

2021-2022 Verification Worksheet Independent Student

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Your 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information the financial aid administrator at your school will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. 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. Your school may ask for additional information. If you have questions about verification, contact your financial aid administrator as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

A. Independent Student's Information

Name	Last	First	M.I.	Student's Identification Number
Student's Street Address (include apt. #)				Student's Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Email Address	
Student's Home Phone Number (include area code)				Student's Alternate or Cell Phone Number

B. Independent Student's Family Information

List below the people in your household. Include:

- Yourself
- Your spouse, if you are married.
- Your children, if any, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022, or if the child would be required to provide your information if they were completing a FAFSA for 2021-2022. 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, 2022.

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 an eligible post secondary educational institution any time between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022.

FULL NAME	AGE	RELATIONSHIP	COLLEGE	Will be Enrolled at Least Half time (Yes or No)
		<i>SELF</i>	<i>Iowa Lakes Community College</i>	

NOTE: We may require additional documentation if we have reason to believe that the information regarding the household members enrolled in eligible postsecondary educational institutions is inaccurate.

C. Independent Student’s Income Information to be Verified

1. TAX RETURN FILERS - Important Note: The instructions below apply to the student and spouse, if the student is married. Notify the financial aid office if the student or spouse filed separate IRS income tax returns for 2019 or had a change in marital status after December 31, 2019.

Check the box that applies:

- The student has used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA.
- The student is unable or chooses not to use the IRS DRT in *FAFSA on the Web*, and instead will submit to the school a **2019 IRS Tax Return Transcript** – not a photocopy of the income tax return. IRS Tax Return Transcripts are obtained by either 1) retrieving online, 2) ordering online, or 3) calling 1-800-908-9946 to order. If retrieving or ordering online, go to www.irs.gov. Under The tools column, click “Get Transcript for My Records”. Select either Get Transcript Online or Get Transcript by Mail. If you select online, follow the instructions to create an account to retrieve your **2019 Tax Return Transcript**. If you order it to be sent by mail, make sure you order the **2019 Tax Return Transcript**. *You will need your Social Security Number, date of birth, and the address on file with the IRS (normally this will be the address used when the 2019 IRS tax return was filed).*

_____ Check here if a **2019 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)** is provided.

_____ Check here if a **2019 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)** will be provided later.

2. TAX RETURN NONFILERS

- The student was not employed and had no income earned from work in 2019.
- The student was employed in 2019 but will not file and am not required to file a 2019 U.S. Income Tax Return.

List below your employer(s) and the amount earned from each employer in 2019. List every employer even if the employer did not issue an IRS W-2 form. **PROVIDE COPIES OF ALL 2019 W-2 OR OTHER EARNING STATEMENTS.**

Employer’s Name	2019 Amount Earned	IRS W-2 Provided?
<i>Suzy’s Auto Body Shop (example)</i>	<i>\$2,000.00</i>	<i>Yes</i>

Provide documentation from the IRS dated on or after October 1, 2019, that indicates a 2019 IRS income tax return was not filed with the IRS. If the student is married, and your spouse did not file a 2019 IRS income tax return, your spouse will also need to provide a confirmation of nonfiling.

- Check here if confirmation of non-filing is provided.
- Check here if confirmation of non-filing will be provided later. Go to www.irs.gov

D. Certification and Signatures

Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all of the information reported on it is complete and correct. The student must sign and date this worksheet. If married, the spouse’s signature is optional.

Student’s Signature

Date

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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