Study Abroad Financial Aid Process

• Fill out 2024/2025 FAFSA at <u>www.fafsa.gov</u>. Priority deadline was March 2, 2024. Fill out asap.

Include these school codes: 001287 (for SRJC, which you probably already have), 001191 (for Diablo Valley College), 010340 (for Los Medanos College), 001181 (for College of San Mateo), and 001232 (for American River College). Putting these codes in will allow you to receive the CA Promise Grant for any of the schools, if you are eligible.

- Check out the Gilman Scholarship at <u>www.iie.org/gilman</u>
- If eligible for the Gilman, apply by Thursday, Oct. 10, 2024 (The Gilman application generally opens mid-August. On the Gilman application, put Kerry Loewen as your Study Abroad advisor and Jake Kaplan as your Financial Aid advisor).
- Email Jake Kaplan of the Financial Aid Office at <u>ikaplan@santarosa.edu</u> to let him know you are in the Florence 2025 program and that you are a financial aid recipient. If you're not sure about your eligibility, email Jake with your questions.
- Jake will have forms for you to fill out later in the semester—usually November or December.
- Research scholarships on AwardSpring and apply.
- Discuss potential aid with family.
- Determine if you can afford to go.
- When Jake asks you for the paperwork, you must fill it out and get it back to him to receive your financial aid.