REPAYMENT PLAN SELECTION:

## Standard Repayment Plan/Graduated Repayment Plan/Extended Repayment Plan William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program

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## SECTION 1: BORROWER IDENTIFICATION



## SECTION 2: REPAYMENT PLAN DESCRIPTIONS

## STANDARD REPAYMENT PLAN

Under this plan, you will pay a fixed amount of at least $\$ 50$ each month over the course of the maximum repayment period. This plan may result in lower total interest paid when compared to other plans.

## GRADUATED REPAYMENT PLAN

Under this plan, you will pay a minimum payment of at least the amount of interest that accrues monthly over the course of the maximum repayment period. Your payments start out low and then increase every two years. No single payment under this plan will be more than three times greater than any other payment. Generally, the amount you will repay over the life of your loan will be higher under the Graduated Repayment Plan than under the Standard Repayment Plan. This plan may be beneficial if your income is low now but is likely to steadily increase.

## EXTENDED REPAYMENT PLAN

You may choose this plan only if (1) you had no outstanding balance on a Direct Loan on October 7, 1998 or on the date you obtained a Direct Loan after that date, and (2) you owe more than $\$ 30,000$ in outstanding Direct Loans.
Under this plan, you have the option of making either fixed or graduated payments over a repayment period not to exceed 25 years. If you elect fixed payments, you will pay at least $\$ 50$ each month. If you elected graduated payments, you will pay a minimum amount of at least the amount of interest that accrues monthly over a repayment period not to exceed 25 years. Your graduated payments start out low and then increase every two years.
Under either the fixed or graduated monthly payment option, the Extended Repayment Plan will give you a lower monthly payment on your non-consolidation loans than the Standard or Graduated Repayment Plans. However, because of the longer repayment period, you will pay more interest over the life of your loans.
If you have a Direct Consolidation Loan and owe more than $\$ 30,000$ but less than \$40,000 in education loans, the Extended Repayment Plan will provide you with a longe repayment period than the Standard or Graduated Repayment Plans, but the total amount of interest you pay over the life of the loan may be more than under those plans.

Repayment Plan Comparison Chart

| If you choose... | ...and you have... | ...your minimum monthly payment will be... | ...and your maximum repayment period will be... |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ...the Standard Repayment Plan... | ...Direct Subsidized, Unsubsidized, or PLUS Loans... | ...\$50... | ... 10 years. |
|  | ...Direct Consolidation Loans... | ...\$50... | $\begin{aligned} & \text {...10-30 years } \\ & \text { (see below). } \end{aligned}$ |
| ...the Graduated Repayment Plan... | ...Direct Subsidized, Unsubsidized, or PLUS Loans... | ...monthly interest... | ... 10 years. |
|  | ...Direct Consolidation Loans... | ...monthly interest... | $\begin{aligned} & \text {...10-30 years } \\ & \text { (see below). } \end{aligned}$ |
| ...the Extended <br> Repayment Plan <br> - Fixed <br> Payments... | ...any type of Direct Loan... | ...\$50. | ... 25 years. |
| ...the Extended <br> Repayment Plan <br> - Graduated <br> Payments... | ...any type of Direct Loan... | ...monthly interest... | ... 25 years. |

Maximum Repayment Period for Direct Consolidation Loans under Standard and Graduated Repayment Plan

| If your Total Education Loan Indebtedness is... |  | ..your Maximum Repayment <br> Period will be... |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| At Least | Less Than |  |
|  | $\$ 7,500$ | 10 years |
| $\$ 7,500$ | $\$ 10,000$ | 12 years |
| $\$ 10,000$ | $\$ 20,000$ | 15 years |
| $\$ 20,000$ | $\$ 40,000$ | 20 years |
| $\$ 40,000$ | $\$ 60,000$ | 25 years |
| $\$ 60,000$ |  | 30 years |

## SECTION 3: REPAYMENT PLAN REQUEST

Check the box for the repayment plan that you wish to select:

| $\square$ | Standard Repayment Plan | $\square_{\text {Plan }}$ | Graduated Repayment |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square_{\text {Payments }}$ | $\square$ <br> Extended Repayment Plan - Fixed | Extended Repayment Plan - Graduated |  |

