## 2021-22 Financial Aid Checklist

Apply for Admission to Viterbo and receive Acceptance Letter
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Access Email and Self-Service Accounts
<ul> <li>Grant access through Parent Proxy to parents/spouse/other person on Self-Service</li> <li>Visit <a href="www.viterbo.edu/financial-aid/parent-proxy-instructions">www.viterbo.edu/financial-aid/parent-proxy-instructions</a> for step-by-step instructions</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Create an FSA ID</li> <li>The Federal Student Aid (FSA) ID is your electronic signature for Federal applications.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Student, and a parent if parent information is reported on the FAFSA, must create the FSA ID(s) using separate email address(es)</li> </ul>
o Create <u>online</u>
<ul> <li>Submit the 2021-22 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)</li> <li>Form available at <a href="studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa">studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa</a> on October 1, 2020</li> <li>Submit electronically on or before VU priority date of February 1, 2021</li> </ul>
Submit any additional information specifically requested by the Viterbo Financial Aid Office  o Requests sent via postal mail (starting November 2020)
View your Financial Aid Offer via VitNet
<ul> <li>Notification and instructions will be sent to your Viterbo email account (starting March 2021)</li> </ul>
Review Financial Aid Guide and complete Cost Estimate Worksheet
<ul> <li>Guide/Worksheet available in March 2021 at <u>www.viterbo.edu/financialaid</u> under the appropriate category and 2021-22 Financial Aid Offer button</li> </ul>
Accept or Decline Financial Aid Awards via VitNet
o Instructions included in Financial Aid Guide
Complete Sub/Unsub Master Promissory Note (first-time student borrowers only)
o MPN available at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u>
<ul> <li>Sign MPN using your FSA ID</li> </ul>
Complete Entrance Counseling (new Viterbo students only)
o Available at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u>
<ul> <li>Sign using your FSA ID</li> </ul>
Complete PLUS Loan Request Form (parents)
<ul> <li>Form available in April 2021 at <a href="https://www.viterbo.edu/financial-aid/common-forms">www.viterbo.edu/financial-aid/common-forms</a></li> <li>Submit to Viterbo Financial Aid Office</li> </ul>
Complete PLUS Master Promissory Note (first-time parent borrowers only)
o MPN available at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u>
<ul> <li>Sign using your FSA ID</li> </ul>
Complete Annual Student Loan Acknowledgement (ASLA) (all borrowers)
<ul> <li>ASLA available at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u></li> <li>Sign using your FSA ID</li> </ul>