



FINANCIAL AID NEWSLETTER



Message from Financial Aid Office

Dear Students,

Happy New Year! The Financial Aid Office hopes you had a wonderful 2025 and wishes you a successful 2026 filled with new opportunities and experiences. We are writing to share important upcoming deadlines, as well as financial literacy webinars available for you to attend in the coming months. Please be on the lookout for emails from our office with additional details.

Sincerely,
Financial Aid Office



2026-2027 Funding Options Statement and Loan Application

Students are required to complete the Funding Options Statement form and begin applying for a private educational loan for the 2026-2027 academic year.



Financial Literacy Webinars

Private loan lenders host financial literacy webinars designed to support students in understanding key concepts related to personal finance and borrowing. These sessions are intended to provide general educational information to help students make informed financial decisions. The Financial Aid Office will send a calendar invitation that includes the webinar link.





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PREVIOUS DEADLINES, EVENTS, & WEBINARS

- January 19, 2026 | Students to complete 2026-2027 Funding Options Statement and Private Educational Loan application
 - COM2 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 5/9/2026
 - COM3 & COM4 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - CHS Y2, Y3, & Y4 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - PSY2, PSY3, PSY4, & PSY5 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - MHA2 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - P2 & P3 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 5/8/2026
 - P4 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - DS2, DS3, & DS4 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
 - BSN Y1 students: FOS due by 2/28/2026 and Loan Application due by 4/10/2026
- January 21, 2026 | Student Loan Refinancing
 - Presentation by College Ave via Teams | 5:00PM-6:00PM
 - Cohort: All colleges and all students

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UPCOMING DEADLINES, EVENTS, & WEBINARS

FEB

- February 11, 2026 | Options to pay the balance
 - Presentation by Sallie Mae via Teams | 5:00PM-6:00PM
 - Cohort: All COM students
- February 25, 2026 | Debt Management, Planning and Preparing Financially for M3, M4, and beyond (For Residency and after Medical School)
 - Presentation by College Ave via Teams | 5:00PM-6:00PM
 - Cohort: COM3 students
- February 28, 2026 | Funding Options Statement form due
 - Cohort: All colleges and all students

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- March 18, 2026 | Physician Practice & Financial Management Seminar
 - Presentation by Dr. Alvin Cheung, President and CEO of California Northstate University; Dean Richard Isaacs, College of Medicine via In-Person (COM Classroom 1B, Room 176) | 6:00PM-8:00PM
 - Cohort: All COM students





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SCHOLARSHIPS

COM Spring 2026 President's Scholarship

Link: Application sent to M2, M3, & M4 via email | Deadline: 1/31/2026 by 5:00PM

College Avenue Monthly Scholarship

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: Varies

Doc2Doc Scholar Program

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: Varies

Sallie Mae Scholarship

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: Varies

Irene and Daisy MacGregor Memorial Scholarship

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: Varies

Northern California Education Foundation Scholarship

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: January 23, 2026 at 5:00PM (PST)

Chick-fil-A Community Scholars

Link: [Apply Here](#) | Deadline: TBA

Military Scholarships

Health Professional Scholarship Program (HPSP)

Military Program:

- Veteran Affairs HPSP
- Navy HPSP
- Army HPSP
- Air Force HPSP

Other Military Scholarship:

- Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)
- National Health Service Corps Scholarship Program (NHSC SP)

Financial Aid Tools

- [Paying for College](#)
- [Financial Literacy](#)
- [Higher Educational Tax Benefits](#)
- [Life Cycle of a Loan](#)
- [MyMoney](#)
- [360 Financial Literacy](#)

*Click on each topic for more information.





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Student Success Story Submissions

Dear Students,

We would love to share your success stories in the Financial Aid Newsletter. If you would like your story to be published, then please submit it via email to Financial Aid Director, Dr. Yia Vang at Yia.Vang@cnsu.edu.

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Financial Aid Office



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