



BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

Student Financial Aid and Scholarships

**Fresh Start Loan
Acknowledgement Form
2022-2023**

Student Name _____ BGSU ID Number _____

Under the U.S. Department of Education 'Fresh Start' initiative students with a loan default status may be eligible to receive TIV aid for one year after the end of the COVID-19 pandemic student loan payment pause. To be considered, students (or parents applying for a Parent PLUS Loan) must acknowledge and sign the statement below.

I, _____ (print full name), understand that I am eligible for Title IV aid as a result of the Fresh Start initiative. As a Fresh Start-eligible borrower, I understand that, by accepting Title IV HEA federal student aid during the Fresh Start period, I am agreeing to have my defaulted loans transferred to a new loan servicer – the company that will manage my loan – which will result in continued Title IV, HEA federal student aid eligibility beyond the Fresh Start period. I understand that this transfer may not occur immediately and that I can contact the holder(s) of my defaulted loans(s) to request transfer sooner.

Student Loan Borrower

Date

Parent (Parent PLUS Borrower Only)

Date

UPLOAD & SUBMIT completed SFA forms at: <http://sfa.bgsu.edu/upload>

HAVE QUESTIONS?

If you need assistance completing this form you may contact a financial aid advisor by calling 419-372-2651, M-F, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm or by asking your question online using our secure web portal at: <https://sfa.bgsu.edu/asksfa>

Office Use Only

Default start date: _____ NSLDS screenshot attached: _____ TIV Aid Awarded Date: _____

Notes: _____