

## Federal Student Loans



By completing a FAFSA, students will be offered federal student loans. If a student wants to take out his/her loans, the student needs complete these three steps:



*Complete at studentaid.gov* 

## **Important Loan Facts:**

- Freshman annual loan limit \$5,500 dependent/\$9,500 independent.
- Loans amount increases \$1,000 each level; caps out at Junior and Senior level.
- **Subsidized** = interest FREE, **Unsubsidized** = interest accrues while in school
- No payments while in school.
- 6 month grace period after graduation before repayment starts.

Track your loan usage at **nslds.ed.gov** (National Student Loan Data System).

For more details on student loans visit: <u>financialaid.wsu.edu/student-loans/</u>