



2019-20 INDEPENDENT VERIFICATION WORKSHEET TRACKING GROUP V5 - AGGREGATE

Your 2019–2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. To verify that you provided correct information, we will compare your FAFSA with the information on this verification document and other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information will be corrected in this process. You and a parent whose information was reported on the FAFSA must complete and sign this verification document, attach any required documents, and submit the form and other required documents to us. We may ask for additional information. If you have any questions about verification, contact us as soon as possible in order to avoid delays with processing of your financial aid.

I. Student Information

Student's Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Student's Social Security Number
Student's Street Address (include apt. no.)			Student's Date of Birth
City State Zip Code			Student's Email Address
Student's Home Phone Number (include area code)			Student's Alternate or Cell Phone Number

II. Number of Household Members and Number in College

List below the people in the student's household. Include:

- The student.
- The student's spouse, if the student is married.
- The student's or spouse's children if the student or spouse will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020, even if the children do not live with the student.
- Other people if they now live with the student and the student or spouse provides more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support through June 30, 2020.

For any household member who 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, 2019 and June 30, 2020, include the name of the college.

If more space is needed, provide a separate page with the student's name and ID number at the top.

Full Name	Age	Relationship	College	Will be Enrolled at Least Half Time (Yes or No)
		<i>Self</i>		

Note: We may require additional documentation if we have reason to believe that the information regarding the household members enrolled in eligible postsecondary educational institutions is inaccurate.

Student's Last Name First Name M.I. Student's ID Number

III. Student Tax Filers (Non-filers skip to Section IV) - Check the box that applies:

Important Note: The instructions below apply to the student and spouse, if the student is married. Notify the financial aid office if the student or spouse filed separate IRS income tax returns for 2017 or had a change in marital status after December 31, 2017.

Instructions: Complete this section if the student and spouse filed or will file a 2017 IRS income tax return(s). *The best way to verify income is by using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (IRS DRT) that is part of FAFSA on the Web at FAFSA.gov.* In most cases, no further documentation is needed to verify 2016 income information that was transferred into the student's FAFSA using the IRS DRT if that information was not changed by the FAFSA filer.

Check the box that applies:

- The student has used the IRS DRT in *FAFSA on the Web* to transfer 2017 IRS income tax return information into the student's FAFSA.
- The student has not yet used the IRS DRT in *FAFSA on the Web*, but will use the tool to transfer 2017 IRS income tax return information into the student's FAFSA.
- The student is unable or chooses not to use the IRS DRT in *FAFSA on the Web*, and instead will provide the school with a **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)**.

A **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript** may be obtained through:

- Get Transcript by MAIL – Go to www.irs.gov, under the Tools heading, click "Get a tax transcript." Click "Get Transcript by MAIL." Make sure to request the "IRS Tax Return Transcript" and **NOT** the "IRS Tax Account Transcript." The transcript is generally received within 10 business days from the IRS's receipt of the online request.
- Get Transcript ONLINE – Go to www.irs.gov, under the Tools heading, click "Get a tax transcript." Click "Get Transcript ONLINE." Make sure to request the "IRS Tax Return Transcript" and **NOT** the "IRS Tax Account Transcript." To use the Get Transcript Online tool, the user must have (1) access to a valid email address, (2) a text-enabled mobile phone (pay-as-you-go plans cannot be used) in the user's name, and (3) specific financial account numbers (such as a credit card number or an account number for a home mortgage or auto loan). The transcript displays online upon successful completion of the IRS's two-step authentication.
- Automated Telephone Request – 1-800-908-9946. Transcript is generally received within 10 business days from the IRS's receipt of the telephone request.
- Paper Request Form – IRS Form 4506T-EZ or IRS Form 4506-T. The transcript is generally received within 10 business days from the IRS's receipt of the paper request form.

If the student and spouse filed separate 2016 IRS income tax returns, the IRS DRT cannot be used and the **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)** must be provided for each.

- _____ Check here if a **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)** is provided.
- _____ Check here if a **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s)** will be provided later.



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IV. Student Non-Tax Filers - Check the box that applies:

The instructions and certifications below apply to the student and spouse, if the student is married. Complete this section if the student and spouse will not file and are not required to file a 2017 income tax return with the IRS.

Check the box that applies:

- The student and spouse were not employed and had no income earned from work in 2017.
- The student and/or spouse were employed in 2017 and have listed below the names of all employers, the amount earned from each employer in 2017, and whether an IRS W-2 form or an equivalent document is provided. [Provide copies of all 2017 IRS W-2 forms issued to the student and spouse by their employers]. List every employer even if the employer did not issue an IRS W-2 form.

If more space is needed, provide a separate page with the student's name and ID number at the top.

