

Grad PLUS Loan

As the Graduate/Professional student borrower you will need...

- Applicant's Department of Education issued FSA ID (the same FSA ID used for the FAFSA). Go to
 https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/sign-in/landing to retrieve your FSA ID immediately if you have forgotten, or to apply for an FSA ID.
- 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 different U.S. address from each other and from the student.
- Approximately 30 minutes to complete.
- To know what amount you want to borrow.

Complete our "Cost of Attendance Worksheet" to determine your total yearly loan amount to request.

Grad Plus Loan

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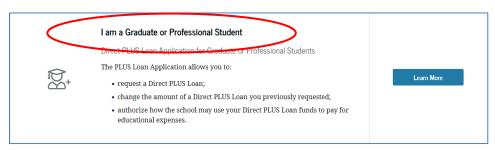
Log In

In the middle of the screen click on the login button to sign in using your FSA ID.

Once you have confirmed your personal information, on the home page select "Loans and Grants" and click on "PLUS Loans: Grad PLUS and Parent PLUS"



Then click on the application for Graduate/Professional Students:



Select "Start" to begin the Plus Loan Document



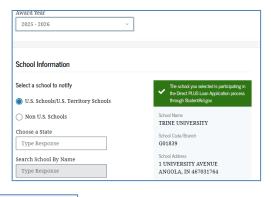
Step 1

School & Loan Info

- Select the correct award year for which you are applying.
- Complete the student information section.
- Select "Indiana" then select "Trine University" from the drop-down boxes and click "Notify This School"
- Select the loan amount you desire. Keep in mind when you specify your amount, the net amount applied to the students account will be 4.228% less because of the origination fee.
- Specify the loan period you are requesting the PLUS Loan

• Check whether or not to authorize the school to use the funds for other educationally related charges.

and then click "Continue".



I want to borrow the maximum Direct PLUS Loan amount for which I am eligible, as determined by the school. I would like to specify a loan amount. Loan Amount Requested May not exceed the school's cost of attendance, minus other financial assistance. I have you considered how loan fees will affect the amount you need to borrow? Use this tool to help you calculate PLUS Loan Fees >

Step 2 & 3

• Borrower Info & Review

- Review Credit Check Authorization
- Authorize Complete Borrower Info section and agree to Important Notices, then click "Continue."

How much do you want to borrow?

• Review all of your information for accuracy, and then click "Continue."

Step 4

• Submit

Read and review the important notices, check the appropriate boxes and click "Continue".

If you are approved, and this is your first time using a Grad PLUS Loan, please move on to complete the Master Promissory Note (MPN) to finalize the loan.

If you have already had a Grad PLUS Loan and completed the MPN before, you are finished.

To complete the MPN hover over "Loans and Grants" and click on "Master Promissory Note (MPN)"



I'm a Graduate/Professional Student

PLUS MPN or MPN for Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loans for Graduate/Professional Students



Find and use the MPN that you need as a graduate or professional degree student to borrow federal student loans. Graduate/professional students can be eligible for Direct Unsubsidized Loans, Direct PLUS Loans, or both. You need to complete an MPN for each loan type you intend to receive. You should request Direct Unsubsidized Loans up to your full eligibility before borrowing Direct PLUS Loans. Learn More



Then click "Start" to begin:

MPN for Direct PLUS Loans

Use this MPN for Direct PLUS Loans available to eligible graduate/professional students. You may also need to complete an MPN for Direct Unsubsidized Loans.



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Step 5

Information

Complete the requested information such as address, driver's license number, employer, school information, etc.

Step 6

• References

Complete both (2) required references. NOTE: References must reside at different addresses. Click "Continue".

Step 7

Read the Agreements

Read and review the terms and conditions. Know what you are agreeing to!

Step 8

• Sign & Submit

The final step is to make sure all information is correct and place a check in the "Promises" box to give your consent.

Your name must be entered exactly as it was when you signed up for your FSA ID, this includes capitalization.

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Next, electronically sign your (the student's) MPN by clicking the "Sign and Submit" button.

You have completed your Direct Grad PLUS 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.