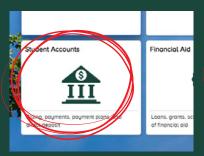
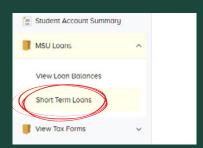
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APPLYING FOR A SHORT TERM LOAN



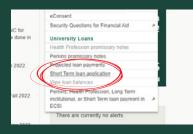


















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- If you meet the criteria, you will be instantly approved and have your funds direct deposited into your bank account. Signing up for direct deposit ensures you the fastest way to receive your funds.
- Short Term Loans should be repaid by the due date on your Short Term Loan
 Promissory Note. Information on repayment of Short Term Loans will be sent to
 you by Educational Computer Systems Incorporated (ECSI), MSU's billing service
 provider. You can set up your account in the Heartland ECSI portal:
 heartland.ecsi.net.
- A refund of excess aid will not automatically pay off a Short Term Loan; you will need to manually settle your account with ECSI. Refunds for law students do not start until August 26, 2022. These short term loans are available to bridge the gap between the beginning of classes and the refund.