

Your 2026-2027 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. Before awarding financial aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you and your parents reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information the financial aid administrator will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents.

**You will not receive a financial aid offer until verification is completed.**

## A: Student Information

_____ Last Name	_____ First Name	_____ MI	_____ Date of Birth	_____ Student ID#
_____ Address			_____ Email Address (BSC or NDUS email)	
_____ City	_____ State	_____ Zip	_____ Phone Number	

## B: Family Size Information

Family size includes the following:

- The student
- The student's parents, even if the student is not living with them. Exclude a parent who has died or is not living in the household because of separation or divorce. Include a parent who is on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces apart from the family.
- The student's siblings if the following are true:
  - They live with the student's parents (or live apart because of college enrollment),
  - They receive more than half of their support from the student's parents, and
  - They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student's parents during the award year.
- Other persons if the following are true:
  - They live with the student's parents,
  - They receive more than half of their support from the student's parents, and
  - They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student's parents during the award year.

The provided criteria for "dependent children" or "other persons" align with the requirements that family size align with whom the parent could claim as a dependent on a U.S. tax return if the parent were to file a U.S. tax return at the time of completing the 2026-2027 FAFSA. As a result, the parent should NOT include any unborn children in the family size.

*Provide names of the members included in family size on chart below.*

Full Name	Age	Relationship
		Self (Student)

**\*\*If more space is needed, please write information on the back of this form**

## C. Student 2024 Tax Information

Federal student aid now requires consent be given by student to approve the sharing of federal tax information from the IRS to the FAFSA form. If 2024 income tax information was not available via FA-DDX to link 2024 tax information to FAFSA, you (the student) will need to provide signed copy of 2024 income tax return and all applicable schedules.

**1. Did you (the student) file a 2024 Federal Tax Return with the IRS?**

- Yes. Consent was provided and the FA-DDX pulled over Federal Tax Information.
- Yes. Consent was provided, but I manually entered tax information on the FASFA application.  
*Provide signed copy of 2024 Federal Tax Return and ALL applicable schedules.*
- No, I did not, will not, and was not required to file a 2024 income tax return with the IRS.

*Complete question 2*

**2. Tax Return Non-Filer – Complete this section if you (the student) will not file and are not required to file a 2024 income tax return with the IRS.**

- I was not employed and had no income earned from work in 2024.
- I was employed in 2024, but I am not required to file 2024 income tax return.

*(Complete form below and attach all W-2's).*

Employer(s) Name <small>(Attach another sheet if additional space is needed)</small>	Amount Earned 2024

2024 Federal Income Tax Filing Requirements	
For most people, a tax return must be filed with the IRS if their 2024 income was at least:	
<b>Single</b>	<b>\$14,600 Gross Income</b>
<b>Married – filing joint return</b>	<b>\$29,200 Gross Income</b>
<b>Married – filing separately</b>	<b>\$5 Gross Income</b>
<b>Head of Household</b>	<b>\$21,900 Gross Income</b>
<b>Qualifying Surviving Spouse</b>	<b>\$29,200 Gross Income</b>
Tax filing requirements may be found in the IRS Form 1040 instruction book. The amounts listed are for individuals under the age of 65. See <a href="http://www.irs.gov">www.irs.gov</a> for additional information	

## D. Parent(s) 2024 Tax Information

Federal student aid now requires consent be given by **Parents (biological, adaptive and stepparent)** to approve the sharing of federal tax information from the IRS to the FAFSA form. If parents filed separate 2024 IRS tax return, both parents must provide consent and approval to share and import income tax information. If 2024 income tax information was not available via FA-DDX to link 2024 tax information to FAFSA, parents will need to provide signed copies of 2024 income tax return and all applicable schedules.

**1. Did parent(s) file a 2024 Federal Tax Return?**

- Yes, Consent was provided and the FA-DDX pulled Federal Tax Information
- Yes. Consent was provided, but parent(s) manually entered tax information on the FAFSA application.  
*Provide signed copy of 2024 Federal Tax Return and ALL applicable schedules.*
- No, parent (s) did not, will not, and was not required to file a 2024 income tax return with the IRS.  
*Complete question 2*

**2. Tax Return Non-Filer(s) – Complete this section if Parent or Parents will not file and are not required to file a 2024 income tax return with the IRS.**

- Parent(s) was not employed and had no income earned from work in 2024.
- Parent(s) was employed in 2024, but I am not required to file 2024 income tax return **(complete form below and attach all W-2's)**.

Employer(s) Name <small>(Attach another sheet if additional space is needed)</small>	Amount Earned 2024

## E: Signatures:

*Each person signing below certify that all the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct.*

***Requires physical signatures. Unsigned forms or those with digital /electronic/typed signatures will be returned.***

Student Signature:	Date:
Parent 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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