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2025-2026 Federal Direct PLUS Loan Request

[] Undergraduate Parent PLUS – Complete ALL Sections

[] Graduate PLUS – Complete Sections I and III

Section I.

Name: _____

GSU ID: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Student Telephone: _____

[] YES - I have completed the PLUS application online at https://studentaid.gov. (Your loan cannot be processed until this step is completed.) Please note: GSU does not originate loans for the 25/26 school year until after July 1st. If the credit decision for your online PLUS request expires before then, you'll be responsible to redo the online application.

Section II.

Parent Name: _____ Parent SSN: _____ Parent Date Of Birth: _____

Parent Telephone: _____ Parent Email Address: _____

Parent Address: _____

City State Zip Code

Parent U.S. Citizenship Status (check one):

[] U.S. Citizen or National

[] Permanent Resident or eligible non-citizen

Alien Registration Number: _____

Section III.

In the event your PLUS loan is denied due to the results of your credit check, I would like to (check one):

[] Use an Endorser/Co-Signer [] Borrow additional Unsubsidized Loan (Undergraduate only) [] No further action

Indicate the dollar amount of the PLUS Loan you are requesting:

Fall 2025 \$ _____ Spring 2026 \$ _____ Summer 2026 \$ _____

Note: There is a loan origination fee of approximately 4% deducted upfront before funds are disbursed on all Direct PLUS Loans. Exact origination fee amounts can be found online through www.studentaid.gov.

Applicant Certification and Release – Parent and Student Signature

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all information on this application is correct and complete. By signing this application, I am accepting the Federal Direct PLUS Loan and I authorize Governors State University to send the above information to the Direct Loan Servicing Center to conduct a credit check. If the credit check is approved and the electronic master promissory note is signed, I give GSU permission to credit the loan funds to my student account for payment of tuition, fees, and other charges. I give GSU permission to refund any remaining credit balance from this loan to the student.

Student Signature : _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature (Parent PLUS Only): _____ Date: _____

FA Office Use Only:
Student Notification Completed Date: _____ Initials _____
Parent Notification Completed Date: _____ Initials _____
Internal Notification Completed Date: _____ Initials _____