Declaring a Financial Aid Eligible Major

To qualify for **grants** (Pell, Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant, Cal Grants), **student loans** and **Federal Work Study** (student employment), you are required to declare an eligible major.

According to our records, you've declared a major that's not eligible for financial aid:

- Undecided/Undeclared
- Certificate of Proficiency
- Non-Credit
- Certain Certificates of Achievement (LA_CSU_CA; LA_IGETC_CA)

How do I declare financial aid eligible major?

Meet your counselor to discuss your major and complete the "Change of Major". Fillable form is available at: <u>http://www.gavilan.edu/counseling/docs/ChangeOfMajor-fillable.pdf</u>

- If your counselor is in general counseling, you may meet with them during Drop-in sessions. For counseling hours and locations, visit: http://www.gavilan.edu/counseling/index.php
- If you are part of a special program, request a drop-in session or an appointment with your counselor.
- After your counselor collects your form, your major will be updated by Evaluator within 2-3 business days.
- To confirm Financial Aid eligibility after change of major form is submitted, contact Financial Aid via email at: <u>finaid@gavilan.edu</u>