



2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA)

Welcome!

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2027-28 ORSAA Agenda

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About the Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA)

- Alternative to the FAFSA for undocumented Oregon students
- Filing the ORSAA allows eligible students to be considered for and receive help paying for college through grants, scholarships, and tuition reduction in Oregon
- The ORSAA is a **confidential application** used solely by the Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) to qualify students for financial aid in Oregon.



ORSAA Eligibility Criteria

Submit the ORSAA if you are:

- An undocumented Oregon student
- A student who has Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) status, Temporary Protected Status (TPS), or a valid U-visa
- A pending immigration case including Asylum and Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (excluding T-visas)
- **Starting 2027-28, a student from a mixed status family: U.S. citizens whose partner, spouse, or parent(s) (also known as a contributor) are undocumented or do not hold a Social Security Number (SSN)**



2027-28 ORSAA Updates



Pathway for Mixed-Status Families

- Data privacy concerns resulted in students choosing to not submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Starting with the 2027-28 school year, students in mixed status families may submit the ORSAA in lieu of the FAFSA
- FAFSA eligible students who choose to file an ORSAA, will forgo access to all federal aid, Oregon Promise, and some institutional programs



ORSAA Application Now Hosted Internally

- The 2027-28 ORSAA is now located in the OSAC Student Portal
- Information shared with the HECC via the ORSAA is used only by HECC and its partners
- Continuing our commitment to protecting student privacy

2027-28 ORSAA is OPEN!

The image shows a screenshot of the Oregon Student Aid website. The top navigation bar is dark green with the 'OREGON STUDENT AID' logo on the left and links for 'Feedback', 'Glossary', and 'Help ?' on the right. Below this, a secondary navigation bar contains links for 'DASHBOARD', 'PROFILE', 'AWARDS', 'HISTORY', and 'MESSAGES'. The main content area is split into two sections. On the left, a dark blue panel titled 'Student Portal' features the text 'Apply for over \$38 million in Grants and Scholarships' and a login prompt 'Login to see your applications'. It includes two buttons: 'Returning users login' and 'Make a new account', with the latter highlighted by an orange rectangle. On the right, a white panel titled 'State Financial Aid Forms' contains the heading '2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application' and the text 'State alternative to FAFSA for undocumented and DACA students'. At the bottom of this panel is a blue 'START' button, also highlighted by an orange rectangle. A background image of two students is visible behind the right-hand panel.

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STUDENT AID

Feedback Glossary Help ?

DASHBOARD PROFILE AWARDS HISTORY MESSAGES

Student Portal

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Login to see your applications

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State Financial Aid Forms

2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application

State alternative to FAFSA for undocumented and DACA students

START

Visit:
<https://app.oregonstudentaid.gov/>

2026-27 ORSAA

To complete the 2026-27 ORSAA, access the FAFSA/ORSAA Pre-Filter Tool.

**Office of Student Access and Completion**
Helping Oregon Students Plan and Pay for College.

FAFSA/ORSAA Pre-Filter Tool

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Do you have a Social Security Number?
¿Tienes un número de Seguro Social?

☐ **Yes/Sí**

☐ **No**



Sign In

Email

Password

If you previously created an account on this site, use your user name (email address) and password to log into this

[Show Full Info](#)

☐ Remember me [Reset your Password](#)

SIGN IN

Don't have an account? [Sign Up](#)

Visit:

<https://oregonstudentaid.gov/fafsa-orsaa/fafsaorsaa-filter-tool/>

2027-28 ORSAA Walk Through



ORSAA Sign Up

Where to find the
2027-28 ORSAA Form?



<https://app.oregonstudentaid.gov/>

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Sign in

Sign in with your email address

Email Address

Password

[Forgot your password?](#)

Sign in

Don't have an account? [Sign up now](#)

< Cancel

OREGON
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User Details

Email Address

Send verification code

New Password

Confirm New Password

Create

Username & Password

Helpful Tip



Use a personal email address that you have continuous access to.

