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With FAFSA "Simplification", our school already has multiple items to get ready for 24-25. The added burden of reporting FWS - when our school handles FWS funds manually due to a lack of IT support - will probably exceed the estimated 200 hours. This also comes at a time when we are short-staffed and not being able to hire positions for which we previously had approval. The school is apparently limited in the number of full-time employees we can have per our state board. The two positions that had been approved for us were given to other departments, when we couldn't find any legitimate candidates for the salary that we were given. We're also dealing with another person leaving for higher pay elsewhere, and we need to re-hire that position. That being said, we all pitch in to cover the extra work, but something needs to give.