tions, and awarded financial aid do not meet your University costs, consider alternatives.

• Payment of tuition, fees and other incurred University charges to be paid to DSU must be done, or satisfactory –
• Accepted gift aid will apply to your institutional charges for each semester. An estimated credit toward University charges
• requires up to a 4% fee to be deducted from each loan payment.

• award letter, provide the name of the donor and the award amount on your award letter.

Retain one copy of the award letter and return any required documents signed and completed within two weeks to
ensure prompt processing, including –

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of the academic period. Books and supplies are not included in the tuition and fees that are billed to your student account. Federal financial aid is credited to your student account based upon the Federal Return of Title IV Funds
determination, whichever is later. Depending on documentation requirements and other factors, your financial aid may not
be distributed until three months after your term begins. If you are charged for a refund in the form of a check sent through the mail unless you have set up direct deposit to a checking or savings account. You may use
these excess funds to purchase your books and supplies. To access these funds before your aid is disbursed, please complete an authorization form to transfer federal financial aid funds to your Trojan Gold account, please contact the DSU Financial Aid Office for more information. Information visit https://choice.lendingtree.com/FastChoice/home/346300/1

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DSU Student Federal Required Consumer Information is found at:

www.dsu.edu/about-dsu/consumer-information

DSU Toll Free 1-888-378-9988
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Athletics 605-256-5229
Castler 605-256-5271
Financial Aid 605-256-5152
Financial Aid/Counsel 605-256-5220
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Registrar 605-256-5145
Scholarships 605-256-5307
Student Services/Housing 605-256-5146
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Who to Contact for Questions  
If questions arise about programs, services, or procedures, please contact the office that may be
able to help you. Refer to the below list. Office hours are 8:00am to 5:00pm CST during the academic year and 7:30am to 4:30pm CST during the summer.
E-mail admission or general
inquiries to

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DSU Educational Costs  
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Special Review Request

You may request a review of your current financial aid award if there is a change in your family situation due to unusual circumstances. You may submit detailed information along with DSU 2018-2019 Special Circumstance Request Form. (Examples of special circumstances may include: student, spouse or parent loss of employment, divorce or separation, death in the family, uninsured out-of-pocket medical expenses, etc.) Decisions through increased aid are not always possible. However, we do encourage families to communicate your special needs to the DSU Financial Aid Office. Do not change any data on your FAFSA results if it is related to special circumstances.
Eligibility

You have been offered the award(s) on your federal financial aid award letter because you have met the following criteria:

• Admitted to DSU as a regular student in an eligible degree or certificate program
• Successfully completed your first year of undergraduate study at an accredited educational institution
• Met satisfactory academic progress in accordance with the DSU Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy - See DSU Financial Aid website for a copy of this policy
• Maintained your full-time study status unless you are on approved leave of absence.
• Provided any additional information as requested by Federal Student Aid

Within the DSU database. All courses are eligible within the SD Board of Regents Consortium Agreement such as the University Center, a college or university outside of the SD Board of Regents database. All courses are eligible within the SD Board of Regents Consortium Agreement such as the University Center, a college or university outside of the SD Board of Regents database.

You will interview and secure your own position. Hours are reported monthly on a time sheet and your earnings are paid on a weekly basis. FWS hours are not to exceed 20 hours per week during the academic year. Deadlines are as follows: A Summer FWS Authorization Form, FWS Skills Inventory, and FWS Job Listing with descriptions of positions available after July 1st. All deadlines are due at the end of the month. For any DSU gift aid to be applied to your account, you must accept, sign and return your award letter before the published deadline. If you do not receive your financial aid award letter by the due date, you are not entitled to receive any federal or private aid.

Financial Aid Programs

The federal financial aid programs at Dakota State University have been established by: DSU, alumni and friends of the school, and federal and state governments. All aid can be divided into three categories: grant, gift and loan. Gift aid consists of scholarships and grants. Employment is provided through Federal Work Study (FWS), state work-study or private employers, loans are federally or privately funded and are available through DSU and participating lenders.

Federal Work Study (FWS) - A federally funded need-based employment program matched by institutional, agency and community funding. Each year you receive a FWS Award, you must sign the TEACH Grant Agreement to be eligible for a TEACH Grant at DSU. A TEACH Grant is a grant program that provides grants of up to $4,000 per year to students who intend to teach in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves low-income children. In exchange for receiving a TEACH Grant, you must agree to serve as a full-time teacher for five years in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves low-income children. If you fail to sign a TEACH Grant Agreement, you must repay the amount of the TEACH Grant that you received. If you successfully complete your five years of teaching, your TEACH Grant will be forgiven. Eligible programs include: Bachelor of Science in Education – Biology Education, Bachelor of Science in Education – Math Education, and Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education and Special Education.

Gift Assistance

Institutional Scholarships - For any gift aid to be applied to your account, you must meet, accept, and return your award letter before the published deadline. If you do not receive your financial aid award letter by the due date, you are not entitled to receive any federal or private aid. The hourly wage rate is determined by the position you have been offered and the federal aid standards. A full-time student must work a minimum of 20 hours in a work-study position each week.

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Loan Assistance

Federal Direct Loan (Subsidized and Unsubsidized) - Your maximum Federal Direct loan eligibility is determined by your FAFSA. Your maximum loan amount is determined based on your dependency status and is scheduled for the academic year for Federal Direct loan. The DSU annual eligibility is from the 2018 Summer Term through the 2019 Spring Term. Your 2018-2019 academic year Federal Direct loan is in any case borrowed during the current enrollment period.

You will interview and secure your own position. Hours are reported monthly on a time sheet and your earnings are paid on the last working day of each month. As an employee of DSU through Federal Work Study, you are expected to maintain professional work standards in your position to continue employment under the program.

Federal Direct Loan Program Chart

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Additional Loan Information

- Admit to DSU as a regular student in an eligible degree or certificate program
- Successfully met Federal eligibility matches during application processing
- Met satisfactory academic progress in accordance with the DSU Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy - See DSU Financial Aid website for a copy of this policy
- Provided any additional information as requested by Federal Student Aid