OREGON
STUDENT AID

Sign in

Sign in with your email address

Email Address

Password

[Forgot your password?](#)

Sign in

Don't have an account? [Sign up now](#)

Student Account Setup – Registration & Profile

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Registration

We just need a few more details from you to get started.

[PRINT](#)

Legal First Name *

Legal Middle Initial

Legal Last Name *

Confirm Legal Last Name *

Birthday *
 

Confirm Birthday *
 

Social Security Number (optional)

SSN*

☐ I do not have a SSN

☐ I will enter my SSN later

Confirm SSN*

[SAVE](#)

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Profile

Basic Information

Name

Legal First Name *

Legal Middle Initial

Legal Last Name *

Confirm Legal Last Name *

Your Additional or Previous Name(s)
[+ Add Name](#)

Birthdate

Birthdate *
 

Confirm Birthdate *
 

Dashboard - State Financial Aid Forms

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Account Info, Password, MFA, Privacy

EDIT

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OSAC GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS?

Other

CERTIFICATION*

☒

- I certify the accuracy of my application(s) and all accompanying documents and, if requested, agree to provide proof of this information.
- I give permission to the Oregon Office of Student Access and Completion (OSAC) to request and use data from my Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA).
- I understand that by providing my contact information, I am giving permission to receive application status updates or general reminders.
- OSAC cannot guarantee applicants will receive OSAC grants or scholarships. I agree to hold harmless, defend, and indemnify OSAC for any acts, failures to act, or omissions of OSAC, its employees, agents, volunteers, or any State of Oregon employee.
- I authorize OSAC to share my application information with high school and college officials for additional financial and educational information consistent with federal and state laws. Information may also be shared with the Department of Human Services (DHS) for the Chafee ETG, childcare providers for the Child Care Grant, Oregon Tribes for the Oregon Student Tribal Grant, Oregon National Guard officials for the Oregon National Guard State Tuition Assistance program, Educator Advancement Council (EAC) for the Oregon Teachers Scholars Program, and scholarship selection committees and donors. I understand that data may be shared through the Oregon Financial Aid Exchange (OFAE). I also allow my information to be shared with OSAC-approved researchers.
- Under the Privacy Act of 1974, I understand that I am not required to provide my Social Security Number, however, if I don't provide it, I understand I will not be considered for OSAC grants or scholarships that require that information. I also understand that if I have not completed the FAFSA/ORSAA, I will not be considered for OSAC need-based grants or scholarships.

PUBLICITY RELEASE (OPTIONAL)

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CONTINUE TO GRANTS

CONTINUE TO SCHOLARSHIPS

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State Financial Aid Forms

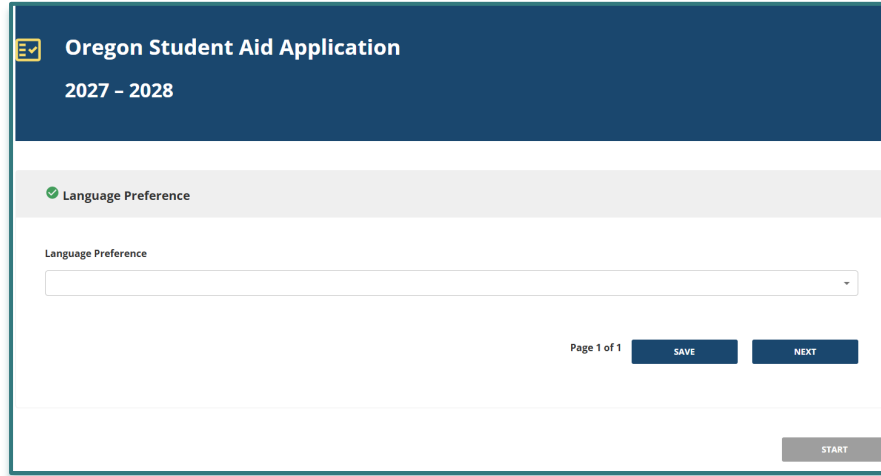
2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application

