



Financial Aid

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2026-2027 Confirmation of Planned Enrollment For Direct Loan Eligibility

The *One Big Beautiful Bill Act* (OBBBA) was signed into law on July 4, 2025, and makes significant changes to the federal loan programs. Your eligibility for federal Direct Loans may be impacted by the number of hours in which you enroll. Students enrolled in 12 or more hours may borrow up to their full loan eligibility, but a student who enrolls less than full-time will have their loan disbursements reduced based on their percentage of enrollment.

To help you better plan and budget for this upcoming year, we are asking that you complete this form.

Please read each question below carefully and answer to the best of your ability. With or without this form, your Direct Loan amount may be adjusted if you plan to enroll in less than 12 hours during a semester.

Student Information

Student's Name: Last

First

M.I.

USC ID

VIP ID

1. For Fall 2026, how many hours do you plan to enroll? _____
Number of credits

2. For Spring 2027, how many hours do you plan to enroll? _____
Number of credits

3. When do you plan to graduate? _____

To accept, decline, or reduce your Direct Loan offer, please log into your Self-Service Aiken Account. Select "Financial Aid" then "Financial Aid Dashboard". Click on "Award Offer" to view your aid.

CERTIFICATION:

By signing this document, I certify that all the information reported on it is true and accurate. If I purposely give false or misleading information on this document, it will be cause for denial or repayment of financial aid and I may also be fined, sentenced to jail, or both. I give permission to update my FAFSA based on the information I listed above.

Required Signatures

Student's Signature

Date

WARNING: Under penalty of law, if you purposely give false or misleading information on this form, you may be fined, sentenced to jail or both.