



# 2015-2016 V6 Verification Form

The Department of Education has selected your FAFSA for a review process called *verification*. In this process, the Office of Financial Aid will be comparing information from your FAFSA with this worksheet and your IRS Data. Federal regulations require colleges to ask for this information before disbursing federal aid. If there are differences between your application and the documents you provide, your FAFSA information will need to be corrected by your Financial Aid Administrator. **Please read all instructions carefully before completing this form to avoid delaying your financial aid awards.**

### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Make sure to check your Missing Information Checklist on the InSite Portal.
2. Complete all required sections of this worksheet and provide all required documentation and signatures. In order to complete your financial aid file, you may be required to provide additional documentation in addition to this verification worksheet.

### SECTION A: STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name	First Name	Student ID Number
Address (include apt. no.)		Date of Birth ( <u>    </u> / <u>    </u> / <u>    </u> )
City	State	Phone Number (include area code)

### SECTION B: FAMILY INFORMATION

List the people in your household. Use a separate sheet of paper if there are more than 6 people in your household.

- IF YOU ARE A DEPENDENT STUDENT, INCLUDE:**
- ✓ Yourself (even if you are not currently living with your parents).
  - ✓ Your parent(s), including stepparent.
  - ✓ Your parents' other children, **IF** your parents will provide more than half of their financial support from 07/01/15 through 06/30/16 (even if they are not currently living with your parents).
  - ✓ Other people, **IF** they now live with your parents and your parents will provide more than half of their financial support from 07/01/15 through 06/30/16.

- IF YOU ARE AN INDEPENDENT STUDENT, INCLUDE:**
- ✓ Yourself.
  - ✓ Your spouse, if married.
  - ✓ Your children, **IF** you will provide more than half of their financial support from 07/01/15 through 06/30/16.
  - ✓ Other people, **IF** they now live with you and you will provide more than half of their financial support from 07/01/15 through 06/30/16.

FULL NAME	AGE	RELATIONSHIP (to student)	COLLEGE NAME (if currently enrolled)	Will be Enrolled at Least 6 units (yes or no)
1.		SELF (Student)		
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				

### SECTION C: STUDENT'S/SPOUSE'S (IF MARRIED) INCOME INFORMATION (all applicants)

PLEASE CHECK ONE APPROPRIATE BOX BELOW:

- Check here if the student filed taxes in 2014 and **used the IRS DATA Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web.**
- Check here if the student filed taxes in 2014 but ***did not to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool* in FAFSA on the Web.** You are required to provide a copy of your **2014 IRS TAX RETURN TRANSCRIPT**. Please note, 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ forms or account transcripts are no longer accepted as proof of tax filing. Only 2014 IRS Tax Return Transcripts are accepted. Copies are available for printing online at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or call 1-800-908-9946 to request a copy via mail.
- Check here if the student **did not file and is not required to file taxes in 2014.** If you did not file taxes in 2014, please complete the student portion of **SECTION E-1: INCOME CERTIFICATION** on the next page. If the student was employed anytime in 2014, please attach a copy of the all **2014 W2** forms even if the student was not required to file taxes in 2014.

**SECTION D: PARENT'S INCOME INFORMATION** (for DEPENDENT students only)

PLEASE CHECK ONE APPROPRIATE BOX BELOW:

- Check here if the student's parent(s) filed taxes in 2014 and used the IRS DATA Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web.
- Check here if the student's parent(s) filed taxes in 2014 but did not to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web. The student's parent(s) is required to provide a copy of their **2014 IRS TAX RETURN TRANSCRIPT**. Please note, 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ forms or account transcripts are no longer accepted as proof of tax filing. Only 2014 IRS Tax Return Transcripts are accepted. Copies are available for printing online at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or call 1-800-908-9946 to request a copy via mail.
- Check here if the student's parent(s) did not file and is not required to file taxes in 2014. If the student's parent(s) did not file taxes in 2014, please complete the parent portion of **SECTION E-1: INCOME CERTIFICATION** below. If the student's parent(s) was employed anytime in 2014, please attach a copy of the all **2014 W2** forms even if the student's parent(s) was not required to file taxes in 2014.

**SECTION E: INCOME CERTIFICATION**

**E-1: NON TAX FILERS:** If you/your spouse/your parent(s) had earnings from work but did not file an IRS Tax Return, you must attach ALL W2 forms as supporting documentation and list your income below. You must also report any earned income paid in cash.