State alternative to FAFSA for undocumented and DACA students

START

Language Preference

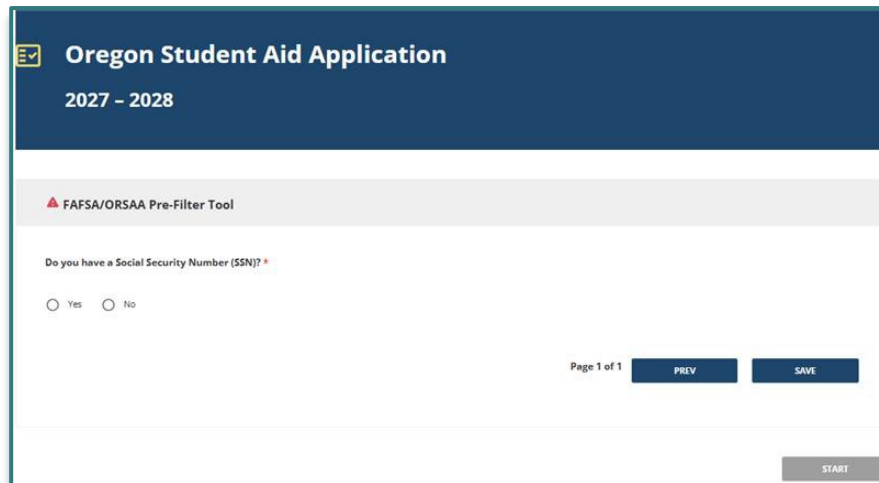
The ORSAA can be provided in English or Spanish!



The screenshot shows the 'Oregon Student Aid Application' for the 2027-2028 academic year. The page is titled 'Language Preference' with a green checkmark icon. Below the title is a dropdown menu labeled 'Language Preference'. At the bottom right, there are buttons for 'Page 1 of 1', 'SAVE', 'NEXT', and a 'START' button.

FAFSA/ORSAA Pre-Filter Tool

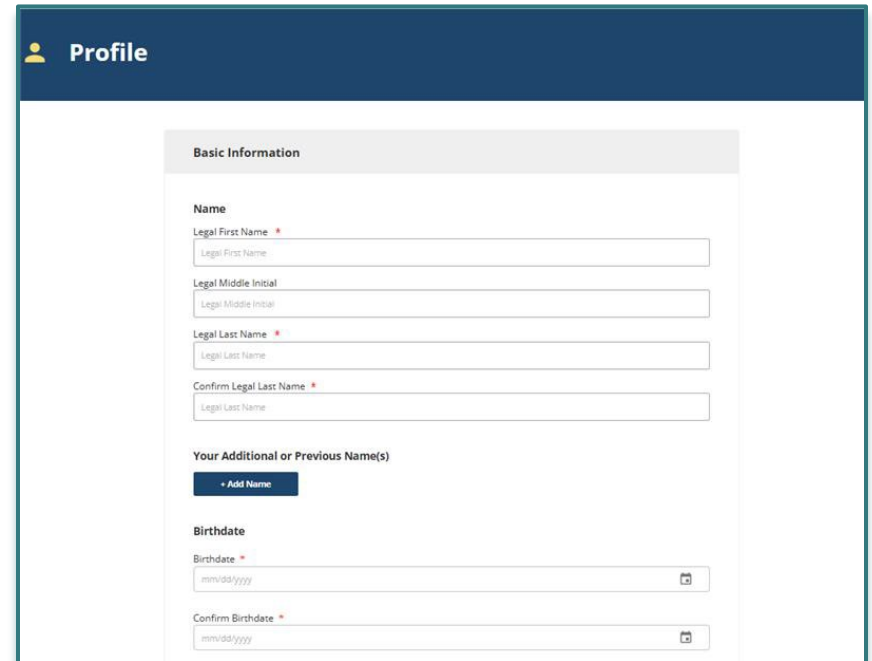
The ORSAA now starts with the FAFSA/ORSAA Pre-Filter Tool!



