878.