



DON'T FORGET TO CREATE YOUR

MDCAPS ACCOUNT

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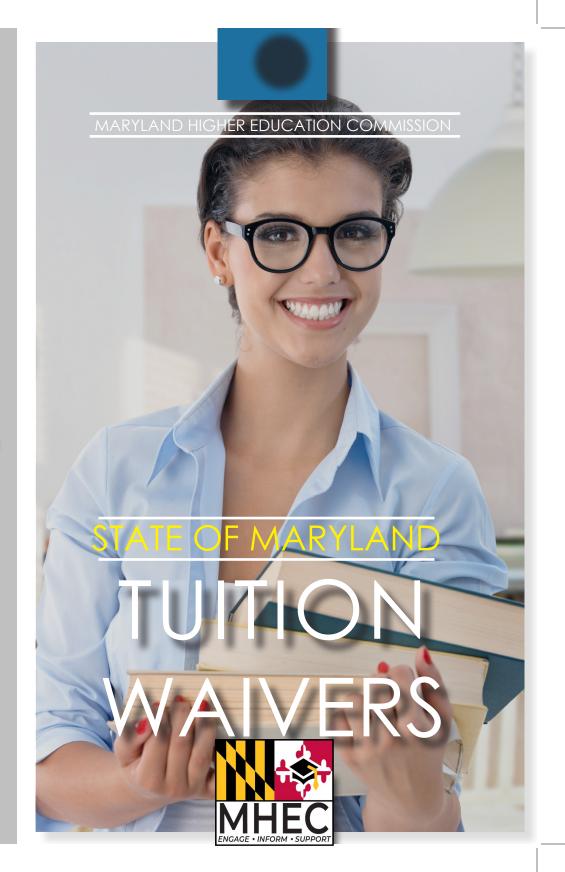
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*This also includes the younger sibling of an eligible foster care

recipient if the younger sibling is concurrently placed into

by the same guardianship or adoptive family

guardianship or adopted out of an out-of-home placement

FOSTER CARE TUITION WAIVERS*

You must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov and contact the financial aid office at the college or university that you plan to attend.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS -

Been placed in an out-of-home placement by the Maryland Department of Human Services and either;

- Resided in an out of home placement in Maryland at the time they graduated from high school or successfully completed a general equivalency development examination (GED);
- Resided in an out of home placement in Maryland at the time of their 18th birthday; or
- Resided in an out-of-home placement on the their 13th birthday and was placed into guardianship or adopted out of an out-of-home placement after their 13th birthday; or
- Resided in an out-of-home placement in the State for at least one year on or after their 13th birthday and returned to live with their parents after the out-of-home placement ended.

UNACCOMPANIED HOMELESS YOUTH TUITION WAIVERS

You must complete the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** at www.fafsa.ed.gov and:

- (Up to one year after high school graduation) -Contact your local homeless liaison
- (More than one year after high graduation) Contact the financial aid office at the college or university that
 you plan to attend.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS -

- Be declared as an unaccompanied homeless youth who is not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian and
- Be a homeless child or youth as defined by the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act.