



2009-2010 Federal Direct Stafford Loan Request Form

- Complete this form to request a Federal Direct Stafford Loan. See www.macalester.edu/financialaid for full instructions.
- Return the completed form to the Financial Aid Office at the mailing address *or* fax number above (**please mail or fax the form, not both**).
- In addition, **first-time Federal Direct Stafford Loan borrowers must take two other steps:**
 - Complete a Master Promissory Note (MPN) at www.dlenote.ed.gov.
 - Complete Direct Loan Entrance Counseling at www.dl.ed.gov.

1) Name _____

2) Macalester ID _____ OR Social Security # _____

3) Student's Electronic Mail address _____
 (we will contact you by e-mail only if there is a question about your loan request)

4) Check this box **if you do not want a Federal Stafford Loan** at this time, sign this form and return it to the Financial Aid Office (if you change your mind, you can request a Federal Stafford Loan at any time during your 2009-2010 enrollment).

OR Enter the Amount of Federal Stafford Loan you are requesting

\$ _____

See information below for annual loan limits.

Note: **If this is your first** Federal Stafford Loan request for the 2009-2010 school year, enter the total loan amount desired.

If this is not your first request for 2009-2010, the amount you request on this form will be added to any amount you have previously requested for 2009-2010.

Example: if you have already requested a \$1,000 loan and you would like to increase the total amount of your loan to \$1,500, enter \$500 as the amount requested.

5) Loan Period (choose one) Academic Year 9/2009 – 5/2010 Fall Semester Only 9/2009– 12/2009 Spring Semester Only 1/2010 – 5/2010

6) Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Dependent Student Federal Stafford Loan Annual Limits	Base Eligibility ¹	Additional Unsubsidized Eligibility ²	Total Annual Federal Stafford Loan Eligibility ³
Freshman	\$3,500	\$2,000	\$5,500
Sophomore	\$4,500	\$2,000	\$6,500
Junior	\$5,500	\$2,000	\$7,500
Senior	\$5,500	\$2,000	\$7,500

¹ Eligibility for subsidy on the based loan amount is determined by the results of the FAFSA.

² Additional Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loan Eligibility available for loans disbursed after July 1, 2008 per H.R. 5715.

³ The total amount of Stafford Loan is limited to the student's cost of attendance minus other financial aid.