	Employers/Sources of Income	Total income amount in 2014	Paid in Cash	W2 attached
Student's Income			YES/NO	YES/NO
Spouse's Income (if married)			YES/NO	YES/NO
Parent's Income (if dependent)			YES/NO	YES/NO

**E-2: LOW INCOME CERTIFICATION:** A review of your financial aid file has determined that your reported 2014 income on the FAFSA is insufficient to provide basic average living expenses (such as food, clothing, shelter and other necessities) for your household size. Unusually low income can sometimes indicate unreported financial resources. In order to continue with the application process for financial aid, please use the space below to provide a detailed explanation of how your household expenses were met in 2014. Please be specific about financial resources that are not yet reported anywhere else on your application (e.g., Section 8 housing, TANF/cash aid, disability benefits, social security income, alimony, child support received, worker's comp, financial aid, etc.). In addition, please specify if you received financial or in-kind support from friends or relatives (e.g., monetary gifts, borrowed money, free room and board, free meals, or if someone pays your bills on your behalf, etc.). **Attach a separate sheet if additional space is needed.**

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**SECTION F: FOOD STAMPS (SNAP) AND/OR CHILD SUPPORT INFORMATION**

- Check this box if one of the people included in your household on the FAFSA received benefits from the **Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program** or SNAP (formerly known as food stamps) anytime in 2014 or 2015.
- Check this box if someone in your household paid child support in 2014. Please complete the section below.

\*Note: Children listed below cannot be included in the household unless you are currently supporting them for 2015.  
(Provide written statement)

Name of Person Who Paid Child Support	Name of Person to Whom Child Support was Paid	Name of Child for Whom Support was Paid	The Age of the Child	Amount of Child Support Paid in 2014
				\$
				\$
				\$

**SECTION G: UNTAXED INCOME**

Based on the information provided on your FAFSA, it does not appear that the 2014 income reported is sufficient to provide financial support for the number of household members reported. Complete **ALL** sections below. If you were required to provide parent information on your FAFSA, answer the questions below as they apply to you and your parents and your parent must sign the form; if you were not required to provide parent information on your FAFSA, answer the questions below as they apply to yourself (and your spouse if you are married). **If any item does not apply, enter N/A or \$0. DO NOT LEAVE ANY SECTION BLANK.**

- **Payments to tax-deferred pension and retirement savings** - List any payments to plans, such as 401(k) or 403(b), including but not limited to amounts reported on W2 boxes 12a-12d codes D, E, F, G, H, and S.

Person who made the payment	Total amount paid in 2014
	\$
	\$

- **Housing, food and other living allowances paid to members of the military, clergy, and others** – List any payments and/or the cash value of benefits received by any family member that is military, clergy, etc. Do not include the value of on-base housing or basic allowance for housing for military.

Person who received the benefit	Type of benefit received	Total amount received in 2014
		\$
		\$

- **Veteran non-education benefits** – Include Disability, Death Pension, Dependency and Indemnity Compensation (DIC), and VA Educational Work-Study allowances.

Name of person who received benefit	Type of Veterans Non-Ed received	Total amount received in 2014
		\$
		\$

- **Child Support received** – List the actual amount of child support received for children in your household.

Who received the support payment	Child for whom payment was made	Total amount received in 2014
		\$
		\$

- **Other untaxed income** – List the type and amount of other income received that has not been reported elsewhere on this form. Include payments from worker’s compensation, disability, untaxed portions of health savings accounts, etc. Do not include financial aid, Earned Income Credit, Additional Child Tax Credit, TANF, Social Security Benefits, SSI, combat pay, etc.

Person who received income	Type of untaxed income received	Total amount received in 2014
		\$
		\$

- **Money received or paid on the student’s behalf** – List any other money received or paid on the student’s behalf that is not reported elsewhere on this form. For example, if someone is paying the student’s rent, utilities, bills, or gives the student cash, gift cards, etc., list the total amount that person paid, *unless the person is the student’s parent whose information is reported on the student’s FAFSA*. Also include any distributions to the student from a 529 plan owned by someone other than the student or student’s parents.

Name and relationship of person who gave the payment	Type of payment (cash, rent, utilities)	Total amount received in 2014
		\$
		\$

- **Additional Income Information** – List any other resources/benefits received by the student and any other members of the student’s household. This may include veteran’s education benefits, military housing, SNAP, TANF, WIC, etc.

Person who received resource/benefit	Type of resource/benefit	Total amount received in 2014

- **Explanation of Support** – In a few sentences below, explain how your family was financially supported in 2014. You should mention here if you received low-income or free housing/rent, reduced or free utilities, or utilized any other sources for basic living expenses.

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**SECTION H: SIGN THIS WORKSHEET**

By signing this form, I/we certify that all the information reported is complete and correct. **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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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Parent Signature (for Dependent Students only)

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Date