## Steps to Complete Entrance Counseling (Completed by the Student)

- 1. Visit studentaid.gov and clock "Log In" in the upper right corner.
- 2. Sign in using your FSA ID and Password (for Entrance Counseling the student should be logging into the website).
- 3. Click "Complete Aid Process" from the top bar menu.



- 4. In the drop-down, choose "Complete Entrance Counseling".
- 5. Select "Start" for Complete Entrance Counseling.



6. Select your school. Choose the state, then the schools will appear. Then click, "Notify this School".



7. As you are completing the entrance counseling, there will be questions to **"Check your Knowledge".** The initial set of questions refer to your current loan status.

## 8. The next series of questions will assist you with understanding how to 'create' a budget. These are hypothetical questions, and you can enter any data.

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Enter the amount you avaat to receive	to halp nov for cohool thi	a year Defer to your student account	at to one the financial aid	expense fields will display \$0 if the	he specific school selected has	not provided expense data.	
package awarded. If you have not receive	ved your financial aid pack	age, refer to the <u>Loan Limits</u> in Und	lerstand Your Loans.	Educational Expenses (Yearly)	\$ 33,920	Other Expenses (Monthly)	\$ (
Your Funds 🕢				Choose the average expenses for	r an undergraduate at your	Savings	0
				specific school or general type of	school, as of 2020 to display	Clothing	0
Student Aid (Yearly)	\$ 21,040	Other Funds (Yearly)	\$ O	below. Or add your expenses you	irself.	Utilities (e.g. phone internet)	
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irants	4740	Parental Contributions 🛛	0	Select living arrangement	On-Campus 🗸 🗸	Medical Insurance & Expenses ?	0
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ederal Student Loans	5500	Personal Savings	0	Housing and Meals	8380	Remember!	
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four Funds This Year 🚱			\$ 21,040	Your Expenses This Year			\$ 33,920
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9. Continue until you have completed all **five** steps.

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Understand Your Loans	✓ 2 Manage Your Spending	✓ 3 Plan To Repay	✓ 🖌 👍 Avoid Default	✓ 5 Finances: A Priority

10. Once complete, you will see the confirmation page.

ENTRANCE COUNSELING SUMMARY	
Ruth, you have successfully completed Entrance Counseling!	

Please allow 24 to 48 hours for information to be received and processed at Chowan University. You may check your document status online at <u>chowan.edu/netpartner</u>.