2018-19 Financial Aid Application Checklist
for prospective first-time undergraduate students

☐ 2018-19 CSS Profile
Website: http://cssprofile.org | DU School code: 4842
This application is used to determine your eligibility for institutional need-based aid (not required for merit-based scholarships).

☐ 2018-19 CSS Profile for the Noncustodial Parent (if applicable)
Required if biological/adoptive parents are divorced, separated, single, or were never married. The noncustodial parent will be required to complete a separate CSS Profile application online at http://cssprofile.org using their own login credentials.

☐ 2018-19 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
Website: www.FAFSA.ed.gov | DU School code: 001371
This application—available October 1, 2017—is used to determine your eligibility for federal aid. We strongly encourage you to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool if you can.

☐ Signed 2016 Parent(s) Tax Returns (if data retrieval was not used to complete the FAFSA)
If the IRS Data Retrieval Tool was not used to complete the parent portion of the FAFSA, submit a signed copy of your parent(s) 2016 tax returns. Returns must be signed by at least one parent. Submit directly to our office. Student tax returns are not required unless specifically requested.

☐ 2016 Parent(s) W-2(s)
Submit directly to the DU Office of Financial Aid. Student W-2(s) are not required unless specifically requested.

☐ Additional Documentation (if requested)
We may need additional documentation in order to verify that the information on your application is true and correct. If we need further information, we’ll send you an email. You must submit all requested documents before we can finalize your financial aid award.

Priority Deadlines: You should apply for aid at the same time you apply for admission in order to receive an award letter around the same time as an admission decision. If you miss this date, you should still apply for aid as soon as possible. We'll continue to send award letters on a weekly basis to admitted students who complete their aid applications after the priority deadlines listed below.

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