Returning Students Frequently Asked Questions

1. What happens if I miss the June 1st Drop Deadline? Your schedule will be dropped. A hold will be placed on your account and you will not be allowed to re-register until your FAFSA is completed or you have paid $500 toward your Fall 2016 bill.

2. When does the FAFSA need to be submitted in order to save my classes from the June 1st drop deadline? The FAFSA must be submitted to www.fafsa.gov by May 24, 2016.

3. What if I have a third party (VA, Florida Prepaid, or WIA) paying my Fall tuition and fees? Then you must contact the Office of Student Accounts by May 15, 2016.

New Students Frequently Asked Questions

1. What does the July 1, 2016 Financial Aid Deadline mean for me? July 1st is the deadline to complete the FAFSA. The Office of Financial Aid will process applications submitted after this deadline, however, students should be prepared to pay out of pocket in the event their application is not processed before the payment deadline.

2. What if I have a third party (VA, Florida Prepaid, or WIA) paying my Fall tuition and fees? You must contact the Office of Student Accounts by August 1, 2016.

General Frequently Asked Questions

1. Do I have to submit a FAFSA every year? Yes, the Financial Aid year runs from Fall to Summer semester and requires a new FAFSA prior to every Fall semester.


3. How long does it take ABAC to receive my FAFSA information once I have submitted it to www.FAFSA.gov? ABAC will receive your completed FAFSA in 5-7 business days from submittal.

4. Once FAFSA is completed, am I done? No. Due to federal guidelines, you could be selected to provide further documentation. Please check your stallion email for communication on further requirements.

5. Where can I find my bill? Navigate to www.abac.edu/myabac and select the eStallion hyperlink.

6. How do I pay my bill? Payment can be made online using a credit card or banking information, mail, by phone ((229)-391-4999), or in office at the Cashier’s Office on the second floor of Branch Hall. Cashiering hours are Monday - Thursday 8:00 - 5:30 and Friday 8:00 - 3:00. A 2.75% or minimum of $3.00 processing fee will be charged to all credit card transactions. There are also detailed instructions of payment methods on the Office of Student Accounts website.

7. When are Fall refund checks issued? The first Fall refund checks are issued the first week of September. Please visit the Office of Student Accounts Website for further information concerning refunds.

8. How do I reset my password for Banner and eStallion? Your Banner and eStallion account should be the same password. If you do not know your Banner Web pin, please use the Forgot Pin button. If you lock your Banner Web account with three unsuccessful attempts, please contact Tech Support. Passwords can be reset in the Tech Support office located in Branch Student Center, 2nd floor. Look for Help Desk/Tech Support signs. You may also contact Tech Support at 229-391-5400.

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A Road Map to Funding Your Education

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A ROAD MAP TO FUNDING YOUR EDUCATION

AUGUST 3: Payment Deadline for all registered students
AUGUST 4: Late Registration Begins ($50 assessed)
AUGUST 6: Freshman Housing Move In
AUGUST 7: Returning Housing Move In
AUGUST 10: First Day of Class & Payment Deadline for Students Registered Since August 4
AUGUST 17: Payment Deadline for Students Registered Since Aug 10 & Nelnet Enrollment Ends

March 21: Priority 1 (70 + Credit Hours)
March 22: Priority 2 (45-69 Credit Hours)
March 23: Priority 3 (12-44 Credit Hours)
March 24: Priority 4 (Less Than 12 Credit Hours)

May 1: Students May Begin Setting Up Nelnet Plans
April 12 - April 19
April 25: Fall 2016 Charges Applied
FAFSA 101 Hosted by Office of Financial Aid
April 12 - April 19
April 25
IRR Tax Deadline
*Taxes must be filed in order to complete your FAFSA

June 1: One of Three Options Must Be Met or Your Fall 2016 Schedule Will Be Dropped
Option 1: FAFSA Submitted
Option 2: $500 Tuition Deposit
Option 3: Nelnet Contract Signed

June 2: Registration Will Remain Open for Students Who Have Completed Requirements
Option 1: FAFSA Submitted
Option 2: $500 Tuition Deposit
Option 3: Nelnet Contract Signed

July 8, July 15, July 22, July 29
Orientation Dates
August 5
Financial Aid Deadline for New Students
May 27: Early Bird Orientation
May 1: Students May Begin Setting Up Nelnet Plans