

## 2026-2027 Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan Request

Please complete all sections of this form to request a Parent PLUS\* loan. You must also complete the completed the PLUS application online at <https://studentaid.gov>.

\* Effective July 1, 2026, all parents (combined) may borrow \$20,000 per year per dependent student and a \$65,000 aggregate limit per dependent student (without regard to amounts forgiven, repaid, canceled, or discharged). Legacy Provision: If a borrower has a Parent PLUS loan made before July 1, 2026, while the dependent student is enrolled in a credentialed program, the parent can continue to borrow under current loan limits for 3 academic years or the remainder of their dependent student's expected time to credential, whichever is less.

### Section I.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ GovState ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ YES – I have completed the PLUS application online at <https://studentaid.gov>. (Your loan cannot be processed until this step is completed.) **Please note: GovState does not originate loans for the 26/27 school year until after July 1<sup>st</sup>. If the credit decision for your online PLUS request expires before then, you'll be responsible to redo the online application.**

### Section II.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip Code

Parent U.S. Citizenship Status (check one):

\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen or National \_\_\_ Permanent Resident or eligible non-citizen; Alien Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Section III.

In the event your PLUS loan is denied due to the results of your credit check, I would like to (check one):

\_\_\_ Use an Endorser/Co-Signer \_\_\_ Borrow additional Unsubsidized Loan \_\_\_ No further action

Indicate the dollar amount of the Parent PLUS Loan you are requesting:

Fall 2026 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Spring 2027 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Summer 2027 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Note: There is a loan origination fee of approximately 4% deducted upfront before funds are disbursed on all Direct PLUS Loans. Exact origination fee amounts can be found online through [www.studentaid.gov](https://studentaid.gov).**



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### **Applicant Certification and Release – Parent and Student Signature**

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all information on this application is correct and complete. By signing this application, I am accepting the Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan, and I authorize Governors State University to send the above information to the Direct Loan Servicing Center to conduct a credit check. If the credit check is approved and the electronic master promissory note is signed, I give GovState permission to credit the loan funds to my student account for payment of tuition, fees, and other charges. I give GovState permission to refund any remaining credit balance from this loan to the student.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*FA Office Use Only:*

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| Student Notification Completed  | Date: _____ | Initials _____ |
| Parent Notification Completed   | Date: _____ | Initials _____ |
| Internal Notification Completed | Date: _____ | Initials _____ |