

2023-2024 <u>INDEPENDENT</u> VERIFICATION WORKSHEET

Your 2023–2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process, allowed by law, called verification. Your financial aid administrator will compare information on this worksheet and any supporting documents with the information you submitted on your FAFSA application. Any differences must be corrected on your FAFSA. You and your spouse (if applicable) must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit documents to the financial aid office at your school. If you have questions about verification, contact your financial aid office. **Please read all instructions on this form carefully, errors may delay its processing.**

| A. Student Inform | nation | | | |
|-------------------|------------|----------|------------------------|--|
| LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | MI | SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER | |
| ADDRESS | | | DATE OF BIRTH | |
| CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | PHONE NUMBER | |
| B. Family Informa | ution | | | |

List below the people in your household. Include:

- Yourself and your spouse, if married.
- Your children, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024 or if the child would be required to provide your information if they were completing a 2023-2024 FAFSA. Include children who meet either of these standards, even if they do not live with you.
- Other people 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 through June 30, 2024.
- Include the name of the college for any household member who will be enrolled at least half-time in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at a postsecondary educational institution any time between July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2024.

| Full Name | Age | Relationship | College | Will be Enrolled at Least Half Time? | Do You Provide More Than Half of Their Support? |
|-----------|-----|--------------|--------------------|---|--|
| | | Self | Chapman University | Yes - No - | |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |
| | | | | Yes - No - | Yes - No - |

Obtaining Verified Tax Information

For academic year 2023-2024, your 2021 taxes must be verified. The preferred method to verify income is by using the **IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT)** on your FAFSA at **studentaid.gov**. Most students will be eligible to use the DRT. If not, here are additional options:

A 2021 Tax Return Transcript may be obtained through:

- Online Request Go to www.irs.gov/transcript. Click "Get Transcript Online" or "Get Transcript by Mail".
- Telephone Request 1-800-908-9946.
- Paper Request IRS Form 4506-T. Check box #6a. Form must be sent to the IRS directly.

Verification of Non-Filing may be obtained through:

- Online Request Go to www.irs.gov/transcript. Click "Get Transcript Online".
- Paper Request IRS Form 4506-T. Check box #7. Form must be sent to the IRS directly.

Amended Tax Returns: If you or your spouse filed an amended 2021 tax return, submit a signed copy of the 1040X form in addition to the 2021 tax return transcript.

Foreign Tax Returns: Submit a signed copy of the 2021 income tax return that was filed with the relevant tax authority. Include USD translation.

| C. STUDENT Income Information — check the box that applies: | | | | | | |
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| | I have uploaded 2021 tax information via the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA. | | | | | |
| | | I have attached the 2021 IRS Tax Return Transcript. | | | | |
| | I earned wages in 2021 but was not required to file taxes. I have indicated how much I earned in the section below, attached my W-2s, and attached a "Verification of Non-Filing" letter from the IRS. | | | | | |
| | I did not earn wages in 2021 and was not required to file taxes. I have indicated zero earnings in the section below and attached a "Verification of Non-Filing" letter from the IRS. | | | | | |
| Student wo | ages earned from work (only complete if st | rudent DID NOT file taxes). | | | | |
| | Employer's | Name | Amount Earned | | | |
| | | | \$ | | | |
| | | | \$ | | | |
| D. SPOU | ISE Income Information – check t | he box that applies: | | | | |
| | I have uploaded 2021 tax information via | the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the | FAFSA. | | | |
| | I have attached the 2021 IRS Tax Return Transcript. | | | | | |
| | I earned wages in 2021 but was not required to file taxes. I have indicated how much I earned in the section below attached my W-2s, and attached a "Verification of Non-Filing" letter from the IRS. | | | | | |
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| pouse wo | ages earned from work (only complete if sp | oouse DID NOT file taxes). | | | | |
| | Employer's | Name | Amount Earned | | | |
| | | | \$ | | | |
| | | | \$ | | | |
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| E. Sign t | his Worksheet | | | | | |
| Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all nformation reported on it is complete and correct. | | or its accompanying eligibility, repayment o | WARNING: Providing false or misleading information on this form or its accompanying documentation may result in a loss of eligibility, repayment of aid, a referral to the university's conduct board and/or the federal Office of the Inspector General. | | | |
| STUDENT SI | IGNATURE | STUDENT ID NUMBER | DATE | | | |