

Office of Financial Aid

1005 State University Drive * Fort Valley, GA 31030-4313

Direct Parent PLUS Online Application

Application Instructions

Step 1: Apply for a Direct Parent PLUS Loan

- Go to <u>www.studentloans.gov</u>. Click on Parent Borrowers then Apply for a PLUS Loan. You will need your Federal Student Aid ID to login (the same one you used for your FAFSA) to complete.
- 2. Read all information as it relates to a Parent PLUS loan before you begin.
- 3. Select START and begin the Direct PLUS Loan application
- 4. Follow the instructions to complete the Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan Application.
- If approved, you will be notified with instructions on how to sign a Master Promissory.

If denied, you will receive a denial letter from the U.S. Department of Education.

- The parent may contact the Direct Loan Servicing Center to either appeal the decision or investigate the option of securing an endorser for the loan. OR
- The student may submit a request for additional unsubsidized loans funds to Fort Valley State University.

Step 2: Sign a Master Promissory Note

- 1. When going online to sign your Master Promissory Note, be sure to have your driver's license, social security number and two references with complete addresses and contact information.
- 2. Go to https://studentloans.gov and sign in.
- 3. Click on Complete Master Promissory Note.
- 4. Click on Parent PLUS
- 5. Complete your Promissory Note. Be certain to choose Fort Valley State University from the Schools drop down list to ensure timely delivery and processing of your loan.
- 6. Print your Master Promissory Note for your records. We will be notified electronically that you have completed this documentation.

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