

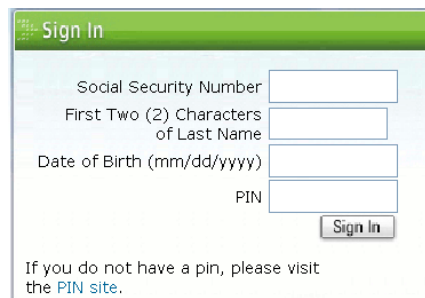
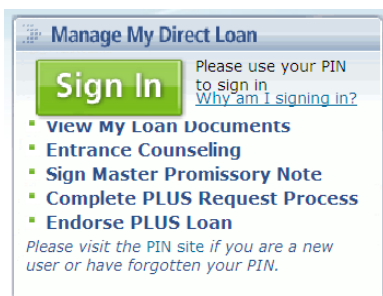
Direct Loan Entrance Counseling Instructions (Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loans)

Students who haven't taken a Federal Subsidized or Unsubsidized Loan (Direct or through a lender) in the past from UW-Parkside are required to complete Direct Loan Entrance Counseling. The entrance counseling takes approximately 30 minutes to complete.

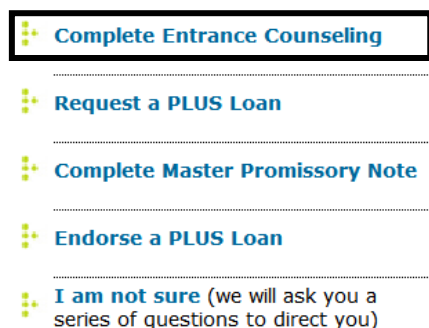
Step 1- Go to the Direct Loan website, which is **www.studentloans.gov**

Step 2- Sign in using your PIN (Personal Identification Number) which is also used to sign the FAFSA. *If you are unsure what your PIN is, it can be reissued/sent to you by going to www.pin.ed.gov*

- Sign in by clicking the green "Sign In" button
- Enter your SSN, first two letters of your last name, date of birth and PIN



Step 3- Click the "Complete Entrance Counseling" link. This takes you to additional instructions. Once again, click "Complete Entrance Counseling."



What To Do:

Read the content and answer the questions.

Read the Borrower's Rights and Responsibilities.

Print the Counseling Completion Verification page for your records.



Step 4- You will be asked a series of questions regarding your enrollment status (undergraduate or graduate/professional student). With the questions will come a series of information that you must read in order to accurately answer the questions. As you answer questions, pop-up information will appear telling you the correct answer and giving you more information.

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Step 5- When you have completed the entrance counseling, you will need to click on the Borrowers Rights and Responsibilities. This will open in a new window. After reviewing, close that window and click "Submit."

Borrower's Rights and Responsibilities

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You must view the Borrower's Rights and Responsibilities for Direct Subsidized and Direct Unsubsidized Loans. View Now.

If you have questions about the borrower's rights and responsibilities or the terms and conditions of your loan(s), you may contact your school's financial aid office.

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