



## Application and Solicitation Disclosure for Student Fixed Rate Private Education Loan

### Loan Interest Rate & Fees

Your **starting interest rate** will be between 4.38% and 11.66%. After the starting rate is set, your rate will be fixed for the life of the loan.

#### Your Interest Rate (upon approval)

The interest rate you pay will be determined after you apply. It will be based on your credit history and other factors (cosigner credit, chosen repayment option, etc.). If approved, we will notify you of the rate you qualify for within the selected range.

#### Your Interest Rate during the Life of the Loan

**Your rate is fixed.** This means that your rate will remain constant over the term of the loan. For more information on this rate, see the Reference Notes below.

The maximum rate on the loan is the fixed rate, which will be disclosed to you after you are approved.

### Loan Fees

**Application Fee:** \$0 **Origination Fee:** The fee that we charge to make this loan is 0%. **Loan Guarantee Fee:** 0% **Repayment Fee:** 0% **Late Charge:** \$0. **Returned Check Charge:** \$0.

### Loan Cost Examples

The total amount you will pay for this loan will vary depending upon when you start to repay it. This example provides estimates based upon four (4) different repayment options available to you while enrolled in school.

Repayment Option (While enrolled in school)	Amount Provided (Directly to your school)	Interest Rate (Highest possible rate)	Loan Term (How long you have to pay off the loan)	Total Paid over 10 years (Includes associated fees)
1. DEFER PAYMENTS Make no payments during the deferment period. Interest will be charged and added to your loan.	\$10,000	11.66%	10 years starting <u>after</u> the deferment period	\$25,891.67
2. PAY ONLY THE INTEREST Make interest payments but defer payments on the principal amount during the deferment period.	\$10,000	10.91%	10 years starting <u>after</u> the deferment period	\$21,378.43
3. MAKE FIXED IN-SCHOOL PAYMENTS Make fixed payments of \$25 each month during the deferment period. Unpaid interest will be added to your loan.	\$10,000	11.16%	10 years starting <u>after</u> the deferment period	\$24,098.66
4. MAKE FULL PAYMENTS Pay both the principal and interest amounts while enrolled in school.	\$10,000	10.66%	10 years starting <u>after</u> the final disbursement	\$16,299.90

### About this example

Repayment examples 1-3 assume that you remain in school for 4 years and have a 6-month grace period (together, the deferment period) before the loan term begins. Repayment example 4 assumes full payment begins 1 month after full disbursement. All examples are based on **the highest rate currently charged** and associated fees. Principal and interest repayment terms vary for 5 to 15 year loan terms.

# Federal Loan Alternatives

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Loan Program	Current Interest Rates by Program Type (for loans with a first disbursement between July 1, 2021 and June 30, 2022)
<b>PERKINS</b> for Students	5.00% fixed
<b>DIRECT LOANS</b> for Students	3.73% fixed Undergraduate Subsidized 3.73% fixed Undergraduate Unsubsidized 5.28% fixed Graduate Unsubsidized
<b>PLUS</b> for Graduate Professional Students	6.28% fixed Federal Direct PLUS
<b>PLUS</b> for Parents	6.28% fixed Federal Direct PLUS

You may qualify for Federal education loans.

For additional information, contact your school's financial aid office or the Department of Education at: StudentAid.gov

## Next Steps

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### 1. Find Out About Other Loan Options

Some schools have school-specific student loan benefits and terms not detailed on this form. Contact your school's financial aid office or visit the Department of Education's website at: [www.federalstudentaid.ed.gov](http://www.federalstudentaid.ed.gov) for more information about other loans.

- ### 2. To Apply for this Loan, Complete the Application and the Self-Certification Form.
- You may get the certification form from your school's financial aid office. If you are approved for this loan, the loan terms will be available for 30 days (terms will not change during this period, except as permitted by law and the variable interest rate may change based on the market).

## Reference Notes

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### Fixed Interest Rate

- Your loan has a fixed interest rate that will not vary during the term of the loan.
- Interest Rates are typically higher without a cosigner.

### Autopay Discount

- If you make monthly principal and interest payments by an automatic, monthly deduction from a savings or checking account, the Fixed Rate will be reduced by one quarter of one percent (0.25%) for so long as you continue to make such automatic, electronic monthly payments. This benefit is suspended during periods of deferment and forbearance.

### Prepayments

- You always have the option to make payments ahead of schedule without penalty. By making payments ahead of schedule, you can reduce the total cost of your loan.

### Borrower Eligibility Criteria

- Must be at the age of majority or older in state of residence at the time of loan application, otherwise a cosigner is required.
- Must be enrolled at least half-time in a degree granting program at an eligible institution.
- Must reside in a state in which SoFi is authorized to lend.

### Cosigner Eligibility Criteria

- A cosigner is not required for U.S. citizens or permanent residents, but one may help borrowers qualify for a lower interest rate.
- Must be at the age of majority or older at the time of loan application.

### Bankruptcy Limitations

- If you file for bankruptcy after this loan disburses, you may still be required to pay back this loan.

More information about loan eligibility and repayment deferral or forbearance options is available in your loan agreement.

## For Students Attending School in Virginia

Private education loans are one tool that students use to finance their education. Your lender and your institution's Financial Aid Office provide assistance with eligibility for the loans. For borrowers who have existing private education loans, Virginia has a Student Loan Advocate to assist borrowers who are struggling with repayment. You can contact the Student Loan Advocate at: State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, James Monroe Building, 10th Floor, [101 N. 14th Street, Richmond, VA 23219](#); [studentloan@schev.edu](mailto:studentloan@schev.edu); 804-786-2832. In addition, resources for prospective and current private education loan borrowers are available online at [schev.edu/privateloan](http://schev.edu/privateloan).