The screenshot shows the 'Oregon Student Aid Application' for the 2027-2028 academic year. The page is titled 'FAFSA/ORSAA Pre-Filter Tool' with a red triangle icon. Below the title is a question: 'Do you have a Social Security Number (SSN)? *'. There are two radio button options: 'Yes' and 'No'. At the bottom right, there are buttons for 'Page 1 of 1', 'PREV', 'SAVE', and a 'START' button.

Demographic Information

- To make certain updates to your ORSAA, you will need to return to the Profile to make edits
 - Student Identity Information
 - Contact Information
 - High School Information



The screenshot displays the 'Profile' page of the ORSAA system. The page has a dark blue header with a user icon and the word 'Profile'. Below the header, the 'Basic Information' section is highlighted with a light gray background. This section contains the following fields:

- Name**
 - Legal First Name ***: A text input field.
 - Legal Middle Initial**: A text input field.
 - Legal Last Name ***: A text input field.
 - Confirm Legal Last Name ***: A text input field for verification.
- Your Additional or Previous Name(s)**: A section with a blue button labeled '+ Add Name'.
- Birthdate**
 - Birthdate ***: A date input field with a calendar icon.
 - Confirm Birthdate ***: A date input field for verification.

Adding Colleges & Universities

- Students can list up to 20 schools
 - All Oregon Opportunity Grant (OOG) participating schools
- Students can arrange college preference ranking

The screenshot shows a web form titled "College List" with a green checkmark icon. Below the title, a message states: "You can list up to 20 colleges. Click 'remove' if you do not need all options." The form contains two entries, each with a "College" dropdown menu and a "College Preference Rank" dropdown menu. The first entry shows "Oregon State University" and "1 College Preference Rank". The second entry shows "Chemeketa Community College" and "2 College Preference Rank". A red box highlights the "1 College Preference Rank" dropdown. A "REMOVE" link is visible next to the second entry. At the bottom left, there is an "Add College" button. At the bottom right, there is a "Page 2 of 2" indicator and three buttons: "PREV", "SAVE", and "NEXT".

Student Financial Information

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**
2027 - 2028

57% Completed

☒ Profile

☒ Language Preference

☒ Student Information

☒ Student College or Career School Plans

☒ Student Circumstances

☒ Student Family Information

☒ **Student Financial Information**

☒ Parent Information

☒ Parent Financial Information

☒ Parent Partner Information

☐ Certifications and Signatures

☐ Submit

▲ Student Tax Filing Status

Did or will the student file a 2025 IRS Form 1040 or 1040-NR?*

☐ Yes

☐ No

Did the student earn income in a foreign country, were they employed by an international organization, or did they file a tax return with Puerto Rico or another U.S. territory?*

☐ Yes

☐ No

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Parent Financial Information

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**
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77% Completed

☒ Profile

☒ Language Preference

☒ Student Information

☒ Student College or Career School Plans

☒ Student Circumstances

☒ Student Family Information

☒ Student Financial Information

☒ Parent Information

☒ **Parent Financial Information**

☐ Certifications and Signatures

☐ Submit

 **Parent Tax Filing Status**

Did or will the parent file a 2025 IRS Form 1040 or 1040-NR?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

Did the parent file a non-US Tax Return?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

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Certifications and Signatures

85% Completed

✓ Profile

✓ Student Financial Information

✓ Language Preference

✓ Parent Information

✓ Student Information

✓ Parent Financial Information

✓ Student College or Career School Plans

✓ Certifications and Signatures

✓ Student Circumstances

Submit

✓ Student Family Information

Signature

Certification and Signature

By signing this application, YOU, THE STUDENT:

- o Certify that you are the person submitting the ORSAA as the student,
- o Will use state student financial aid only to pay the cost of attending an institution of higher education,
- o Will not receive a state student financial aid from more than one school for the same period of time.
- o Agree, if asked, to provide information that will verify the accuracy of the completed form, and income and tax documents as applicable.
- o Authorize OSAC to share my application information with high school and college officials for additional financial and educational information consistent with federal and state laws.

Additionally, by signing this application, you authorize the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to disclose all information you provided on this application to the institutions identified on the ORSAA and designated scholarship organizations to assist with the application, award, and administration of aid from state or institutional financial aid programs and designated scholarship programs. Notwithstanding this authorization, the name of an institution the student selected to authorize such disclosure shall not be shared with any other institution.

