

Parental Financial Data Must Be Provided In All Cases, Even For Independent Students, In Order To Be Considered For This Loan Program.

Non-Federal Alternative Loans

The Office of Student Financial Services encourages all students eligible for federal loans to maximize their eligibility before borrowing any alternative loans. However, if you must borrow an alternative loan, we recommend that you review many alternative loan lenders and research their policies and loan terms to decide which lender is best for you. We will process an alternative loan with the lender of your choice. The best way to locate alternative lenders is to do an internet search for "private student loans". Our office cannot suggest nor recommend an alternative lender.

Due to recent legislative changes, students applying for a non-federal alternative loan will be required to complete the [Private Education Loan Applicant Self-Certification Form](#). This form is also available through the alternative lender's website. This form will require information regarding aid that you are currently receiving and the total cost of attendance for SUSCC.