CONTACT INFORMATION YOU MAY NEED

PERKINS LOAN:

ACS......800-826-4470

(deferment, repayment)

www.acs-education.com

OR

Financial Services Office......800-376-7075

Allegheny College

STAFFORD LOANS:

(deferment, repayment)

Many Stafford Loan lenders use AES as the servicer on the loan,

Ex: CitiBank, PNC, National City, KeyBank & Wachovia

AES......800-233-0557

www.aessuccess.org

William D. Ford Direct Stafford Loan.....800-848-0979

Fax.....800-848-0984

http://www.ed.gov/offices/OSFAP/DirectLoan

For all other lenders: Contact bank or credit union directly.

FEDERAL LOAN CONSOLIDATION:

Stafford Loans serviced by AES......800-338-5000

http://www.aessuccess.org/manage/consolidate/

William D. Ford Direct Loan Consolidation 800-557-7392

Fax.....800-557-7396

E-mail: loan consolidation@mail.eds.com

www.loanconsolidation.ed.gov

LISTING OF ALL FEDERAL LOANS:

National Student Loan Data System

www.nslds.ed.gov

ALTERNATIVE LOANS:

Chase Select	Chase Bank	866-306-0868	www.ChaseSelectLoans.com
CitiAssist	CitiBank	800-967-2400	www.studentloan.com
Key Alternative	Great Lakes	800-236-4300	www.key.com
Resource, Solutions	PNC Bank	800-762-1001	www.eduloans.pncbank.com
Signature	Sallie Mae	800-441-7420	www.salliemae.com
Teri Loans	TERI	800-837-4326	www.teri.org
Wachovia WEL	Wachovia	877-689-0763	www.wachovia.com/education
Wells Fargo	Wells Fargo	877-437-3029	www.wellsfargo.com/student/loan

OTHER:

Ombudsman 877-557-2575 or 202-377-3800 Dept of Ed. PIN Number

www.ombudsman.ed.gov

www.pin.ed.gov

GUIDELINES FOR REPAYMENT OF STUDENT LOANS

3 Types of Loans: Federal Stafford – Subsidized and Unsubsidized

Federal Perkins

Alternative Loans – ie: CitiAssist, Signature, Key, Resource, Gate, etc.

Repayment begins: Stafford Loans – 6 months after last day of class

Perkins Loans – 1 year after last day of class

Alternative Loans – varies, but usually 6 months from last day of class

Payments: Stafford -

Monthly (minimum \$50) – paid to lender or their servicer

Perkins - Quarterly (minimum \$120) – paid to Allegheny or ACS

Student

NOTIFY LENDER (or servicer) of all changes: address, name, school,

Responsibilities: disability, unemployment, etc.

Make payments ON TIME

File for deferments **PRIOR** to due date

PAY all costs incurred in collection of delinquent loans

Lender

Report status of Ioan to National Credit Bureau

Responsibilities:

Perform Due Diligence on loan (notices at appropriate intervals, etc.)

Deferments/

It is **YOUR** Responsibility to request deferment, forbearance,

Forbearance/ Cancellation cancellation from appropriate lender, and file papers as needed in

a timely manner.

Student Rights:

Pay off or pay ahead at any time

Consolidate your loans

Contact Student Loan Ombudsman

Rehabilitate your loan (once)

Helpful

www.acs-education.com

Websites:

www.aessuccess.org

 $\underline{www.nslds.ed.gov}$

www.ombudsman.ed.gov

www.dl.ed.gov

Consolidation:

Federal loans may be consolidated, BUT you may lose your deferment

rights AND pay more interest – so be sure to get all the facts from your

lender before choosing this option.