

Full Name

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Your 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. Federal regulations require that before awarding federal student aid, we ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA to verify that you provided correct information. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and other required documents to the financial aid administrator at your school.

SECTION 1a. 1b.									
Retrieval pro option, you i SCHEDULE	f you (and/or your spouse) filed, or were required to file , a U.S. Income Tax Return for 2018, to satisfy this requirement please use the IRS Data Retrieval process to electronically import your tax information into your FAFSA record. This can be done at www.studentaid.gov . If you cannot use this option, you must provide the institution with a signed copy of your (and your spouse's) 2018 U.S. Income Tax Return INCLUDING APPLICABLE SCHEDULES or an IRS Tax Return Transcript available either online at www.irs.gov or by calling 1-800-908-9946. Consult with a financial aid advisor at the institution for more guidance.								
earned durir	or your spouse) did not file, and were not r ng 2018 below, provide copies of W-2s or iis letter can be obtained by filing IRS form	explain why W-2s are not a	available, and you must sub						
IF YOU DID NOT WORK AND HAD NO EARNED INCOME IN 2018, CHECK THIS BOX AND PROCEED TO SECTION 2 IF YOUR SPOUSE, IF MARRIED, DID NOT WORK AND HAD NO EARNED INCOME IN 2018, CHECK THIS BOX AND PROCEED TO SECTION 2									
		2018 Amount	2018 Amount	You must include you					
	Employer's Name	Earned by Student	Earned by Spouse	Explain here if it is	not provided.				
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	Employer's Name	Earned by Student	Earned by Spouse	Explain here if it is	s not provided.				

Relationship

College at Which Enrolled at Least Half Time

Age



Spouse's Signature (Optional)

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VERIFICATION OF STUDENT'S HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION

You must provide one of the following documents as evidence of your high school completion status:

- A copy of your high school diploma.
- A copy of your final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A copy of the "secondary school leaving certificate" (or other similar document) for students who completed secondary education in a foreign country and are unable to obtain a copy of their high school diploma or transcript.
- A General Education Development (GED) Certificate or GED transcript.
- A state certificate or transcript indicating that the student passed a State authorized examination (HiSET, TASC, or other approved State authorized exam) that the State recognizes as the equivalent of a high school diploma.
- An academic transcript indicating that you have successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- If State law requires a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- If State law does not require a homeschooled student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript or the equivalent, signed by the student's parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and documents the successful completion of a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

VERIFICATION OF IDENTITY AND CERTIFICATION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

You must appear in person at the institution to verify your identity by presenting valid, government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. The institution will maintain a copy of the student's photo ID that is annotated with the date it was received and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student's ID.

(If you are unable to appear in person, this document must be notarized)

In addition, you mus	t sign, in the presence of the instituti	onal official, the followin	g Statement of Educational Purpose:			
I certify that I _ the	Print Student's Name	am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that Print Student's Name				
Federal student	financial assistance I may receive wi	ill only be used for educa	ational purposes and to pay the cost o	f attending		
Name of P	ostsecondary Educational Institution	for 2020-2021.				
Student's Signa	ture	//	School Official Witness Signature	/ Date		
Student's Docur	ment ID Number					
			ity. This is typically the ID number on the identification document with a valid expirat			
CERTIFICATION Each person signing b	& SIGNATURE elow certifies that all of the information re	eported on this worksheet is	s complete and correct.			
Student's Signature		/ 	false or mislea this worksheet	you purposely give ding information on sy you may be fined, rison, or both.		