



2008-2009 Independent Verification Worksheet

Your application was selected for a process called Verification. In this process, the Financial Aid Office is required to verify the information you provided on your financial aid application (FAFSA). The Financial Aid Office will compare information on this worksheet and any supporting documents with the information you submitted on your application. If there are differences between your application and the documents you provided, corrections may need to be submitted. **Any required corrections may delay the processing of your financial aid award.**

What you should do:

- Complete and sign this verification worksheet.
- Submit this worksheet, signed copies of your and your spouse's (if you are married) 2007 Federal tax return, W-2 forms, and other income verification for income received in 2007 to the Financial Aid Office.
- Complete this process as soon as possible so that your financial aid won't be delayed.

A. Student Information

Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Social Security Number
Mailing Address			Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code	Phone Number (include area code)

B. Family Information

1. List the people in your household, include:

- yourself, and your spouse (if you are married), and
- your children, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009, and
- other people **only** if they now live with you, and you provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009.

Write the name of all household members (include yourself) in the spaces below. Also write in the name of the college for any household member, who will be attending college at least half-time between July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009, and will be enrolled in a degree, diploma, or certificate program. If you need more space, attach a separate page.

Full Name	Age	Relationship	College Attending
		<i>Self</i>	

2. Will you be living at home with parents or off campus? With Parents Off Campus

C. Low Income Information (all applicants)

If your and your spouse's (if you are married) total income for 2007 was less than \$8,750 please explain how you and your family met living expenses in 2007. Explain how you provided for your housing expenses, utilities, food, clothing, etc.

D. Tax Forms and Income Information (Student and Spouse)

1. Complete the student and spouse's (if you are married) income information below.

STUDENT		SPOUSE	
Did you file a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return? I filed a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return. Attach a signed copy of the tax return and W-2 form(s). I did not file and am not required to file a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return. List below any income you received in 2007. Attach a copy of your 2007 W-2 form(s).		Did your spouse file a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return? My spouse filed a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return. Attach a signed copy of their tax return and W-2 form(s). My spouse did not file and is not required to file a 2007 Federal Income Tax Return. List below any income they received in 2007. Attach a copy of their 2007 W-2 form(s).	
NAME OF EMPLOYER	Total Amount	NAME OF EMPLOYER	Total Amount

2. Both tax filers and non-tax filers must report all untaxed income received in 2007 below. List annual amounts.

STUDENT	FAFSA WORKSHEET A	SPOUSE
\$	Welfare benefits, including Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). Don't include food stamps or subsidized housing.	\$
\$	Social Security benefits received, for all household members as reported in question 90 (or 66 for your parents), that were not taxed (such as SSI). <i>Report benefits paid to parents in the Parents column, and benefits paid directly to student (or spouse) in the Student/Spouse column.</i>	\$
STUDENT	FAFSA WORKSHEET B	SPOUSE
\$	Payments to tax-deferred pension and savings plans (paid directly or withheld from earnings), including, but not limited to, amounts reported on the W-2 Form in Boxes 12a through 12d, codes D, E, F, G, H and S.	\$
\$	Child support received for all children. Don't include foster care or adoption payments.	\$
\$	Housing, food, and other living allowances paid to members of the military, clergy and others (including cash payments and cash value of benefits).	\$
\$	Veterans non-education benefits such as Disability, Death Pension, or Dependency & Indemnity Compensation (DIC), and/or VA Educational Work-Study allowances.	\$
\$	Other untaxed income not reported elsewhere on Worksheets A and B, such as worker's compensation, untaxed portions of railroad retirement benefits, Black Lung Benefits, disability, etc. Tax filers only: report combat pay not included in AGI (FAFSA questions 35 and 79). Don't include student aid, Workforce Investment Act educational benefits, combat pay if you are not a tax filer, or benefits from flexible spending arrangements (e.g. cafeteria plan).	\$
\$	Money received, or paid on your behalf (e.g., bills) not reported elsewhere on this form.	XXXXXXX
STUDENT	FAFSA WORKSHEET C	SPOUSE
\$	Child support paid because of divorce or separation or as a result of a legal requirement. Don't include support for children in your (or your parent's) household, as reported in question 90 (or question 66 for parents).	\$
\$	Taxable earnings from need-based employment programs, such as Federal Work-Study and need-based employment portions of fellowships and assistantships.	\$

F. Sign this Worksheet

By signing this worksheet, we certify that all the information reported to qualify for federal student aid is complete and correct. If married, spouse's signature is optional.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail or both.

Student _____

Date _____

Spouse _____

Date _____