

PLUS funds are always used as the first source of funds for paying institutional charges. However, if the PLUS funds do create a refund,

Please check one:

- I request that excess PLUS funds be released to the student.
 I request that excess PLUS funds be released to me (parent borrower).

Loan Amount Requested: \$ _____ (cannot exceed amount on Award Letter)

I would like the loan period for this loan to be: (Please check the semester(s) you would like the loan to cover)

Summer Semester Fall Semester Spring Semester Summer Semester

I, the parent borrower, give permission for PLUS loan funds to be used to pay any outstanding charges the student may owe URG that exceed tuition/fees and room/board, such as health services charges, library fines, parking fines, etc. I understand that I have the right to say no and if I do so, any charges such as those described must be paid in full. I understand that I must notify the Office of Student Accounts in writing if I choose to rescind this authorization.

Please check one: Yes No

I consent to the U.S. Department of Education and its agents obtaining a report of my credit record and using the information from that report in determining whether to make a Direct PLUS Loan to me. I understand that I will be notified in writing of the results of the credit check with respect to my loan application. I affirm that the information provided above is accurate. I understand this is a loan obligation that must be repaid. I authorize the Financial Aid Office at the University of Rio Grande to proceed with the Parent PLUS Loan application using the above information.

Signature of Borrower (Parent)

Date

Privacy Act Disclosure 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 information requested on this form is §451 et seq. of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. Your disclosure of this information is voluntary. However, if you do not provide this information, you cannot be considered for a Direct PLUS Loan. The information on this form will be used to determine your eligibility for a Direct PLUS Loan. The information in your file may be disclosed to third parties as authorized under routine uses in the Privacy Act notices called "Title IV Program Files" (originally published on April 12, 1994, Federal Register, Vol. 59 p. 17351) and "National Student Loan Data System" (originally published on December 20, 1994, Federal Register, Vol. 59 p. 65532). Thus, this information may be disclosed to federal and state agencies, private parties such as relatives, present and former employers and creditors, and contractors of the Department of Education for purposes of administration of the student financial assistance program, for enforcement purposes, for litigation where such disclosure is compatible with the purposes for which the records were collected, for use by federal, state, local, or foreign agencies in connection with employment matters or the issuance of a license, grant, or other benefit, for use in any employee grievance or discipline proceeding in which the Federal Government is a party, for use in connection with audits or other investigations, for research purposes, for purposes of determining whether particular records are required to be disclosed under the Freedom of Information Act, and to a Member of Congress in response to an inquiry from the congressional office made at your written request. Because we request your social security number (SSN), we must inform you that we collect your SSN on a voluntary basis, but section 484(a)(4) of the HEA (20 U.S.C. 1091(a)(4)) provides that, in order to receive any grant, loan, or work assistance under Title IV of the HEA, a student must provide his or her SSN. Your SSN is used to verify your identity, and as an account number (identifier) throughout the life of your loan(s) so that data may be recorded accurately.