

The Financial Aid Office at Indiana State University has been informed that ISU students are receiving letters of solicitation from College Financial Advisory, a financial aid search firm. This company is requesting that students complete a "Student Financial Aid Profile" and asking for \$49. Indiana State University has no association with this company. Also, ISU provides no information to this type of company for aid purposes. Filing for financial aid is a FREE process! FAFSA stands for Free Application for Federal Student Aid. The free website is www.fafsa.ed.gov.

The Financial Aid Office at ISU discourages any student or family from paying for scholarship or financial aid services. We warn you to be wary of any service for aid-related searches that requires a payment of any kind. Never should you be asked for personal credit card or bank information in a scholarship search or the financial aid process.

More information that can help in preventing scholarship scams can be found at [Federal Student Aid](#) or the Office of Student Financial Aid at Indiana State University.