

## 2025-2026 Verification Worksheet Dependent Student

## **SECTION I – STUDENT IDENTIFICATION**

Please complete form in blue or black ink. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.

Your FAFSA application was selected for review in a process called "Verification", which is required under Federal Financial Aid Program rules. In this process we will be comparing information from your FAFSA, this form, and any data transferred from the Internal Revenue Service. Please carefully answer all questions and supply additional information if requested.

## **SECTION II – FAMILY INFORMATION**

Include in the household:

List yourself, your parent(s), and any other legal dependents, including other children/stepchildren living in your parent's household, for whom your parent(s) will provide more than half of the dependent's support from July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026. Also list the age, relationship and name of college each listed person will attend.

- INCLUDE YOURSELF AND YOUR PARENT(S) even if you don't live at home.
- INCLUDE your custodial parent's other children if they live at home and your parent(s) provide more than half of their support.
- DO NOT include foster children, parent or sibling's boyfriend, girlfriend, fiancée or roommate(s).
- DO NOT include your siblings over the age of 24 unless your parents can demonstrate that they provide more than 50% of their support. **Parent(s):**
- If your biological parents live together, even if they were never married, you must include information about both parents.
- If you parents are divorced or separated, your custodial parent is the parent that you lived with more during the past 12 months.
- If your custodial parent is remarried, you must include your stepparent's information.
   If your parent's situation is not described above and you are uncertain whose information should have been reported on the FAFSA, please contact the Financial Aid Office for clarification.

List the name, age, relationship and name of college each listed person will attend, if applicable.

LIST THE NAME OF EACH		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	NAME OF COLLEGE
Household Member (INCLUDING YOURSELF)	Age	Relationship to Student	(if enrolled at least ½ time between July 2025 -June 2026)
		Self	LSSU
		Parent	
		Parent/Stepparent	
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You must complete ALL boxes for each household member, including yourself.

SECTION III – PARENT TAX INFORMATION	SECTION IV – STUDENT TAX INFORMATION
I filed a 2023 Tax return  Used the Direct Data Exchange Tool on the FAFSA to transfer 2023 Federal Tax Information  Uchose not to use DDE on the FAFSA-  Attach a signed copy of your 2023 Tax  Return  I did not and was not required to file a 2023 Tax Return  Udid not earn income from work in 2023 I  earned income from work in 2023-Attach  copies of your 2023 W-2 Forms.	□ I filed a 2023 Tax return □ I used the Direct Data Exchange Tool on the FAFSA to transfer 2023 Federal Tax Information □ I chose not to use DDE on the FAFSA-Attach a signed copy of your 2023 Tax Return □ I did not and was not required to file a 2023 Tax Return □ I did not earn income from work in 2023. □ I earned income from work in 2023-Attach copies of your 2023 W-2 Forms.
	Tax Return for each of their returns, found at IRS.gov. **Special Tax, filed an amended return, filed a foreign tax return, orwere a victim stable documentation.
SECTION V— FEDERAL BENEFITS  Someone in my parent's household received the following  FOOD STAMPS (SNAP): If yes, indicate which year(s) benefits  SSI or Medicaid Free/Reduced School Lunch  SECTION VI-CHILD SUPPORT  My parent(s) received child support in 2023	Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) WIC  This section does not apply to me
RECEIVED CHILD SUPPORT COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:  Name(s) of child(ren) for whom support was	
received:	
Total amount of child support received in 2023: \$	
SECTION VII— CERTIFICATION  By signing this form, I certify that all of the above information is	WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.
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Parent (one parent must sign) Date	
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