



Entrance Counseling

Entrance counseling helps students understand the rights and responsibilities of their Federal Direct Stafford student loans before they incur the loan debt. The counseling covers repayment options, what happens if one defaults on his/her loan, and sample repayment schedules.

Entrance counseling can be completed online at <https://studentaid.gov/>.

Note that Dominican University cannot credit a student's account with Federal Direct Stafford student loan proceeds until after he/she has completed entrance loan counseling as well as the loan agreement (master promissory note).

Exit Counseling

Exit Counseling helps students to understand their rights and responsibilities as a student loan borrower as well as provide useful tips and repayment information to help students manage their loans. Exit Counseling includes information on loan forgiveness, deferments and forbearances among other topics.

Students who borrowed Federal Direct Stafford loans while enrolled at Dominican University are required to complete Exit Counseling when they withdraw, graduate, or drop below half-time attendance.

Exit Counseling can be completed online at <https://studentaid.gov/>. Students will be asked to enter their FSA ID and password as identifying information.