



HOUSEHOLD SIZE
INDEPENDENT VERIFICATION FORM
2020-2021

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Your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for a process called verification. The law states 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, we will compare your FAFSA with the information on this verification form. If there are differences, your FAFSA information will be corrected electronically. We may ask for additional information. If you have questions about verification, please contact us.

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT ID \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT CELLPHONE NUMBER ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

List below the people in the student's household who meet the following criteria. Include:

- Your spouse, if married. Consistent with the Supreme Court decision holding Section 3 of the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA) unconstitutional, same-sex couples must report their marital status as married if they were legally married in a state or other jurisdiction (foreign country) that permits same-sex marriage, without regard to where the couple resides.
Your children, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021 and,
Other people only 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 from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.
Include, in the designated space, the name of the college of any household member who is, or will be, enrolled at least half time in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at an eligible postsecondary educational institution any time between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021.

Table with 5 columns: Full Name, Date of Birth, Relationship to student, Name of College/University (attending between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021), Will be enrolled at least half time? (YES/NO)

If you need more space, continue the list on the back of this page.

The student signing this form certifies that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. The student must sign and date. If you purposely give false or misleading information on this form, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

All documentation requested must be received and reviewed before your financial aid can be finalized and disbursed. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact the Financial Aid Office.