

Financial Aid Certification Form 2011-2012

Title IV Statement

(Required for ALL Financial Aid Applications)

For Federal Aid (Federal Pell Grant, FSEOG, William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan)

By my signature, I authorize Miller College to use my Title IV program funds to pay for the cost of attendance charges and other institutional charges for the current year, as well as any prior balance up to \$200 which may exist, provided enough funding is available. I understand that I may not receive federal financial aid at two colleges simultaneously. Additionally, if I check YES I can contact the Miller College Financial Aid Office to obtain a Book Authorization Form. This will allow me to charge my books and required supplies in the KCC Bookstore against my federal financial aid during the authorized period at the beginning of each semester in which I am authorized aid. I understand that I have the option to rescind this authorization in writing at any time and pay cash for anything other than tuition and fees. I have read and understand the Financial Aid Manual for 2011-2012.

_____ YES, I want the ability to charge my books and required materials.

_____ No, I will pay out-of-pocket for my books and required materials.

Student's Printed Name

Student Signature

Student ID #

Date

High School Diploma/GED

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Check appropriate completion type

High School Diploma date completed _____ GED date completed _____

Will you receive employer reimbursement in 2011-2012?

_____ Yes Employer Name _____ Amount _____
_____ No

Student Loan Application

Do you wish to borrow funds through the Federal Direct Student Loan Program?

_____ Yes _____ No
If "No", stop here.

Please indicate which semesters you will attend Miller College

_____ Fall 2011/Spring 2012 _____ Spring 2012 _____ Summer 2012

Are you currently in default (in collection) on a federal student loan?

_____ Yes _____ No

Driver's License or State Identification Card Number: _____

*See back page for information regarding the two loan types.

Do you want a *Subsidized Loan ONLY or a combination of Subsidized and *Unsubsidized Loans?

_____ Subsidized ONLY _____ Combination Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans

Loan Amount Requested: _____ (if no amount is listed, the full amount of your award will be processed)

Expected Graduation Date: _____, 20_____

What is the difference between a Subsidized and an Unsubsidized loan?

The Department of Education makes Federal Direct Subsidized Loans to students enrolled at least half time (six (6) semester hours at Miller College) who demonstrate financial need. Financial need is determined based on the information students submit on their FAFSA applications. Students may borrow up to \$4,500 per academic year as a sophomore (between 30 and 59 semester hours earned) and \$5,500 per academic year as a junior or senior (60 or more semester hours earned). The federal government pays the interest while the student is in school at least half time, during the six-month grace period, and during all deferment periods for the Federal Direct Subsidized Loan. If a student requests a Federal Direct Subsidized Loan, based on financial need and academic eligibility, the Miller College Financial Aid Office will award the maximum amount authorized.

A Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan is a low interest loan made by the Department of Education which allows students to borrow who are not eligible or have reduced eligibility for a Federal Direct Subsidized Loan. The maximum amount a student may borrow is the same as the Federal Direct Subsidized Loan. Independent students may borrow up to an additional \$4,000 (as a sophomore) or \$5,000 (as a junior or senior) per academic year, depending on eligibility. The interest rate for both loans is the same; however, the federal government **DOES NOT** pay the interest for the student receiving an Unsubsidized Loan. This means the student is responsible for paying the interest during all school semesters, during the six-month grace period, and during all deferment periods for the Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan.

Students who fall below the half time level in any semester in which they are receiving either loan will have those loans cancelled and may be responsible for repayment of some or all of the funds disbursed to them. Students should speak with Miller College Financial Aid or Student Services staff prior to dropping and/or withdrawing from classes.

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