

CHECKLIST

March - May

- Clemson University's official award notification of financial aid begins and continues on a rolling basis (admitted students - paper letter sent to student address, continuing students - electronic award letter sent to Clemson e-mail account)
- If award letter is received, students must accept, adjust or reject financial aid awards
- Spring semester grades are available on SISWeb for continuing students (approximately third week of May)
- If interested in the Tuition Payment Plan, sign up is available starting in May

June

- If using educational loans, apply for PLUS and/or private educational loans by June 1 for priority processing
- If enrolled in the Tuition Payment Plan, the first debit date will be June 20

July

- Check cost of attendance information posted on website first week of July (estimated)
- Submit non-University scholarships to Student Financial Aid by July 10
- View bills using SISWeb starting on July 14 and determine payment option
- If receiving financial aid, check status of financial aid using SISWeb (if selected for verification or status indicates outstanding documents, please submit documents as requested)
- If using funds from 529 plans or eligible 401k plans, request funds for use as appropriate
- Sign up for direct deposit for financial aid refund, if applicable

August

- Satisfy charges by Thursday, August 14 at 4:30 pm to avoid late payment fee**
- If receiving financial aid, confirm enrollment via SISWeb by August 14 (**click "I will attend"**)
- Students who miss the August 14 deadline have until August 21 to pay online or attend the Student Finance One-Stop/Late Registration (held from August 18 to August 21 at Brackett Hall) to make arrangements to satisfy tuition and fees or all classes will be cancelled

Important Enrollment Dates

- Classes begin August 20
- Classes are cancelled on August 21 after 4:30 if charges are not satisfied**
- Last day to register or add a class is August 26
- Last day to drop a class or withdraw from the University without a W grade is September 2

Important Reminders for Next Year

- If interested in financial aid, submit Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to federal processor at www.fafsa.ed.gov with Clemson University (Code 003425) listed in college choices. **The FAFSA must be done every year to be considered for financial aid.** Deadlines are:
 - February 15: University need-based Scholarships
 - April 1: South Carolina Need-Based Grants, Federal Perkins Loan, Federal Work-Study, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), Clemson Community Service Grant, Federal Pell Grant (suggested), Federal Stafford Loan (suggested)
- South Carolina Teacher Loan applications are due April 1
- For scholarship recipients, be sure to review hours enrolled and GPR for eligibility requirements
- Sign up for Tiger Tips to stay informed!