Happy New Year from Student Financial Services.

As the Spring 2020 semester commences, we would like to remind you about the steps to renew your financial aid for the 2020-2021 academic year.

- Complete the 2020-2021 FAFSA
  - The FAFSA must be completed to be eligible for any federal financial aid
  - Visit fafsa.gov to access the FAFSA
  - For assistance in navigating the FAFSA, click the image below to connect to the Financial Aid TV FAFSA Tutorial playlist


- Complete the 2020-2021 Graduate Medical Sciences Financial Aid Application
  - This online form replaces the previous paper Direct Loan Request Form
  - Complete the application only after you complete the FAFSA

- Remain in good academic standing with Graduate Medical Sciences

- Review options for additional loans and scholarships
  - The ELM Select portal allows you to compare student loan programs
  - The 2020/2021 Graduate PLUS Loan Application will be available later in the spring semester

Award Notifications
- SFS starts releasing financial aid awards approximately 60 days before the start of the Fall 2020 semester for your program
- Financial aid award notifications will be emailed to you via Datamotion Secure Email

If you have questions about your financial aid application for the 2020-2021 academic year, please don’t hesitate to contact gmsloans@bu.edu. Our staff are here to help.

Sincerely,

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