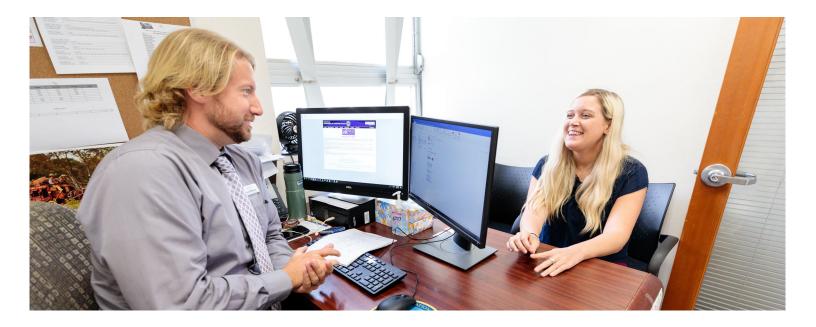


# Direct loan instructions



Any student who completes the FAFSA may be eligible to apply for either a Federal Direct Subsidized Loan or Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan. Eligibility for a subsidized loan is determined by the results of the FAFSA and is based on financial need.

Step 1. To accept a direct loan award, the first step is to access your ESAS account. Once logged in to myLynn (my.lynn.edu), the Student Finances tab should be selected. From here "My ESAS" will appear on the column on the left hand side of the page. This option should be selected.



Office of Student Financial Services

#### Welcome

Welcome to Lynn!

Most of the information below pertains to domestic students (U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens) only. International students (F1 or other visa holders) are not eligible to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or apply for federal and/or state aid.

International students can proceed directly to My Awards from the Menu to view their institutional award.

- Verification: We utilize an outside company, KHEAA Verify, to complete student verifications. Please open and read e-mails you receive from <a href="mailto:Verification@Kheaa.com">Verification@Kheaa.com</a>
- The 2021-2022 PLUS Application will be available on April 1st, 2021. Parents of undergraduate students can apply
  online at <a href="https://www.StudentAid.gov">www.StudentAid.gov</a>.
- All students are encouraged to read the Financial Aid Handbook; the handbook is available online at http://www.lynn.edu/financialaidhandbook.

  There are separate handbooks for day and evening students.

# March 1 - Priority Date

You must have a COMPLETE file by March 1 in order to be considered for all types of available aid through Lynn University. Files completed after the March 1 priority date will be considered on a funds available basis.

Please check back often to review your status and documents. Once a processed FAFSA is received, additional documents may be required.

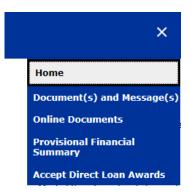
## 2021/2022

Students must apply for financial aid EVERY year. Form Submission Requirement: Lynn University has established a priority date of March 1 each year. This is the date that students (both incoming and returning) should have all forms to the financial aid office. If you meet this date, you will receive consideration for all grants, loans, scholarships and work programs, based on your eliloilitiky.

## What if I miss the March 1 submission date?

Funds at Lynn University are limited. If any of your required paperwork is not received on or prior to the priority date, your application will be considered on a funds available basis. Consequently, funds may be exhaused and additional monies may not be available. This applies to all types of aid, including Lynn University scholarships and grants.

If you have any questions regarding the financial aid process, please visit us at <a href="https://www.lynn.edu/financialaid">www.lynn.edu/financialaid</a> or contact us at <a href="studentfinancialservices@lynn.edu">studentfinancialservices@lynn.edu</a> or 800-578-9737 or 561-237-7186.



Step 3. The direct loans page will allow you to view the loans that you qualify for. If you wish to apply for the loan, change the status from pending to accepted, as highlighted below in the red box. Next, click "Submit." You also have the right to decline the loan, or reduce the loan amount.

#### **Accept Direct Loan Awards**

Please access the **DOCUMENTS** tab to see a list of documents that must be completed in order to receive your aid. If the document status is "Not Received" or "Incomplete", please submit these form to the Office of Student Financial Services as soon as possible to avoid delays in processing your aid.

#### Requested loan programs and requested amount

Please indicate the loan programs through which you desire to borrow funds by changing the status from "Pending" to "Accept".

You can also decline the loan(s) awarded if you choose to by changing the status from "Pending" to "Decline".

The loan amount that will be processed will be the amount listed on your award notification on E-SAS. If you wish to reduce the amount to be processed, please adjust the amount below prior to accepting the status. You must be enrolled half time each term/semester a disbursement is expected.

All financial aid documents, including Direct Ioan MPN and Loan Entrance Counseling, must be completed prior to disbursement.

Attendance is required for disbursement.

Direct SUBSIDIZED (Undergraduates only)
- Loan amount up to your need (within program limits) determined from your FAFSA need analysis report. The Federal government pays the interest on the loan as long as the undergraduate student is enrolled at least half-time.

Direct UNSUBSIDIZED (Undergraduates & Graduates)- Loan amount not to exceed cost of education minus other assistance, within program limits. The student is responsible for all in-school interest, which can be capitalized at the end or paid through the enrollment periods. Effective July 1, 2012, Graduate and professional students are eligible for unsubsidized loans only.

**Loan Eligibility Amount** 

Earned Credit Hours	Dependent Undergraduate Student		Independent Undergraduate Student		
	Subsidized	Unsubsidized	Subsidized	Unsubsidized	
0-29	\$3,500	\$2,000	\$3,500	\$6,000	
30-59	\$4,500	\$2,000	\$4,500	\$6,000	
60 and up	\$5,500	\$2,000	\$5,500	\$7,000	
Graduate and Professional Student		\$20,500	·		

If I am a first-time borrower, I understand I must do the Loan Entrance Counseling online and complete a Direct Loan Master Promissory Note at <a href="www.StudentAid.gov">www.StudentAid.gov</a> before the loan is originated/disbursed. I understand my rights and responsibilities as a Federal Direct borrower. I am requesting a Federal Direct Loan for the 2020-2021 academic year.

Your	Awards

Award	Fall	Spring	Summer Day 6 credit	Total Message	Status
Federal Direct Subsidized Loan	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00	\$0.00	\$3,500.00	Accepted
Federal Direct Subsidized Loan	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	Pending
Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$2,000.00	Accepted
Total	\$2,750.00	\$2,750.00	\$1,000.00	\$6,500.00	
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Award	Fall	Spring	Summer Day 6 credit	Total Message	Status
Federal Direct Subsidized Loan	1750	1750	0	\$3,500.00	Pending
Federal Direct Subsidized Loan	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	Pending
Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan	1000	1000	0	\$2,000.00	Pending
Total	\$2,750.00	\$2,750.00	\$1,000.00	\$6,500.00	Accept Decline
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