

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2024

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### 1. **Mar. 1**

- First time candidates (FTCs). Due date for parents/guardians to submit scholarship applications to schools for preferred handling along with financial data for calculated financial need to financial aid service (FACTS or other service).
- Renewals. Due date for parent/guardians of renewal students to submit financial data for calculated financial need to financial aid service (FACTS or other service).

2. **Mar. 22** Date for GRACE to send scholarship balances to schools for spending.

3. **Apr. 19** Due date for FTC and renewal recommendation forms to GRACE from schools.

4. **May 31** Last day of the GRACE fiscal year. All positive school balances must be cleared by this date.

5. **Sept. 1** Final date to submit scholarship recommendation forms to GRACE for school year 2024-2025.

### **The primary award season (January through May)**

The goal during this time period is to obligate for GRACE awards by the end of GRACE's fiscal year on May 31.

### **The secondary award season (June through September 1)**

The purpose of the secondary award season is to reallocate award funds recaptured as a result of declines or forfeitures of scholarship awards.