Note: If you want a repayment plan with a monthly payment amount that is based on your income, complete the Income-Based/Pay As You Earn/Income-Contingent Repayment Plan Request. If you want to choose the Income-Based Repayment (IBR) plan, the Pay As You Earn Repayment plan, or the Income-Contingent Repayment (ICR) plan for your loans that are eligible to be repaid under those plans, but you have other loans that are not eligible for repayment under IBR, Pay As You Earn, or ICR plans (see below), you may repay your ineligible loans under a different plan.
$\square$ Check this box if you have some loans that you wish to repay under the repayment plan selected above because those loans are not eligible for the IBR plan, the Pay As You Earn plan, or the ICR plan.
The following loans are not eligible to be repaid under the IBR, Pay As You Earn, and/or ICR plans:

- Direct PLUS Loans made to parents of dependent undergraduates: not eligible for IBR, Pay As You Earn, or ICR.
- Direct Consolidation Loans that repaid Direct or Federal PLUS Loans made to parents of dependent undergraduates: not eligible for IBR or Pay As You Earn.
- Direct PLUS Consolidation Loans: not eligible for IBR, Pay As You Earn, or ICR


## SECTION 4: BORROWER UNDERSTANDINGS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND AUTHORIZATION

■ I understand that: (1) I must choose the same repayment plan for all of my Direct Loans, unless I want to repay my loans under the Income-Based Repayment (IBR), Pay As You Earn, or Income Contingent Repayment (ICR) Plan and I have some loans that may not be repaid under those plans. In this case, I may select the IBR, Pay As You Earn, or ICR plan for the loans that are eligible for repayment under those plans by completing the IBR/Pay As You Earn/ICR Plan Request, and may select a different repayment plan for the loans that may not be repaid under IBR, Pay As You Earn, or ICR. (2) If I am beginning repayment of my loans for the first time and I do not select a repayment plan, I will be placed on the Standard Repayment Plan. (3) If I am delinquent in making payments under my current repayment plan at the time I request to change to a different plan, my servicer may grant me a forbearance to cover any payments that are overdue at the time I enter the repayment plan I selected in Section 3. Unpaid interest that accrues during this forbearance period may be capitalized at the end of the forbearance period.
■ I certify that (1) The information I have provided on this form is true and correct and (2) I have read and understand the repayment plan that I requested, as explained in Section 2.

- I authorize the entity to which I submit this request (i.e., the school, the lender, the guaranty agency, the U.S. Department of Education, and their respective agents and contractors) to contact me regarding my request or my loan(s), including repayment of my loan(s), at the number that I provide on this form or any future number that I provide for my cellular telephone or other


## SECTION 5: INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE FORM

Type or print using dark ink. Enter dates as month-day-year (mm-dd-yyyy). Use only numbers. Example: January 31, 2012=01-31-2012. If you need help completing this form, contact your federal loan servicer. If you want to apply for a repayment plan and your Direct Loans are serviced by different federal loan servicers, you must submit a separate repayment plan request to each loan servicer.

## Return the completed form and any required documentation to the address shown in Section 7.

## SECTION 6: SAMPLE PAYMENT AMOUNTS

Below are two tables that provide examples of monthly payment amounts under the Standard, Graduated, and Extended repayment plans. The figures provided in these tables are estimates. Various factors, including your actual interest rate, the amount of your loan debt, and whether you have used any of your repayment period, may cause your payment amount to differ from the monthly payment amounts shown in these tables. Your federal loan servicer will provide you with the actual monthly payment amount after you select a repayment plan.

