

TRANSFER STUDENT FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS ARE REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS AND WHEN ARE THEY DUE?

Please review the chart below to find out what applications are required for financial aid consideration and their respective due dates. Each published deadline means the application has to be ***received by*** Providence College by the date listed. Therefore, be sure to submit all relevant application(s) to the agencies that are processing them for you in enough time for Providence College to receive them by the required due date. These applications are due to the Office of Financial Aid regardless of a student's application status with the Office of Admissions.

	Application Required	Due Date
Fall 2022 Transfer	22-23 FAFSA 22-23 CSS Profile 2020 Business Tax Information	May 1, 2022 May 1, 2022 May 20, 2022
Spring 2022 Transfer	21-22 FAFSA 21-22 CSS Profile 2019 Business Tax Information	December 1, 2021 December 1, 2021 December 15, 2021

WHAT ARE YOUR SCHOOL CODES FOR THESE APPLICATIONS?

To ensure that your application reaches Providence College you must indicate our school code of **3693** on the CSS Profile application. Please note that this form is required in addition to the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Our school code for the FAFSA is **003406**.

WHEN WILL I KNOW MY ADMISSION DECISION?

Please review the chart below to find out when the deadlines are for Admission materials and approximate decision notification timelines. Even though a student may not know what their admissions decision may be, the financial aid applications still need to be submitted by the published deadlines stated above.

	Admission Application Due	Admission Notification
Fall Transfer	June 1	2 to 4 weeks after application completed
Spring Transfer	December 1	2 to 4 weeks after application completed

WHEN WILL I KNOW MY AWARD?

Transfer applicants can expect a notification to access the Admission Status Portal approximately 2-3 weeks after they are notified of their admissions decision if all financial aid materials have been received and are complete.

WILL I BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO THE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID?

Yes! If you have been admitted and received a tentative financial aid offer, you will be required to provide a copy of final Federal Income Tax Returns, including all schedules and W2 forms for both parent and student (if applicable) in order to finalize the award. You may also be required to complete a verification worksheet and submit tax transcripts if selected for verification by the U.S. Department of Education. Selection for this process is random and is based on the information you provide on your FAFSA. You will be notified under separate cover of these requirements.

WHAT TYPES OF NEED-BASED AID ARE AVAILABLE FOR TRANSFER?

Transfer students who demonstrate financial need will always be evaluated for all federal grants, loans, and work programs. Funding is limited and institutional need-based aid is determined on a funds available basis.

ARE MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO TRANSFER STUDENTS?

Academic-based merit transfer scholarships of \$20,000 per year are available to transfer students who have demonstrated superior academic performance in college course work completed previous to enrolling at Providence College. Students who have achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 in all courses - and have taken a rigorous full-time liberal arts program of study - will be considered for these awards.

Please note that a 3.5 cumulative GPA is not a guarantee of a scholarship, but suggests the minimum type of performance necessary to be a competitive candidate. Students must complete a full year of course work before transferring to Providence College to be eligible for consideration of the St. Rose of Lima Transfer Scholarship. The scholarship is renewable for each year of uninterrupted study at Providence College, but will not extend past the graduation year as indicated by the class standing assigned at the time of enrollment.

The scholarship is available only for students entering in the fall semester. It is strongly suggested students apply by the April 1 Priority Deadline to be considered for this scholarship.



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