Incarcerated students are not eligible for FSA loans. A student is considered to be incarcerated if she/he is serving a criminal sentence in a federal, state, or local penitentiary, prison, jail, reformatory, work farm or similar correctional institution. A student is not considered to be incarcerated if she/he is in a halfway house or home detention or is sentenced to serve only weekends. (FSA HB) It is the responsibility of the student to inform the Office of Financial Aid if she/he is incarcerated while maintaining an enrolled student status.