



# Financial Aid Office

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## Independent Student

### 2017-2018 Verification Worksheet (V5)

Your 2017-2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review by the U.S. Department of Education in a process called "Verification." We will compare information from your FAFSA with information on this worksheet and any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. **DIRECTIONS:** Read and complete each section in blue or black ink. All requested documents must be submitted at the same time.

#### SECTION A: STUDENT INFORMATION

_____	_____	_____	____/____/____
Last Name	First Name	MI	Date of Birth
_____	_____	(____)	_____
El Camino College ID #	Last 4 Digits of Social Security Number	Telephone Number to best reach you	

#### SECTION B: HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION (If more space is needed, provide a separate page)

1. Yourself and your spouse, if applicable.
2. Your children even if they do not live with you if will provide more **than half of their support** through June 30, 2018.
3. Other people **only if** they now live with you AND you currently provide **more than half of their support** AND will continue to provide more than half of their support through June 30, 2018. **Do not include** any people who live with you but support themselves with their own income, even if some household expenses are shared.
4. **Number in College:** Include in the space below information about any household member **who is or will be enrolled at least half-time** in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at an eligible postsecondary education institution any time through June 30, 2018, and include the name of the college. The first line below should be completed by entering your own name, age, and planned enrollment at the college.

Full Name	Age	Relationship to Student	Full College Name	Will be Enrolled at least Half-Time?
			<i>Do not list name(s) of colleges that your PARENT(S) attend.</i>	
		Self	El Camino College	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

#### SECTION C: STUDENT'S (and SPOUSE'S) TAX FORMS AND INCOME INFORMATION

Select **ONLY ONE** of the following options with required documentation, if applicable. **NOTE:** The IRS Tax Transcript, IRS Wage and Income Transcript, and IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter can be requested online at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript> or by calling 1-800-908-9946.

##### TAX FILER

- I/we used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool when completing the FAFSA and data was successfully transferred.
- I/we did not (or could not) use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool when completing the FAFSA.

**Documentation Required: Copy of student's (and spouse's) 2015 IRS Tax Return Transcript(s).**

**SECTION C: STUDENT (and SPOUSE'S) TAX FORMS AND INCOME INFORMATION (Continued)**

**NON-TAX FILER – COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF YOU ***DID NOT*** FILE TAXES IN 2015**

I/we did not work and had no earned income in 2015.

**Documentation Required: IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter.**

I/we worked in 2015 but did not file AND was/were not required to file a 2015 Federal Income Tax Return.

**Documentation Required: Copy of student's (and spouse's) W-2 Form(s), 1099 Form(s), or IRS Wage and Income Transcript AND IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter. List every employer even if the employer did not issue a W-2 Form.**

<b>Employer's Name</b> (If more space is needed, provide a separate page).	<b>Annual Amount Earned in 2015</b>
	\$
	\$
	\$

**SECTION D: STUDENT HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION STATUS**

Provide **one** of the following documents that indicate you have a high school diploma or GED at the time you begin taking classes at El Camino College. Please check the box indicating the document you are providing:

A copy of the student's 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.

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 a student after the student passed a state-authorized examination that the state recognizes as the equivalent to a high school diploma (GED test, HiSET, TASC, or other state-authorized examination).

An academic transcript that indicates the student successfully completed at least a two-year college or university program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.

For a student who was homeschooled in a state where state law requires the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a copy of that credential.

For a student who was homeschooled in a state where state law does not require the student to obtain a secondary school completion credential for homeschooling (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent), a transcript, or the equivalent, signed by the student's parent, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and includes a statement that the student successfully completed a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

**SECTION E: IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE**

**MUST BE SIGNED IN-PERSON AT THE CAMPUS FINANCIAL AID OFFICE**

You must appear in-person at El Camino College or the El Camino College Compton Center to verify your identity by presenting a valid government-issued photo identification (ID) such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, state-issued ID, passport, or military identification. The institution will maintain a copy of your photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received and reviewed along with the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect your ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the Financial Aid official, the Statement of Educational purpose provided below.

**Statement of Educational Purpose:** (To be signed in the presence of the Financial Aid official.)

I certify that I \_\_\_\_\_ am the individual signing this Statement of  
*(Printed Student's Name)*

Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes to pay the cost of attending El Camino College or the El Camino College Compton Center for the 2017-2018 Award Year.

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION F: CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURES**

By signing below, I certify the information reported on this worksheet is complete and accurate and authorize the Financial Aid Office to perform necessary electronic corrections on my behalf. I agree to provide proof of any information reported on this form or on my FAFSA. I realize that any false statement or failure to give proof when asked may be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of my financial aid. I also understand if I purposely give false or misleading information, I may be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature                      Date                      Spouse Signature (Optional)                      Date

**\*A student who is unable to submit this form in-person must contact the Financial Aid Office.**