

Estimating Financial Aid



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INSTRUCTIONS

Using [this website](#), determine estimated financial aid for one higher education institution. Then identify scholarships and grants you may qualify for to lower your estimated family contribution (EFC).

PART 1

Follow the instructions on the website to estimate a financial aid package from a higher education institution of your choice. Fill out your findings below.

Higher Education Institution Name:

Total Costs:

Work-Study:

Grants:

Scholarships:

PART 2

Using the websites provided by your instructor, list 3-5 scholarships or grants that you qualify for that would reduce your EFC.

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP OR GRANT	AMOUNT	APPLICATION DEADLINE	REQUIREMENTS	CRITERIA MET FOR ELIGIBILITY
Example: Women's Soccer Scholarship	\$2,000	December 1 st	1000 word essay	Must identify as female and have played soccer for at least one year

PART 3

Examine the completed table above and answer the following questions.

1. Which scholarships or grants might you have the best chance at earning and why?

2. Which scholarships or grants will you prioritize applying to and why?