

FAFSA Timeline for Educators | 2024-25 School Year

Beginning with the 2024-25 school year, students must complete a FAFSA to graduate. Use this outline to guide your school's FAFSA efforts!

AUGUST

Aug 14: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Include [FAFSA graduation requirement](#) info in back-to-school communication with senior families

Include [FAFSA completion resources](#) in your counseling or senior online classrooms

Complete paperwork for the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

SEPTEMBER

Sept 11: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Host a FAFSA event to create [StudentAid.gov](#) accounts

Share UCanGo2 FAFSA flyers and resources with families

Post on social media: Create StudentAid.gov accounts now

Share [FAFSAFastTrack](#) info for events in your area

OCTOBER

Oct 9: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Post on social media: The 2025-26 FAFSA is open

Hold FAFSA completion event(s) for students & parents

Share [FAFSAFastTrack](#) info for events in your area

Complete paperwork for the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

NOVEMBER

Nov 13: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Continue to offer in-person or virtual events and provide one-on-one assistance

Share [FAFSAFastTrack](#) info for events in your area

Upload your school's list of seniors to the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

Post on social media: Share [UCanGo2 FAFSA completion resources](#)

DECEMBER

Dec 11: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Continue to offer in-person or virtual events and provide one-on-one assistance

Begin logging into the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#) regularly to track FAFSA progress

Contact students & parents who have not yet submitted the FAFSA



NEED HELP?
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JANUARY & FEBRUARY

Jan 8 & Feb 12: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Continue to offer in-person or virtual events and provide one-on-one assistance

Review FAFSA completion in the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

Contact families of students who have not completed the FAFSA with reminders and resources

MARCH

Mar 12: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Hold in-person FAFSA completion event

Review FAFSA completion in the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

Email [opt-out](#) form to parents of students who have not yet submitted the FAFSA

APRIL

Apr 9: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Review FAFSA completion in the [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#)

Email [opt-out](#) form to parents of students who have not yet submitted the FAFSA

Prepare juniors for next year so they're aware they will need to submit the FAFSA as seniors

MAY + SUMMER WRAP-UP

May 14: Attend OCAP's FAFSA Webinar for educators

Finalize [Oklahoma FAFSA Data Portal](#) reports and [opt-out](#) forms

Review FAFSA outreach efforts and set goals to increase your school's FAFSA completion rate next year!

Contact UCanGo2 for assistance planning for next year!

Choose your own FAFSA adventure! Mix and match FAFSA outreach efforts to best support the needs of your students and families.

- Host in person or virtual events
- Email resources to students & parents
- Send reminders through communication apps
- Post on social media
- Include resources in online classrooms



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FAFSAFastTrackOK.org

OKhighered.org/OK-FDP

sde.ok.gov/college-career

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