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Subject: 2007–08 Publication Update: Includes FAFSA and *FAFSA on the Web Worksheet* Information

Dear Partner:

We are pleased to announce the release of the enhanced FSAPubs Web site, the one-stop source for ordering all of Federal Student Aid's **free** publications. Each of the organizations we serve–from universities to libraries to high schools–has customers with different needs, and we want each organization to leave the site satisfied that they found the resources to help identify and obtain the financial aid for which their students qualify. Self service ensures you receive the quantities you need and prevents any unwanted boxes of materials.

Attached you will find information on a few of our most popular publications for students and parents. This is not a complete listing of Federal Student Aid's publications. For a complete list of publications, for more information on any publication listed, and to order copies, visit www.FSAPubs.org.

And lastly, … we listened to you…. With all of the information that is often disseminated, we have had many requests to communicate via e-mail.

- *"You have my e-mail. Send me an e-mail in September telling me what's coming and when it's coming."*
- *"A possible reminder of the dates the different forms are available; I use my calendar to remember the dates."*
- *"I would like an automated e-mail message at the point when I can officially order the* FAFSA on the Web Worksheets *and paper FAFSA forms."*

To support these requests, we are using e-mail communications more frequently. Many of you have received this notice via e-mail. For those who did not, now is an excellent time to visit FSAPubs, pre-order your publications, and update your account information to include an e-mail address.

We hope this information provides you with an easy reference for the 2007–08 publications. However, if you have questions or need clarification, please do not hesitate to e-mail us at orders@FSAPubs.org or call us at 1-800-394-7084.

Sincerely,

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Let's begin with a review of some of the publications available for 2007-08. Each section contains a brief publication description, information on the intended audience, the date that you may order, the date the item will begin shipping, and the strategy for distribution of the publication.

2007-08 FAFSA on the Web Worksheet (Also available in Spanish and Braille)

The Worksheet is the appropriate tool to assist students and parents completing the FAFSA online. Over 90 percent of FAFSA applications are submitted on the Web, and the Worksheet provides students and parents the opportunity to gather the information needed before sitting down at the computer. The Worksheet follows the flow and logic of the online application and is therefore the appropriate tool for Web filers.

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	Available Now
Shipping Will Begin:	Late October
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084.

***2007-08 Free Application For Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA)** (Also available in Spanish and Braille)

This free application is used to apply for federal, state and institutional grants, work-study and loans. This paper application is available for those who do not have Internet access. The FAFSA collects financial and other information used to calculate an Expected Family Contribution (EFC).

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	November 1st
Shipping Will Begin:	Mid November
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084. FAFSAs will not be mailed automatically.

2007-08 FAFSA Tips (Also available in Spanish)

A redesign of the *FAFSA on the Web Tips Card*, this publication is now a standard-sized brochure. *FAFSA Tips* provides a list of steps for applying for financial aid via *FAFSA on the Web*. Also included is information on how to get free help online, by phone, or in person.

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	Available Now
Shipping Will Begin:	Early November
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084.

2007-08 FAFSA on the Web Poster

This 11 X 17 full-color poster encourages students to apply for federal student aid using *FAFSA on the Web*. The poster also encourages students to apply on time, beginning January 1st. The poster also includes a blank box in which counselors can write specific state deadlines.

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	Available Now
Shipping Will Begin:	Early November
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084.

2007-08 Bookmark – Start Here. Federal Student Aid. (Spanish translation on back; also available in Braille)

The bookmark is a simple and portable reference tool for students and parents seeking information on financial aid. Provides the URL to Federal Student Aid's Web site (www.FederalStudentAid.ed.gov) and the Federal Student Aid Information Center's toll-free number (1-800-4-FED-AID).

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	Available Now
Shipping Will Begin:	Early November
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084.

2007-08 Funding Education Beyond High School: The Guide To Federal Student Aid
(Also available in Spanish and Braille)

This publication combines the information previously contained in *The Student Guide* and in *Funding Your Education*. This book is the most comprehensive resource for high school students, college students, parents, and nontraditional students. The publication includes an overview of the federal student aid application process as well as detailed steps for taking action during each phase. In addition, the glossary clarifies financial aid terminology.

Intended Audience:	Students and Parents
Date Available for Order:	Available Now
Shipping Will Begin:	Late November
Strategy for Distribution:	Order at www.FSAPubs.org or call 1-800-394-7084..