☒ I consent and certify that the information I provide on the Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA) form is true and correct.

First Name*

Last Name*

Date*

mm/dd/yyyy

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PREVIOUS

SAVE

After Submission (*Dependent Student*)

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**
2027 – 2028

Application submitted successfully
Oregon Student Aid Application Grant 2027
9/30/2026 at 3:32 PM

Application progress
100% Completed

- ✓ Profile
- ✓ Language Preference
- ✓ Student Information
- ✓ Student College or Career School Plans
- ✓ Student Circumstances
- ✓ Student Family Information
- ✓ Student Financial Information
- ✓ Parent Information
- ✓ Parent Financial Information
- ✓ Certifications and Signatures

 **Next Step: Invite a Parent or Guardian**
Your application has been submitted. To complete the review process, please invite a parent or guardian to review and sign your application.
INVITE & REQUEST SIGNATURE

BACK TO DASHBOARD

VIEW APPLICATION

START REVISION

Inviting Parents/Contributors

Only one Parent/Contributor's signature is needed.

 **Invite Reviewer**
[Return to Dashboard](#)

Reviewer

Select the reviewer you would like to invite. They will receive an email with a link to review the application. You can change or revoke the reviewer at any time using this page.

☒

Dahlia Flower
Email:
[EDIT EMAIL](#)

[SEND INVITE](#)

Parent/Contributor Reminder After Student Signature (*Dependent Student View*)

State Financial Aid Forms

2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application

Oregon Student Aid Application
(ORSAA)

Submitted

VIEW



Parent Invite Required

MANAGE CONTRIBUTIONS

State Financial Aid Forms

2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application

Oregon Student Aid Application
(ORSAA)

Submitted

VIEW APPLICATION



Pending Parent Signature

MANAGE MY CONTRIBUTOR(S)

Parent/Contributor Invitation Email

As a Parent/Contributor, make sure your student is logged out of their account before logging in, if using the same device.

ACTION REQUIRED Please Complete Parent Sections for student ORSAA

 **OSAC <HECC.OSAC@hecc.oregon.gov>**
To:



Wed 9/23/2026 3:44 PM

Hello Dahlia Flower,

Your student has requested your electronic signature on the Oregon Student Aid Application ORSAA.

You can now click this link and create an OSAC portal by going to <https://endpoint-studentportal-staging-eshnb9bdg3bwgmeq.z01.azurefd.net/contributor-link?token=7hj6n2u80yGwlsJxh6Lciwmx-NWptjNjJFHZk9VV8>. Be sure your student is logged out of their account before you log in if you are using the same device.

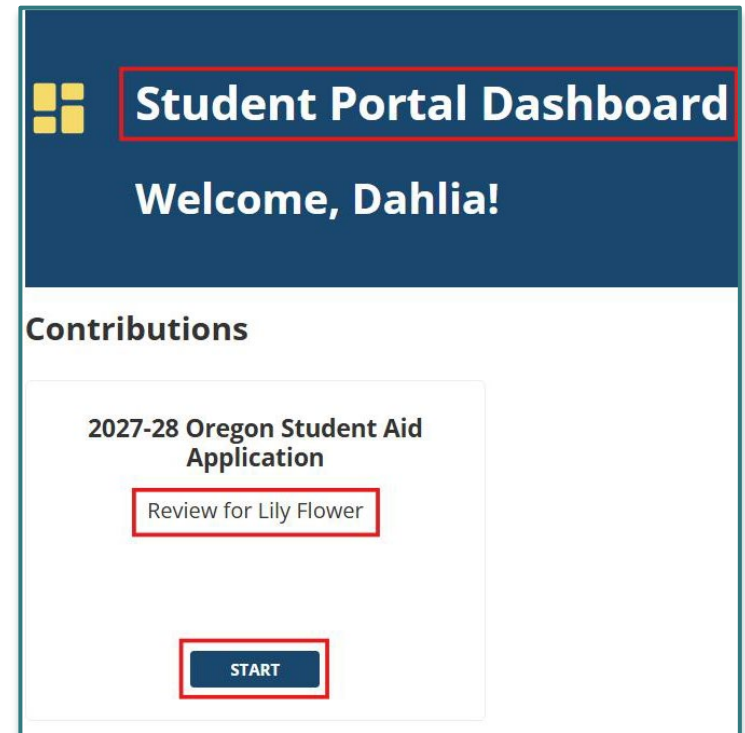
Please note that if you do not take any action, this link will expire in 72 hours.