| Non-Consolidation Loans |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Debt When Loan Enters Repayment | Standard (10 years) |  | Graduated (10 years) |  |  | Extended-Fixed (25 years) |  | Extended-Graduated (25 years) |  |  |
|  | Payment | Total Paid | Minimum Payment | Maximum Payment | Total Paid | Payment | Total Paid | Minimum Payment | Maximum Payment | Total Paid |
| \$10,000 | \$115 | \$13,810 | \$66 | \$199 | \$14,860 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$20,000 | \$230 | \$27,619 | \$133 | \$398 | \$29,720 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$30,000 | \$345 | \$41,429 | \$199 | \$598 | \$44,580 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$40,000 | \$460 | \$55,239 | \$266 | \$797 | \$59,439 | \$278 | \$83,289 | \$227 | \$397 | \$90,207 |
| \$50,000 | \$575 | \$69,048 | \$332 | \$996 | \$74,300 | \$347 | \$104,111 | \$283 | \$496 | \$112,762 |
| \$60,000 | \$690 | \$82,858 | \$398 | \$1,195 | \$89,160 | \$416 | \$124,933 | \$340 | \$595 | \$135,314 |
| \$70,000 | \$806 | \$96,667 | \$465 | \$1,393 | \$104,020 | \$486 | \$145,755 | \$397 | \$694 | \$157,865 |
| \$80,000 | \$921 | \$110,477 | \$531 | \$1,593 | \$118,880 | \$555 | \$166,577 | \$453 | \$793 | \$180,427 |
| \$90,000 | \$1,036 | \$124,287 | \$597 | \$1,791 | \$133,740 | \$625 | \$187,399 | \$510 | \$892 | \$202,980 |
| \$100,000 | \$1,151 | \$138,096 | \$664 | \$1,991 | \$148,600 | \$694 | \$208,222 | \$567 | \$992 | \$225,531 |
| All payments above are calculated using a fixed interest rate of 6.8 percent. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Consolidation Loans |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Debt When Loan Enters Repayment | Standard (10-30 years) |  |  | Graduated (10-30 years) |  |  |  | Extended-Fixed (25 years) |  | Extended-Graduated (25 years) |  |  |
|  | Maximum Repayment Period | Payment | Total Paid | Maximum Repayment Period | Minimum Payment | Maximum Payment | Total Paid | Payment | Total Paid | Minimum Payment | Maximum Payment | Total Paid |
| \$10,000 | 15 years | \$97 | \$17,463 | 15 years | \$69 | \$163 | \$19,174 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$20,000 | 20 years | \$170 | \$40,899 | 20 years | \$138 | \$241 | \$44,420 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$30,000 | 20 years | \$256 | \$94,614 | 20 years | \$206 | \$362 | \$66,634 | - | - | - | - | - |
| \$40,000 | 25 years | \$315 | \$64,591 | 25 years | \$275 | \$417 | \$101,515 | \$315 | \$94,614 | \$275 | \$417 | \$101,515 |
| \$50,000 | 25 years | \$394 | \$118,268 | 25 years | \$344 | \$521 | \$126,899 | \$394 | \$118,268 | \$344 | \$521 | \$126,899 |
| \$60,000 | 30 years | \$451 | \$162.274 | 30 years | \$413 | \$549 | \$166,145 | \$473 | \$141,921 | \$413 | \$625 | \$152,280 |
| \$70,000 | 30 years | \$526 | \$189,319 | 30 years | \$481 | \$640 | \$193,841 | \$552 | \$165,575 | \$481 | \$730 | \$177,664 |
| \$80,000 | 30 years | \$601 | \$216,365 | 30 years | \$550 | \$732 | \$221,531 | \$631 | \$189,228 | \$550 | \$834 | \$203,046 |
| \$90,000 | 30 years | \$676 | \$243,410 | 30 years | \$619 | \$823 | \$249,228 | \$710 | \$212,882 | \$619 | \$938 | \$228,428 |
| \$100,000 | 30 years | \$751 | \$270,456 | 30 years | \$688 | \$915 | \$276,914 | \$789 | \$236,535 | \$688 | \$1,042 | \$253,806 |
| All payments above are calculated using a fixed interest rate of 8.25 percent, which is the maximum interest rate on Direct Consolidation Loans. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## SECTION 7: WHERE TO SEND THE COMPLETED REPAYMENT PLAN SELECTION

Return the completed form and any required documentation to:
(If no address is shown, return to your federal loan servicer.)

If you need help completing this form, call:
(If no telephone number is shown, call your federal loan servicer.)

Privacy Act Notice. The Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) requires that the following notice be provided to you:
The authority for collecting the requested information from and about you is $\S 451$ et seq. of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (20 U.S.C. 1087a et seq.) and the authorities for collecting and using your Social Security Number (SSN) are 484(a)(4) of the HEA (20 U.S.C. 1091(a)(4)) and 31 U.S.C. 7701(b). Participating in the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program and giving us your SSN are voluntary, but you must provide the requested information, including your SSN, to participate.

The principal purposes for collecting the information on this form, including your SSN, are to verify your identity, to determine your eligibility to receive a loan or a benefit on a loan (such as a deferment, forbearance, discharge, or forgiveness) under the Direct Loan Program, to permit the servicing of your loan(s), and, if it becomes necessary, to locate you and to collect and report on your loan(s) if your loan(s) becomes delinquent or defaults. We also use your SSN as an account identifier and to permit you to access your account information electronically.

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