



*Shelby County High School Partners with Cash for College for the
Alabama College Application Campaign Week*

- **Free Application Week** - during the week of November 4-8, 2019 over 50 colleges and universities will waive the admissions application fee.
- **FAFSA Completion Day** - Seniors will have an opportunity to complete their FAFSA and apply for college in the SCHS computer lab during their English 12 class on Wednesday, November 6th.
- **Gathering Documents** You will need several important documents and pieces of information to complete the FAFSA
 - Student's Social Security Number or Alien Registration Number
 - Dates of Birth for student and parents/guardians
 - Parent's Social Security Number (if student is dependent)
 - Prior-Prior Year Tax Returns
 - Records of untaxed income
 - Benefits like Social Security, Disability, SNAP, TANF, etc.
 - Information on cash, savings and checking account balances, real estate assets (not including home)
- **Internet Resources:**
 - **StudentAid.gov** - site for students and parents. It provides detailed information about the FAFSA, the FSA ID, the IRS Data Retrieval Tool, student dependency status, reporting parent information, and what happens after the FAFSA is submitted. Federal Student Aid <http://studentaid.ed.gov/>
 - **FAFSA.ed.gov** - official website for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) www.fafsa.ed.gov
 - **FSA ID** - Students and families can create their FSA IDs here: <https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm>
 - **Types of Financial Aid** - Here is some helpful information to guide you through the financial aid process and understanding the different types of financial aid: <http://alabamapossible.org/types-of-financial-aid/>
 - **More FAFSA information** at <https://formyourfuture.org/the-guide/>
 - **SCHS Counselor Blog** <http://podcasts.shelbyed.k12.al.us/schs-counselor/>