Employer's Name	IRS W-2 or an Equivalent Document Provided?	Annual Amount Earned in 2017
<i>(Example) ABC's Auto Body Shop</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>\$4,500.00</i>
Total Amount of Income Earned From Work		\$

Provide documentation from the IRS or other relevant tax authority dated on or after October 1, 2018 that indicates a 2017 IRS income tax return was not filed with the IRS or other relevant tax authority.

- _____ Check here if confirmation of nonfiling is provided.
- _____ Check here if confirmation of nonfiling will be provided later.

V. High School Completion

Provide one of the following documents that indicate the student's high school completion status when the student will begin college in 2019–2020:

- A copy of the student's high school diploma.
- A copy of the student's final official high school transcript that shows the date when the diploma was awarded.
- A state certificate or transcript received by the student after the student passed a State authorized examination (GED test, HiSET, TASC, or other State authorized examination) that the State recognizes as the equivalent of a high school diploma.
- For students who completed secondary education in a foreign country, a copy of the "secondary school leaving certificate", or other similar document.
- An academic transcript that indicates the student successfully completed at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- (A) For a homeschooled student in a state where state law requires the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential: (B) For a homeschooled student in a state where state law does not require the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschool (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript of the equivalent, signed by the student's parents or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and includes a statement that the student successfully completed a secondary school education in a homeschooled setting.

If the student is unable to obtain the documentation listed above, he or she must contact the financial aid office.



Student's Last Name

First Name

M.I.

Student's ID Number

VI. Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

Please note that the student must complete EITHER #1 OR #2 below. #1 must be signed at the institution. #2 must be notarized.

1. Must Be Signed at the Institution

The student must appear in person at _____ to
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

verify his or her identity by presenting an unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. The institution will maintain a copy of the student's photo ID that is annotated with the date it was received and reviewed, and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student's ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing this
(Print Student's Name)

Statement of Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance

I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending

_____ for 2019–2020.
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

(Student's Signature)

(Date)

(Student's ID Number)

**COPY OF PHOTO ID MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM
TO THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE**



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2. Must Be Signed With Notary

If the student is unable to appear in person at (Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

- (a) A copy of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
(b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose, which is provided below, must be notarized. If the notary statement appears to be on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending for 2019-2020.

(Student's Signature) (Date)

(Student's ID Number)

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of City/County of On, before me, personally appeared, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal (seal) (Notary signature)

My commission expires on (Date)

COPY OF PHOTO ID MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS FORM TO THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE



Student's Last Name

First Name

M.I.

Student's ID Number

VII. Certifications and Signatures

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

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

Print Student's Name

Student's ID Number

Student's Signature

Date

Submit verification documents to the applicable campus location.

Macon Campus:

**Financial Aid Office
Central Georgia Technical College
3300 Macon Tech Drive
Macon, GA 31206**

Warner Robins Campus:

**Financial Aid Office
Central Georgia Technical College
80 Cohen Walker Drive
Warner Robins, GA 31088**

Individuals Granted a Filing Extension by the IRS

An individual who is required to file a 2017 IRS income tax return and has been granted a filing extension by the IRS beyond the automatic six-month extension for tax year 2017, must provide:

- A copy of IRS Form 4868, "Application for Automatic Extension of Time to File U.S. Individual Income Tax Return," that was filed with the IRS for tax year 2017;
- A copy of the IRS's approval of an extension beyond the automatic six-month extension for tax year 2017;
- Verification of Non-filing Letter (confirmation that the tax return has not yet been filed) from the IRS or other relevant tax authority dated on or after October 1, 2018;
- A copy of IRS Form W-2 for each source of employment income received or an equivalent document for tax year 2017 and,
- If self-employed, a signed statement certifying the amount of the individual's Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) and the U.S. income tax paid for tax year 2017.

Individuals Who Filed an Amended IRS Income Tax Return

An individual who filed an amended IRS income tax return for tax year 2017 must provide:

- A **2017 IRS Tax Return Transcript** (that will only include information from the original tax return and does not have to be signed), or any other IRS tax transcript(s) that includes all of the income and tax information required to be verified; **and**
- A signed copy of the 2017 IRS Form 1040X, "Amended U.S. Individual Income Tax Return," that was filed with the IRS.

Individuals Who Were Victims of IRS Tax-Related Identity Theft

An individual who was the victim of IRS tax-related identity theft must provide:

- A Tax Return DataBase View (TRDBV) transcript obtained from the IRS, or any other IRS tax transcript(s) that includes all of the income and tax information required to be verified; **and**

A statement signed and dated by the tax filer indicating that he or she was a victim of IRS tax-related identity theft and that the IRS is aware of the tax-related identity theft.