



VERIFICATION

Verifying FAFSA Information

A student applying for Financial Aid may be required to verify the information submitted on their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This inquiry is known as Verification and is required by the Department of Education. If a student's application is selected for verification, the school will require the student to submit any or several of the following items within a specified time frame in order to continue processing Financial Aid:

- Adjusted gross income (AGI) for the base year
- U.S. income taxes paid for the base year
- Number of family members in the household
- Number of family members attending post-secondary education as at least half-time students
- Any child support received
- Any food stamps received
- Other untaxed income and benefits

Student will receive a Notification from the Financial Aid Office once they are selected for Verification.

All the required information is included on the notification letter and must be submitted by the due date (typically within 20 days from the date of the notification) for the student applying for Financial Aid to be eligible for federal assistance. In cases where this is not possible, the student will be required to pay cash or set up a satisfactory payment arrangement to maintain their regular enrollment status.

Verification Worksheet of the existing year is provided to student and must be submitted by the deadline.

This worksheet is available at the Financial Aid Office.