Hello Future Gators,

We are so excited to welcome you next year as new Green River College students!

If you want money to pay for college next year, please take the following steps as soon as possible!

Apply for Financial Aid

If you want grants (free money!), loans, or want to receive work study next year, you must apply for financial aid!

To apply, **complete the FAFSA at <u>fafsa.gov</u> or WASFA**wasfa.regenteducation.net application for the 2023-2024 academic year online by GRC's priority financial aid deadline on **April 30th**

Not sure which application you should complete? Fill out this questionnaire at wsac.wa.gov/WASFAElig

If you need help completing your FAFSA or WASFA, make sure to attend the Funding Session for Grad to Gator that will be coming to your high school soon!

Apply for Scholarships

There are thousands of scholarships out there to support students, and the great news is that the money you receive is all free and does not have to be paid back!

Please see the following list below for some great scholarships that have deadlines that are coming up soon! I also recommend connecting with the college and career counselor at your high school for additional recommendations and support applying for scholarships.

<u>Washington State Opportunity Scholarship (Baccalaureate Scholarship)</u> -

Due February 28th

Green River College Foundation Scholarship - Due April 30th

Contact Heather Hughbanks at hhughbanks@greenriver.edu to get assistance creating your Green River College Foundation scholarship application account

If you have additional questions about Financial Aid and paying for college, please contact Anna Brosius, GRC's Financial Aid Outreach Specialist at abrosius@greenriver.edu