## FANs and Scholarships

## Financial Aid Notifications (FANs) and Scholarships

All new students receive a Financial Aid Notification letter (FAN), which is a folder full of important financial information and next steps. Before your student's State Start-Up program, they will be required to virtually meet 1:1 with one of our financial aid counselors. They will walk your student through all the key points of the FAN, including any grants, scholarships, or other aid they qualify to receive. We highly encourage families to attend this meeting with their student! Students received an email with the booking link and instructions on how to schedule their appointment.

If your student has scholarships and grants listed on their FAN, they are calculated from the several admissions-based scholarships that are automatically awarded here at State, along with any grants that your student may be qualified for based on your family's financial need as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid or FAFSA.

Reminder – FANs are only estimates and not a final bill

## The Branch

The Branch is Indiana State's scholarship portal, where students can see opportunities listed for different colleges, majors, and other criteria funded by Indiana State's incredible donors. Your student can apply for Branch scholarships from December 1-March 1 every year.

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