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Learn how to apply for thousands in Financial Aid! An hour **now** could mean a **million** more dollars over your lifetime!!!

This workshop offers **FREE** professional help to complete the necessary financial aid forms.

Location:

San Rafael High
School-
LIBRARY
185 Mission Ave.
San Rafael, CA
94901

Date:

January 23,
2010

Time:

10:00am-
2:00pm

- Financial Aid advisors will be available for line-by-line assistance to help you complete the 2010-2011 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and the Cal Grant GPA verification form.
- Colleges use the FAFSA to determine eligibility not only for Cal Grants but also for scholarships, other grants, work-study and loans.
- Tools and resources will be available for AB540 students.

For information, contact Marin Education
Fund at 415.451.4016 or
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FREE Financial Aid Workshop

Checklist of materials to bring

The goal of this FREE workshop is for the participant to leave with the FAFSA completed. To do so, please bring as many of the following items that apply to you.

Even if you do not have all or any of the following items, please participate in this FREE workshop.

- Student's** Social Security card and number
- Student's** driver's license
- Student's** Permanent Resident Card (if applicable)
- Parent's** Social Security Card and number
- Independent student:** your Federal Income Tax Return for 2009 (and your spouse's Tax Return if you are married). If you have not yet filed your tax return for 2009 and your income did not significantly change, you can use your tax return from 2008. **2 of 6 Definitions of Independent Student:** *Both parents are deceased, or you are or were until age 18 a ward/dependent of the court.*
- Dependent student:** your parent's Federal Income Tax Return for 2009 or if they have not yet filed their tax return for 2009 and their income did not significantly change, they can use their tax return from 2008.
- Students and parents,** if you had a job in 2009, bring your W-2 forms or, if you do not have your W-2 forms, bring other records of the income you earned that year, such as check stubs.
- Students and parents:** most recent bank statement.
- Any records of untaxed income such as welfare benefits, social security benefits, or child support payments
- List of colleges you are interested in attending

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