The 2020-2021 Direct Loan Processing Form is now Available

To Apply for William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan

Please Follow the instructions listed below:

You must complete the 2020-21 FAFSA Application. Please go to www.studentaid.gov.

As a first time borrower at CITYTECH, you must complete the Entrance Counseling session and sign the Master Promissory Note (MPN) on-line at www.studentaid.gov.

STEPS

- 1. Login to CUNYfirst
- 2. Select "Campus Solutions" from the left menu
- 3. Navigate to: Self Service "followed by "Student Center"
- 4. In the Finances section click on the Direct Loan Processing form link
- 5. Select College (NYT01) Year (2021)
- 6. Based on your academic level and dependency status indicate the amount you wish to apply for.
- 7. Indicate the number of credits you are taking for the semester you wish to apply for. (do not apply, if you not enrolled in at least 6 credits)
- 8. A student will always be certified for their Subsidized loan maximum before being certified for an Unsubsidized loan.
- 9. Most loans will be paid in at least two equal disbursements.

Approximate Processing Time

Please allow 3-4 weeks for processing. Your loan application/Status Change forms will be reviewed, processed, and electronically transmitted to the federal processor for approval. Reminder: Please check your CITYTECH email address for notifications about your Loan status.

Loan Application Deadlines Dates:

Please note: Loans Applications will not be awarded/originated if the Application is not submitted and all issues (checklist items) are not resolved by the deadline dates stated below or by the last day of attendance within the academic year.

2020-21 Loan Deadline Dates

 Summer 2020 only Loan
 08/03/ 2020

 Summer 2020/Fall 2020 Loan
 12/10/2020

 Fall 2020 only Loan
 12/10/2020

Fall 2020 Spring 2021 Loan 05/06/2021

Spring 2021 only Loan 05/06/2021

Summer 2020/Fall 2020/Spring 2021 05/06/ 2021

Payment of Loan funds All loan payments (disbursements) are issued by the CUNY Controller's office. Deductions will be made automatically for unpaid tuition and fees. Loan checks will be mailed to the student's address of record unless direct deposit (strongly recommended) Direct deposit can be setup at the Bursars department. A student's loan may have to be reduced if additional financial aid is awarded after the loan has been processed.

All current Information on Federal Direct Loans is available on online at www.studentaid.gov.