Financial Aid Process:

2024-25 Academic Year (Fall 2024, Spring 2025, Summer 2025)

- **Step 1:** File 2022 Federal Taxes and request an IRS Tax Return Transcript (FREE) if you do not have a copy of your return.
- Step 2: Begin FSA ID Account Set Up (see attached) Student AND Parent (if applicable) must have ID's
- Step 3: Information needed to file the 2024-2025 FAFSA includes: (if applicable)
 - A) Signed copies of 2022 income, financial resources, and benefits for all household members including:
 - * **Signed** 2022 federal tax returns and W-2 forms
 - * **Signed** documents of food stamps
 - * **Signed** documentation of child support received (*total amt, name of person to whom support was paid, name of children for whom support was received*)
 - B) <u>In addition, a family must provide:</u>
 * The current value of investments including real estate, stocks, trust funds, money market funds, mutual funds, certificate of deposits, and/or investment farm value (see page 2 of the FAFSA for a complete list)
 - C) <u>Driver's License number(s), social security number(s), birth dates, marriage/divorce/separation dates, alien</u> registration number.
- **Step 4:** Submit the FAFSA electronically at <u>www.FAFSA.ed.gov</u>.

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Step 5: Filing FAFSA is only step 1. There will be more paperwork needed. You will get an email from Financial Aid outlining your next steps.

Information possibly needed to complete your ANC Financial Aid file: ANC Aid Application, Verification Form, and Income Documentation (See Step 3, Part A), High School, Transcript, and/or Driver's License

- **Step 6:** Register for classes after steps 1-5 are complete.
- **Step 7:** Look for a "Deferment" document type on your ANC Financial Aid Portal or clear the Business Office by making a payment before required deadline.
- Step 8: Get books.
- **Step 9:** Attend class on the 1st day to avoid being dropped as a "No Show".