e-Services
Financial Aid

Loan Request
Go to www.riverland.edu
Hover over My Riverland
Select E-Services Login
Enter your Star ID and Password to continue.
You are taken to the Home page where you log in

From the Left Side Menu Click on Financial Aid
Verify that you are viewing the correct Award Year and Semester. If needed you can change the semester by clicking on the Change Semester hyperlink.

Click on Loans in the Financial Aid sub-menu.
Prior to Federal Direct Loans being disbursed, required Entrance Counseling and a Master Promissory Note (MPN), need to be completed at www.studentaid.gov. If you haven’t completed these yet, you can still continue requesting your loans, but will need to complete them next.

Click on the Next button.
On the Loan Application page you can view your loan eligibility. You have the option to request the full loan eligibility amount or to accept a reduced amount.

To accept the full amount, leave the radio button selected and simply click on the Next button.

To enter a lesser amount, click on the radio button for 'Reduced loan amount for the loan period', then enter the amount you wish to request in the box. Click on the Next button to continue.

**NOTE:** The amount requested here will automatically be split half for Fall term, half for Spring term. There are some circumstances that allow this to be changed, please contact the Financial Aid Department for more information.
After you submit your request, you will receive a message that the loans are processing.

Remember that you **must complete** Entrance Counseling and a Master Promissory Note (MPN) at www.studentaid.gov, if you have doesn’t so already.
Thank you

For more information on Direct Loans, email darcy.drake-tapp@riverland.edu