# Bursar Tips for Success

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<td>January 1</td>
<td>1st Due Date. Pay in full or by deferment amount for Spring 2021. Deferment fees will apply</td>
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### Homework Assignments
- Grant proxy access to anyone you want bursar to discuss/correspond with regarding your student account
- Create your Authorized Payer(s) in eBill at my.bsu.edu
- Sign up for Direct Deposit of refunds by August 14 at bsu.edu/accountspayable. Review your eBill statement online on August 5
- Bookmark and study the Bursar policies at bsu.edu/bursar

### Reminders
- Due dates: First of every month.
- Check your eBill account often!
- Frequently check bursar website for updates, bsu.edu/bursar
- You will not receive a paper bill
- Keep your account current to avoid a hold on your records and a 1% late fee

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## Authorized Payers

- Students must initiate adding Authorized Payers through [my.bsu.edu](http://my.bsu.edu) using their BSU username and password.
- As an Authorized Payer, you can access the student’s eBill account online.
- You can view and pay the eBill account online. In addition: view transaction and eBill history, current balance and activity, and save a payment profile.
- Becoming an Authorized Payer is another important step toward a positive Ball State experience!
- Check the eBill account often.
- eBill facelift is coming! Visit [bsu.edu/ebill](http://bsu.edu/ebill) for the most current information regarding the release date and the changes you will see.

## What’s Next For Parents

- **After your student creates an Authorized Payer account and user name for you.**
  - Get familiar with eBill by logging in to the system with your username and password at [bsu.edu/ebill](http://bsu.edu/ebill).
  - View the student’s current account activity and billing statement information.
  - When you are ready to make a payment, select the Make a Payment link within the Your Account section.
  - Select the type of payment you’d like to make:
    - Apartment Rent (University Apartments)
    - Field Study/Field Trip/Study Abroad
    - Payment on Account (Deferment or Payment in Full)
    - Cardinal Cash
  - Watch your email account! An email notification will be sent to you when the billing statement is ready to view, but if you happen to miss it, you can always go to eBill to view the most current statement.
- 8/5/20 eBill for Fall semester is ready to view online, due 9/1/20
- 12/11/20 eBill for Spring Semester is ready to view online, due 1/1/21

## FAQ’s

- **Q: I am an Authorized Payer and I have forgotten my eBill username and/or password. What do I do?**
  - A: You can select the **Forgot Password** link on the eBill login page and enter your email address.
- **Q: What if I have more than one student enrolled? Can I be an Authorized Payer for more than one student?**
  - A: Yes, but it will require you to have a different username for each student.
- **Q: Why do I need both Authorized Payer and Proxy access?**
  - A: Authorized Payer = Online access to only view and pay the student account.
  - Proxy Access = Ability to discuss or correspond about the student account.
Authorized Payers

To add an Authorized Payer, students log in to my.bsu.edu using your Ball State username & password:

- Click the **Self Service Banner (SSB)** link under Banner links
- Click the **Student** tab
- Choose eBill
- In the Authorized Payers section, click **Add New**
- Enter the name, e-mail, and optional fields for the authorized payer and click **OK**

Once you have created your Authorized Payers:

- Authorized Payers have online access to view and make online payments
- Students and Authorized Payers are notified by email when an eBill is ready to view
- Being an Authorized Payer does not allow the bursar staff to discuss your financial record with parents or other individuals by phone, in person, or by email, unless you have also granted them access through Ball State’s Proxy system
- Visit [bsu.edu/ebill](http://bsu.edu/ebill) for more info

*eBill facelift is coming! Visit [bsu.edu/ebill](http://bsu.edu/ebill) for the most current information regarding the release date and the changes you will see.*
Remember: Most financial aid awards will not pay miscellaneous charges. It is your responsibility to pay outstanding charges, by the due date, to avoid additional fees and/or a hold on your records.

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**Activity Since Last Billing Statement**

- Last Statement Balance: -$100.00
- Total Current Activity: $0.00
- Current Balance: $2,872.00
- Current Activity Detail
- Make a Payment
- Balance current as of: Wed 08-Apr-2020 13:50:52

**Billing Statements**

Due the 1st of each month.
Activity occurring between billing statements will appear in the "Current Activity Detail" to the left.

- BSU Statement 03/05/2020
- BSU Statement 02/06/2020
- BSU Statement 01/14/2020

To view all your bills click 'View All'.

**1098-T Information**

**Saved Accounts**

You have no saved payment methods.
## PAYMENT SUMMARY

- **Statement Date:** 08/04/2020
- **Ball State ID:** 900000000
- **Previous Balance:** -$100.00
- **Current Balance:** $10,667.00
- **Due Date:** 09/01/2020
- **DEFERMENT AMOUNT:** $718.00
- **TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:** $2,872.00

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Muncie, IN 47306-0725

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If you are mailing a payment, include the top portion. Keep the lower portion for your records.

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**TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:** $2,872.00

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Payment Options

Students and Authorized Payers have two payment options each month:

- Pay the **Total Amount Due** by the due date on the eBill.

- Pay the Deferment Amount by the due date on the eBill. No sign up is required; select Make a Payment & pay at least the Deferment Amount.
  
  - Available Fall and Spring only
  - A Deferment Fee of $30 will be assessed for the first due date, and $15 for the 2\textsuperscript{nd} and 3\textsuperscript{rd} due dates
  - The Deferment Amount will vary by month, so please refer to your eBill for amount due
  - The Deferment Fee will appear on the following month’s eBill
  - Failure to pay at least the Deferment Amount by the due date will result in a 1% Late Fee
If Your Plans Change

- If your plans to attend Ball State change, you are responsible for notifying the university. Go to my.bsu.edu prior to the first day of the term and drop all classes.

- Your registration will not be automatically cancelled for nonpayment of fees or nonattendance. You must drop all of your classes on my.bsu.edu to officially cancel your registration.

- You are financially responsible for your classes if you don’t drop or even if don’t attend.
Open your CARDINAL CASH account today! CARDINAL CASH is accepted at various locations on campus and select establishments in the Village. Instead of fumbling for change or writing a check, your Cardinal Card is all it takes.

To start your CARDINAL CASH account, log in to your eBill account, select the Make a Payment link, and choose to make a Cardinal Cash deposit. You must agree to the Terms & Conditions before making a deposit. The initial deposit must be at least $25.

*Convenience: Use your Cardinal Card to access your CARDINAL CASH account. Each time you use your account, the remaining balance will be noted on the receipt.

A statement of your CARDINAL CASH activity is available upon request through the Bursar’s Office.

*Flexibility: Your CARDINAL CASH account allows you to make a wide variety of necessary or unplanned last-minute purchases on Ball State’s campus.

*Security: Your CARDINAL CASH account is safer than CASH. If you lose your Cardinal Card, report it to the ID Card Office (BL 001) or University Dining, so no one can misuse your account.

CARDINAL CASH deposits may be made online, in person, or by mail. If paying online, please be sure to designate that you are making a Cardinal Cash deposit. If you are mailing a Cardinal Cash deposit, please include your student ID number and a note with instructions to apply the payment to your Cardinal Cash account.

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