



Funding Your Nursing Education

First Steps

1. In January, fill out the FAFSA, the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>) and have the results sent to the UW. You may not think you qualify for any federal aid, but you won't know for sure until you fill out and submit the form. Having the form on record may also be necessary for scholarship awards, or for financial aid awards if your financial circumstances change unexpectedly over the course of the year. To receive the best aid award, **submit your FAFSA by mid-February**, so it is received by the UW Bothell Financial Aid office (<http://www.uwb.edu/financialaid>) by February 28th.
2. Does your employer offer money for education? Investigate any tuition reimbursement and other workplace funding opportunities you may have.
3. Start your scholarship hunt by using the information on the UW Bothell Nursing Scholarship and Financial Aid web pages at <http://www.uwb.edu/nursing/funding>.

Web Site Highlights

Scholarship Databases and General Information

There are many funding sources available. The best ones we have found are listed in this section.

Scholarship Opportunities

Individual scholarship opportunities are featured in this section.

Loan Repayment Programs

If you need to take out student loans, you may be able to participate in a loan repayment program. Details about loan repayment programs are available in this section.

Financial Aid and Tuition Reimbursement

More information about the financial aid and tuition reimbursement processes is also available.