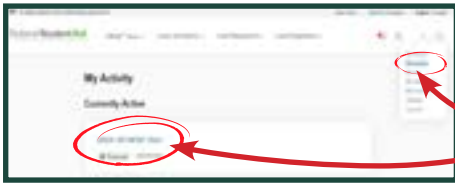


# CORRECT YOUR NAME OR BIRTH DATE ON THE FAFSA

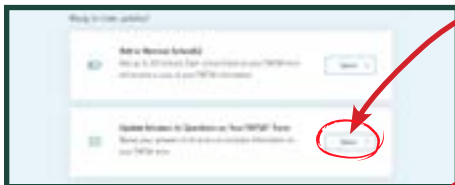


1. Go to [studentaid.gov](https://studentaid.gov) and sign in with your FSA ID.

2. Under your Dashboard, find the **My Activity** header and click on your **FAFSA Form 2025-26**.

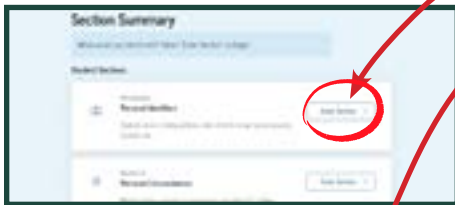


3. Click the Actions button in the upper right of the screen and choose Make Corrections.



4. Choose the **Answers to Questions on Your FAFSA Information** section of your FAFSA. Hit Continue if necessary.

5. Enter the **Personal Identifiers** section.

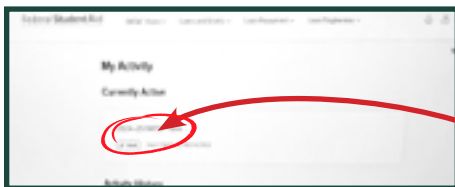


6. Click the **Account Settings** link at the bottom of the page.

7. On the Personal Information page, update your Name or Date of Birth. If updating Name, it should match **EXACTLY** what is on your social security card, **including special characters and spaces**. If your name is longer than 15 characters, type as many that will fit in text box.



8. Click **Apply Changes**. At this point, your FAFSA will be in "Draft" form.



9. In 2-3 days, log back in, click **My Activity** and select your 2025-26 FAFSA in Draft form. **Sign and submit**.

*If you do not hit Submit and receive a "Congratulations" page, we will not receive the edited copy.*

*MSU should receive your updated information within 48 hours. You will see changes reflected in your portal shortly thereafter.*

