**2025-2026 FAFSA INFORMATION NEEDED**

You will need records of income earned for the year 2023. You may also need records of yours and parent(s) income if you are a **Dependent** student. **A “Dependent” student is a student who is: Under 24 years old; not married; not a veteran or active duty; not unaccompanied minor, not an orphan or in legal guardianship and do not have child(ren) you provide at least ½ support.**

If any of these examples applies, you are considered an **“Independent Student”** which means you do not need parent(s)/contributor(s) financial information to complete the FAFSA.

**Student FSA ID**

Username: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Password: \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT(S)/CONTRIBUTOR INFORMATION**

*-If your parent(s) were* ***NEVER MARRIED*** *– provide information about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months.*

*-If your LEGAL parents are* ***UNMARRIED AND LIVING TOGETHER*** *– provide information about both parents.*

*-If your parents are* ***MARRIED*** *– provide information about both parents.*

*-If your parent is* ***REMARRIED (AFTER BEING WIDOWED OR DIVORCE)*** *– provide information about your parent and stepparent.*

*-If your parents are* ***DIVORCED OR SEPARATED*** *– provide information about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months.*

*-If your parent is* ***WIDOWED*** *– provide information about your parent.*

**Contributor 1 (Parent 1 or Spouse) Contributor 2 (Parent 2)**

Name: Name:

Date of Birth: Date of Birth:

Social Security #: Social Security #:

Email: Email:

FSAID Username: FSAID Username:

FSAID Password: FSAID Password:

\*If parents filed married-joint on their 2022 IRS 1040, only one parent will need an FSA ID. If parents are married and filed separately, both parents will need to create a FSA ID.

**\*\*\*CONTRIBUTOR(S) DEMOGRAPHICS\*\*\***

**Contributor(s) Current Marital Status? Please Check one.**

Marital Status (Please check one): £ Single £ Married £ Separation £ Divorced £ Widowed

**\*\*\*STUDENT and CONTRIBUTOR(S) FINANCES SECTION\*\*\***

**Did either the student or contributor(s) receive any of the following benefits in 2023 or 2024?**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | Student | Contributor(s) |
| Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Federal Housing Assistance | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Free or Reduced Lunch | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Medicaid | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Refundable Credit for Coverage Under a Qualified Health Plan | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Supplemental Security Income (SSI) | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |
| Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) | □YES □NO | □YES □NO |

**Additional Information Needed from tax year 2023 (if applicable)**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | Student | Contributor(s) |
| IRA Rollover into another IRA or Qualified Plan | $ | $ |
| Pension Rollover into an IRA or other Qualified Plan | $ | $ |
| Grants, Scholarships or AmeriCorps Benefits reported as Income | $ | $ |
| Foreign Earned Income Exclusion | $ | $ |
| Child Support Received | $ | $ |
| **Current** total amount of Cash, Savings & Checking | $ | $ |
| **Current** Net Worth of Investments, Including Real Estate (not the house you live in) | $ | $ |
| **Current** Net Worth of Businesses and Investment Farms | $ | $ |

In some cases, the Federal Tax Information Approval is unable to process. If you and/or your contributor(s) filed taxes for 2023, please bring a copy of the 2023 IRS 1040 or complete the following using 2023 IRS 1040 and 2023 W2(s).

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Where to Find | Student | Contributor 1 | Contributor 2 |
| Salary Wages and Tips | W2 Box 1 | $ | $ | $ |
| Federal Tax Withheld | W2 Box 2 | $ | $ | $ |
| Adjusted Gross Income | IRS 1040 Line 11 | $ | $ | $ |
| Federal Income Tax Paid | IRS form IRS 1040-line 22 minus Schedule 2, line 2 | $ | $ | $ |
| Earned Income Credit | IRS 1040 Line 27 | $ | $ | $ |

If your FAFSA requires a contributor, the contributor will be emailed a link to complete their portion of the FAFSA. If the link does not come through, the contributor can log in with their FSAID at ***www.fafsa.gov*** and accept the invitation under their “my activity” page.

Once the student and contributor (if applicable) have submitted the required information, the student will receive a confirmation email from Federal Student Aid with their Student Aid Index (SAI) and estimated Federal Pell Grant award.

If you make a mistake or forgot to add schools, ***DON’T PANIC***. Corrections can be made once the FAFSA is fully processed. This usually takes 3 to 5 business days.

***I understand the information on this form will be used for Federal Student Aid purposes (FAFSA completion). It also determines eligibility to participate in the Educational Opportunity Center/College Bound programs. All personal information will be kept confidential. I attest to the accuracy and truthfulness of this information and have completed this form in its entirety.***

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**Contributor Signature Date**