



2009-2010 Verification Worksheet

Independent

Federal Student Aid Programs

Your application was selected for review in a process called "Verification". In this process, we will be comparing information from your application with signed copies of your 2008 Federal Income Tax forms and with W-2 forms or other financial documents. The law says we have the right to ask you for this information before awarding Federal aid. If there are differences between your application information and your financial documents, we may need to make corrections electronically.

A. Student Information

_____			E _____
Last name			EIU ID Number
_____	_____	MI	_____
First Name			Social Security Number
Address (include apt. no)			_____
_____			Date of Birth
_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Phone number (include area code)

B. Family Information

List the people in your household. Include:

- Yourself, and your spouse if you have one, and
- your children, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, and
- 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 from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

Write the names of all household members in the space(s) below. Also write in the name of the college for any household member who will be attending college at least half time between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010, and will be enrolled in a degree, diploma or certificate program. If you need more space, attach a separate page.

Full Name	Age	Relationship	College
		Self	EIU

C. Student's Tax Forms and Income Information (all applicants) Independent

1. Check only one box below. Tax returns include the 2008 IRS Form 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, a tax return from Puerto Rico or a foreign income tax return. If you did not keep a copy of your tax return, request a copy from your tax preparer or request an Internal Revenue Service line-by-line form that lists tax account information.
 - Check here if you are attaching a signed copy of your tax return.
 - Check and complete – a signed tax return will be submitted to the school by _____ (date).
 - Check here if you will not file and are not required to file a 2008 U.S. Income Tax Return.

2. Funds received for child support and other untaxed income. (See Student's Untaxed Income on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.) (a., b., and c., are listed with untaxed income examples. If your household receives other types of untaxed income, please write in the source and the amount in d.) **PLEASE ENTER "0" IF NON-APPLICABLE.**

Sources of Untaxed Income	2008 Amount	Source of Untaxed Income	2008 Amount
a. Child Support	\$	c. VA Non-Education benefits	\$
b. Military/Clergy Allowance	\$	d. Other Untaxed Income	\$

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3. If you did not file and are not required to file a 2008 Federal Income Tax Return, list below your employer(s) and any income received in 2008 (use the W-2 form or other earnings statements if available) **IF NO INCOME RECEIVED OR NOT EMPLOYED, ENTER "0" OR THIS FORM WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU.**

Sources	2008 Amount
	\$
	\$

4. Report any additional financial information received during the calendar year from January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008. **PLEASE ENTER "0" IF NON-APPLICABLE.**

Income Exclusion	2008 Amount
Child Support YOU PAID because of divorce or separation or as a result of a legal requirement. Do not include support received for children in your household, as reported in question 96 on the FAFSA.	\$
Taxable earnings from Federal Work Study or other need-based work programs, fellowships and assistantships.	\$
Student grant and scholarship aid, including AmeriCorps awards, which was REPORTED TO THE IRS IN YOUR ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME.	\$
Combat Pay or special Combat Pay. Only enter the amount that was taxable and included in you adjusted gross income. Do not include untaxed Combat Pay that is reported on the W-2 in Box 12, Code Q.	\$

D. Spouse's Tax Forms and Income Information

1. Check only one box below. Tax returns include the 2008 IRS Form 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, a tax return from Puerto Rico or a foreign income tax return. If your spouse did not keep a copy of the tax return, request a copy from the tax preparer or request an Internal Revenue Service line-by line form that lists tax account information.

- Check if you and your spouse did or will file a joint return.
- Check and attach spouse's signed tax return if your spouse filed a separate return.
- Check and complete – a signed spouse's tax return will be submitted to the school by _____ (date).
- Check if your spouse will not file and is not required to file a 2008 U.S. Income Tax Return.

2. Funds received for child support and other untaxed income. (See Student's Untaxed Income on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.) (a., b., and c., are listed with untaxed income examples. If your household receives other types of untaxed income, please write in the source and the amount in d.) **PLEASE ENTER "0" IF NON-APPLICABLE.**

Sources of Untaxed Income	2008 Amount	Source of Untaxed Income	2008 Amount
a. Child Support	\$	c. VA Non-Education Benefits	\$
b. Military/Clergy Allowance	\$	d. Other Untaxed Income	\$

3. If your spouse did not file and is not required to file a 2008 Federal Income Tax return, list below your spouse's employer(s) and any income received in 2008 (use the W-2 form or other earnings statements if available.) **IF NO INCOME RECEIVED OR NOT EMPLOYED, ENTER "0" OR THIS FORM WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU.**

Sources	2008 Amount
	\$
	\$

4. Report any additional financial information received during the calendar year from January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008. **PLEASE ENTER "0" IF NON-APPLICABLE.**

Income Exclusion	2008 Amount
Child Support YOU PAID because of divorce or separation or as a result of a legal requirement.	\$
Taxable earnings from Federal Work Study or other need-based work programs, fellowships and assistantships.	\$
Student grant and scholarship and, including AmeriCorps awards, which was REPORTED TO THE IRS IN YOUR ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME.	\$
Combat Pay or special Combat Pay. Only enter the amount that was taxable and included in your adjusted gross income. Do not include untaxed Combat Pay that is reported on the W-2 in Box 12, Code Q.	\$

E. SIGN THIS WORKSHEET

By signing this worksheet, I (we) certify that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. If married, spouse's signature is optional.

Student Date

Spouse Date

WARNING
If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.