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FAFSA Update



More South Dakota seniors complete the FAFSA for 2022-23

FAFSA completion in South Dakota continues to rise among high school seniors. According to the Department of Education's data, 44.6 percent of this year's South Dakota seniors have completed a 2022-23 FAFSA. As of May 6, there have been 4,689 FAFSAs submitted by the South Dakota high school class of 2022, a 1.7 percent increase over FAFSA submissions at this same time last year.

Renewal FAFSA

Although 2022-23 FAFSA completions are on the rise among high school seniors, there are concerns nationally that current college students are not completing the 2022-23 Renewal FAFSA. This could be an indicator of students not returning to postsecondary education. Contact Mapping Your Future if you would like more information or would like to discuss this issue.

Not too late

Although we are nearing the end of the school year for many institutions, it's not too late for students to complete the FAFSA! Contact Mapping Your Future if you or your students need assistance.

Top schools

South Dakota schools with the largest increases this year:

1. Timber Lake High - 111.1%
2. Bennett County - 100%
3. Deubrook High - 100%
4. Stanley County - 100%
5. Avon High School - 85.7%

Contact us

Students, parents, and counselors (really, anyone) can call Mapping Your Future for assistance at our toll free number 800-374-4072. In addition, we receive and respond to a lot of emails. Send an email at anytime to: feedback@mappingyourfuture.org