

## Financing Your Education in the Freshman Transition Program (FTP)

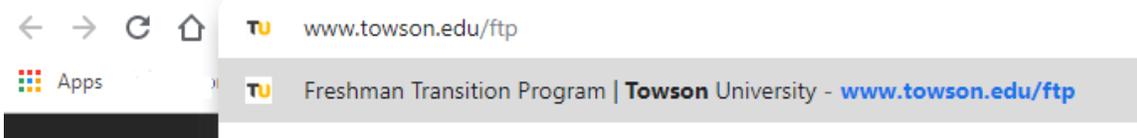
- Step 1** - Complete the FAFSA application online ([www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov))
  - Make sure to use the **CCBC school code (002063)**
  - Do not remove the Towson University school code (002099)
  - You will receive a Student Aid Report (**SAR**) electronically. Review it carefully and correct any errors. Take note of your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) and estimated Pell Grant award
  
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 **Step 2** – Redirect Maryland State Aid
  - If you are a Maryland Resident, use the MDCAPS system (<http://mdcaps.mhec.state.md.us>) to inform the Maryland Higher Education System **that you will attend CCBC** rather than Towson
  
- Step 3** – If you have been selected for verification, submit verification documents
  - You will be notified by e-mail if you have been selected
  - Any needed documents will also appear on SIMON – <https://simon.ccbcmd.edu>
  - Verification Worksheets are available on [www.towson.edu/ftp](http://www.towson.edu/ftp)
  
- Step 4** – Direct all private scholarship funds to CCBC’s Bursar’s Office, **NOT** Towson University
  - Complete and submit the Private Aid Information Worksheet ([www.towson.edu/ftp](http://www.towson.edu/ftp)) to inform us of this award
  
- Step 5** – Use the Expense Worksheet ([www.towson.edu/ftp](http://www.towson.edu/ftp)) and your **FAFSA Submission Summary** ([www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)) to determine how much loan money you may need
  - Submit the PAPER Student Loan Application ([www.towson.edu/ftp](http://www.towson.edu/ftp)) to apply for a student loan. FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS **CAREFULLY**
  - Submit the PAPER Parent PLUS Loan Application ([www.towson.edu/ftp](http://www.towson.edu/ftp)) to apply for a Parent PLUS loan. FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS **CAREFULLY**

**ALL FINANCIAL AID DOCUMENTS/APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO CCBC: DUNDALK BY 7/25/25 IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE 8/1/25 BILLING DUE DATE**

- Step 6** – Pay any remaining balance to CCBC Bursar’s Office
  - All of your primary expenses (tuition, fees, room, and board) will be paid through CCBC. Only incidental expenses (parking expenses, library fines, etc.) will be paid directly to TU
  - You will receive your first bill in early/mid July  
**\*\*DO NOT WAIT TO RECEIVE THIS BILL TO BEGIN SUBMITTING FINANCIAL AID DOCUMENTS! BEGIN AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE\*\***
  - Payment instructions, billing due date and payment plan information will be included
  - CCBC offers a monthly payment plan if you prefer to break up your expenses


**If you owe a balance that is not covered by financial aid and you fail to make alternative payment arrangements to pay your FULL balance in a timely manner, your schedule will be dropped and your enrollment in the program will be canceled.**


<b>Mailing address for verification documents or student loan request:</b> Financial Aid Office ATTN: Freshman Transition Program CCBC Dundalk 7200 Sollers Point Road Baltimore, MD 21222	<b>Private scholarships are to be mailed to:</b>  Bursar’s Office ATTN: Freshman Transition Program CCBC Dundalk 7200 Sollers Point Road Baltimore, MD 21222	<b>Financial aid questions?</b>  <b>DO <u>NOT</u> USE THE REGULAR CCBC CUSTOMER SERVICE CONTACTS FOR THIS UNIQUE PROGRAM!</b>  <b>PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL:</b> <a href="mailto:FreshmanTransitionFA@ccbcmd.edu">FreshmanTransitionFA@ccbcmd.edu</a>
<b>FAX:</b> 443-840-2824		


**1. Click “Financial Aid, Billing & Costs”**


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TU Department of Admissions & Financial Aid Chat with TU Admissions!

**2. Printable Forms available under “Forms” section**


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Financial Aid for students participating in the FTP Program is administered by the Community College of Baltimore County.



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Estimated Semester Expenses

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