

Financial Aid Checklist



Date Completed: **File your FAFSA as soon as possible after January 1**

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On-line at www.fafsa.ed.gov (SUNY Cortland's Title IV code is 002843)

- SUNY Cortland's FAFSA recommended filing date is March 1.
- When you apply for the FAFSA form you will be given a PIN Number that you will use to electronically sign your form. **Record this PIN Number** in the Bottom Section of this form for future use.

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New York State residents should file their TAP application online during the same session as the FAFSA form. If not, you will need to do so at www.tapweb.org.

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Once you have been accepted to SUNY Cortland you will be mailed instructions explaining how to sign onto MyRedDragon. Record your sign on information from the admissions office on the bottom of this form.

Complete all outstanding requirements on your MyRedDragon account:

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Review and Accept/Decline your award letter on MyRedDragon. You will be notified by the Financial Advisement Office when your award letter is available.

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Complete any other outstanding requirements listed on MyRedDragon.
Other Requirements: _____

Starting in June:

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Apply for a Parent Plus Loan if necessary. Via the Direct Lending Website!

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Apply for a private loan if necessary.

This section is to help keep your USER ID's and Passwords organized. This information should be kept **confidential and secure**. **You will need this information each year.**

FAFSA PIN – www.fafsa.ed.gov

NYS TAP - www.tapweb.org – 888-697-4372

User ID: _____

Password: _____

MyRedDragon – My SUNY Cortland Account

User ID: _____

Password: _____

Direct Lending

www.dl.ed.gov

User ID: _____

Password: _____

Contact the Financial Aid Office with questions:
Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 am – 4:30 pm
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