

Oklahoma Panhandle State University



Applying for a Parent PLUS Loan

<https://studentloans.gov>

The parent will sign in using their FSA ID – NOT the student FSA ID

- Plus Loan: Request a Direct PLUS Loan Process
- Select Loan: Parent PLUS
  - Borrower Info
  - Select the Current School Year for 'Award Year'
  - Request Deferment While in School (check YES)
  - Request for 6 months (check YES)
  - Authorization for school to use funds to satisfy other Charges (check I AUTHORIZE)
  - Credit Balance options (choose either REMAINDER to STUDENT or PARENT & LOAN INFO OPSU)
  - Loan Amount requested – any specific amount is used for entire year, not just one semester
  - Certification

If declined, additional funds can be added to the student's unsubsidized loan amount by request. If accepted, this loan will be in the parent's name and a Master Promissory Note will need to be completed. It is YOUR responsibility to inform the Financial Aid Office that the above steps have been taken. (580) 349-1580 or [financial.aid@opsu.edu](mailto:financial.aid@opsu.edu)