If you need further assistance, here is out contacdt information:

- (541) 687-7400 extension **3**
- ORSAAHelp@hecc.oregon.gov
- Support available 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Monday – Friday
- ***Se habla español***

Parent/Contributor Login

- The student will send an invitation for the Parent/Contributor to e-sign
- The Parent/Contributor should wait for this invitation **before** they create an OSAC Account



Parent/Contributor Overview

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**

2027 – 2028

Review for Petunia Flower

 **Identity Verification**

Legal First Name*

Legal Last Name*

Birthdate*

mm/dd/yyyy

SSN / ITIN / DACA Number (Enter all zeros if you don't have one)*

XXXX-XX-XXXX

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PREVIOUS

SAVE

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**

2027 – 2028

Review for Petunia Flower

80% Completed

☒ Profile ☒ Language Preference ☒ Student Family Information ☒ Student Financial Information ☒ Parent Information ☐ Parent Financial Information ☐ Parent Certification & Signature ☐ Submit

 **Federal Benefits Received**

Parent Benefits Received*

☐ Earned income tax credit (EITC)
☐ Medicaid
☐ Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP / Food Stamps)
☐ Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
☐ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
☐ Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
☐ Federal housing assistance
☐ Free or reduced-price school lunch
☐ Refundable credit for coverage under a qualified health plan
☒ None Of The Above

Is the parent a dislocated worker?*

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PREVIOUS

SAVE

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Parent Sign & Submit

80% Completed

✓ Profile

✓ Language Preference

✓ Student Family Information

✓ Student Financial Information

✓ Parent Information

✓ Parent Financial Information

○ Parent Certification & Signature

Submit

⚠ Parent Certification & Signature

First Name*

Last Name*

Date

mm/dd/yyyy

mm/dd/yyyy

Certification and Signature

○ You agree, if asked, to provide information that will verify the accuracy of the student's completed form, and income and tax documents as applicable.

○ Additionally, by signing this application, you authorize the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to disclose all information provided on the ORSAA to assist with the application, award, and administration of aid from state or institutional financial aid programs and designated scholarship programs.

☐

By signing this application, you certify that all of the information provided on the student's Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA) is true and complete to the best of your knowledge.

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PREV

SAVE

SUBMIT

After Submission (*Parent/Contributor*)

 **Oregon Student Aid Application**
2027 – 2028
Review for Petunia Flower

Application Successfully Submitted!
Oregon Student Aid Application Grant 2027
10/1/2026 at 8:40 AM

Application Progress

100% Completed

- Profile
- Language Preference
- Student Family Information
- Student Financial Information
- Parent Information
- Parent Financial Information
- Parent Certification & Signature

BACK TO DASHBOARD

VIEW APPLICATION

 **Student Portal Dashboard**
Welcome, Orchid!

Notifications •

- ✓ **Your student's 2027-28 ORSAA is fully submitted**
Parent/contributor signature has been completed for Petunia's 2027-28 ORSAA. Your student's 2027-28 ORSAA has been submitted as of September 30, 2026 3:32 PM.

