

2025-2026 Independent Student Non-Filing Worksheet

Your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for a process called verification. Before we can determine your financial aid, we are required to collect the following information to verify the accuracy of the information reported on your FAFSA.

*This form should **ONLY** be completed if you (the student) or your spouse (if married) **did not file** and **were not required to file a 2023 income tax return with the IRS.***

Section A: Student Information

Last Name	First Name	MI	Christopher Newport Student ID #
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Section B: Verification of 2023 Earnings, Other Income, and Resources

Check the applicable box(es) below to certify:

I did not and was not required to file a 2023 income tax return.

My spouse (if married) did not and was not required to file a 2023 income tax return.

Check the boxes that apply:

I was not employed, had no income earned from work, and had no income from other sources in 2023.

My spouse (if married) was not employed, had no income earned from work, and had no income from other sources in 2023.

I and/or my spouse (if married), earned income in 2023, and were not required to file a 2023 tax return. List below all employers, whether an IRS W-2 form or an equivalent document is provided, and income earned. List every employer even if the employer did not issue a W-2 form. **The student and/or their spouse (if married) must also provide copies of all 2023 W-2 forms issued to them by their employers.**

Employer's Name	Student or Spouse	IRS W-2 or an Equivalent Document Provided?	Annual Amount Earned in 2023
<i>(Example) ABC's Auto Body Shop</i>	<i>Student</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>\$4,500.00</i>
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
Total Amount of Income Earned from Work			\$

I and/or my spouse (if married), earned income from other sources in 2023. List below all sources and amounts of earnings, other income, and resources that supported the student and/or spouse for the 2023 tax year.

Source of Earnings, Other Income, and Resources	Annual Amount Earned in 2023
<i>(Example) Rental Property</i>	<i>\$4,500.00</i>
	\$
	\$
	\$
Total Amount of Earnings, Other Income, and Resources	\$

Section D: Signature (must be a written signature, not electronic)

The person(s) signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct. The student whose information was reported on the FAFSA must sign and date.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Spouse Signature: _____

Date: _____