

# Free FAFSA workshops this weekend for college aid

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*Free workshops offered by ASU to help parents and students filing a FAFSA.*



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The recommended deadline to submit your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) (<https://fafsa.ed.gov/>) is fast-approaching: March 1, 2015.

If you are stuck at a roadblock or looking for help filing out the form, there are professional counselor's that will be teaching workshops this weekend across Arizona, and you don't have to be heading to an Arizona-specific university or college.

According to Arizona State University, there are three mistakes that students and parents make concerning the FAFSA.

- Not filing the FAFSA at all, many families think they make too much money or assume they are not eligible for aid.
- Leaving a blank field, the most frequent mistake is not putting a "0" as the answer to financial and tax questions.
- And neglecting to submit related financial aid forms, verification forms may be required to get aid from the national government.

Every student is different. If you decide to attend one of the workshops you need a driver's license, social security number and all 2014 tax forms.

There are ten workshops from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. on Saturday, February 7, 2015.

**Benson:** Cochise College - Benson Ctr. Room 130

**Glendale:** Glendale Community College - Student Union 6000 W. Olive Ave.

**Keams Canyon:** Hopi High School, Cafeteria, Highway 264

**Phoenix:** Arizona State University - Downtown, NH12 Nursing Building, 500 N. 3rd St.

Phoenix College, Library Computer Commons Lab, 1202 W. Thomas Rd.

ITT Tech - Phoenix West Computer Lab, 1840 N. 95th Ave., Suite 132

**Prescott:** Yavapai College, Building 19 Community Room, 1100 E. Sheldon St.

**San Tan Valley:** Central Arizona College, Building C, 3736 E. Bella Vista Rd.

**Tucson:** ITT Tech Tucson, Lab 3, 1455 W. River Rd.

University of Arizona, Aerospace & Mechanical Engineering Building, 1130 N. Mountain Ave.

There are six workshops that start at 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. on Sunday, February 8, 2015.

**Mesa:** Arizona State University - Polytechnic Technology, Technology Center, 7001 E. Williams Field Rd.

Mesa Community College, Paul A. Eisner Library, 1833 W. Southern Ave.

**Nogales:** Cochise College - Santa Cruz Center, Computer Lab, 2021 N. Grand Ave.

**Tempe:** Arizona State University, Lattie F. Coor Building, Computer Lab, 1151 S. Forest Ave.

**Tucson:** Pima Community College - Downtown Campus, Student Services Center CC Building, 1255 N. Stone Ave.

**Yuma:** Arizona Western College, 3C Building Computer Lab, 2020 S. Avenue 8E.

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