Contributions

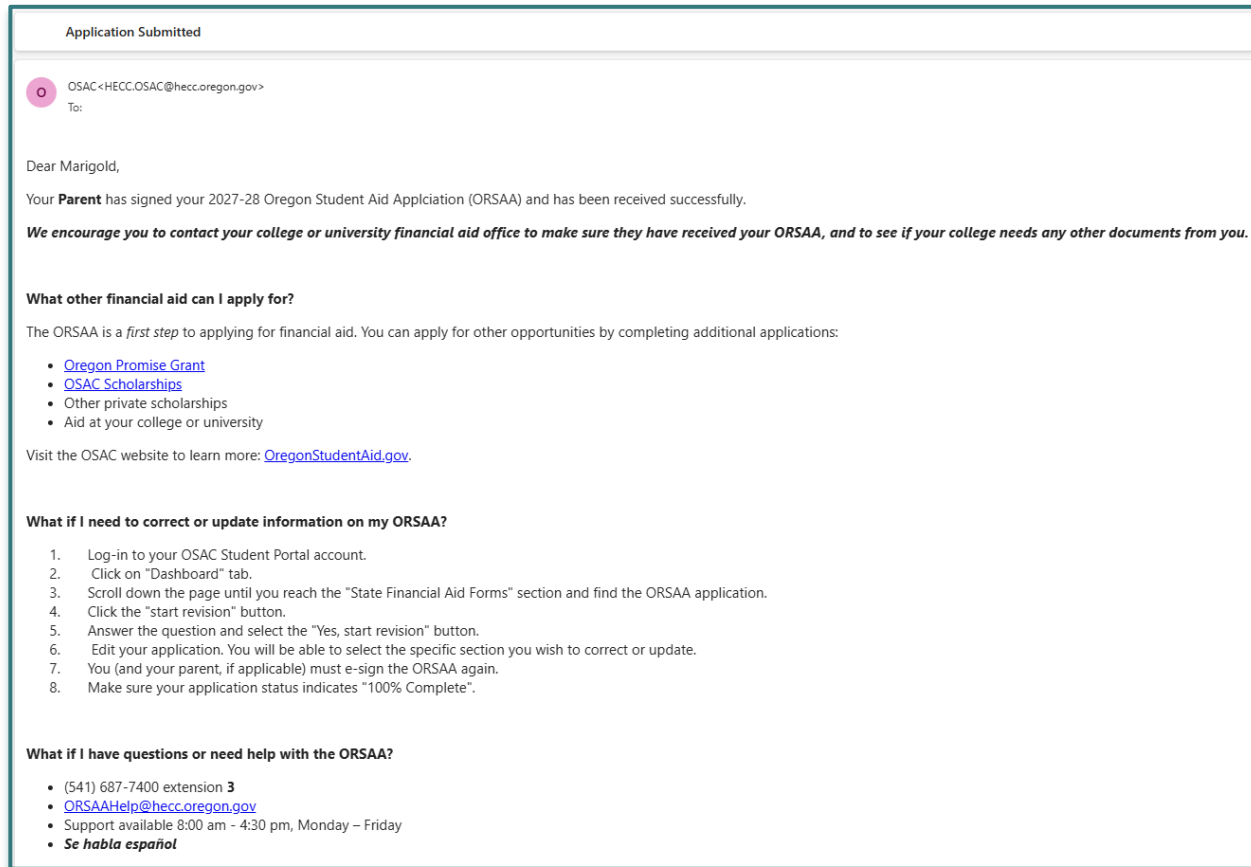
2027-28 Oregon Student Aid Application
Review for Petunia Flower

Submitted

VIEW

Parent/Contributor Confirmation Email

Once the Parent/Contributor has signed the 2027-28 ORSAA, the student will receive a confirmation email.



Resource Reminders

- ORSAA Resources
 - Tip Sheets (English, Español)
 - ORSAA Eligibility FAQs
- Oregon's Sanctuary State Status
 - Oregon law does not permit state or local government agencies to participate directly or indirectly in immigration enforcement without a court order (ORS 180.805, ORS 180.810, and ORS 181A.820 to 181A.829)
- Tuition Equity and State Financial Aid
 - There are no immediate changes for students benefiting from these programs.
 - Questions and Answers for Students and Families (FAQ) at <https://www.oregon.gov/highered/public-engagement/Pages/federal.aspx>

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ORSAA General Questions

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(541) 687-7400, press 3

**Thank you for
attending!**



Questions?