



2017-2018 Verification Worksheet

Federal Student Aid Programs

College of Micronesia-FSM

**INDEPENDENT
STUDENT
Tracking Group
V4**

Your 2017–2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information we will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and other required documents to the COM-FSM Financial Aid Office. If you have questions about verification, contact the nearest COM-FSM Financial Aid Office as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

A. Independent Student's Information

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	Student' M.I	Student's SS/ID Number
Student's Mailing Address (P.O Box City, State, Zip Code)		Student's Date of Birth	Home Phone

B. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program

Check the box that applies:

- No one listed in the household received SNAP benefits in 2015.
- One of the persons listed in household received SNAP benefits in 2015.

C. Child Support Paid

Check the box that applies:

- No child support was paid for individuals outside of the household in one listed in the household in 2015.
- The student and/or spouse, who is a member of the student's household paid child support in 2015. Provide in the space below the names of the persons who paid the child support, the names of the persons to whom the child support was paid, the names and ages of the children for whom child support was paid, and the total annual amount of child support that was paid in 2015 for each child. Do not include child support paid for children included in the student's household.

If you need more space, attach a separate page that includes the student's name and Social Security Number at the top.

Name of Person Who Paid Child Support	Name of Person to Whom Child Support was Paid	Name of Child for Whom Support	Age of Child for Whom Support was Paid	Amount of Child Support
<i>Marty Jones</i>	<i>Chris Smith (example)</i>	<i>Terry Jones</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>\$6,000</i>

Note: If we have reason to believe that the information regarding child support paid is inaccurate, we may require additional documentation, such as:

- A signed statement from the individual receiving the child support certifying the amount of child support received; or
- Copies of the child support payment checks, money order receipts, or similar records of electronic payment having been made.

Student Name: _____

SS/ID Number: _____

D. High School Completion Status

. Provide one of the following documents that will indicate your high school completion status when beginning college in 2017-2018.

Check the box of the document you will attach to this worksheet

- A copy of your high school diploma
- A copy of your final official high school transcript that shows the date when your diploma was awarded
- A state certificate or transcript received by you after passing a State-authorized examination (GED test, HSET, 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 your successful completion of at least a two-year program that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree.
- 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 equivalent), a copy of that credential.
- For a homeschool student from 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 equivalent), a transcript or equivalent, signed by the student's parent or guardian, that lists the secondary school courses the student completed and included a statement that the student successfully completed a secondary school education in a homeschool setting.

A student who is unable to obtain the documentation listed above must contact the nearest COM-FSM Financial Aid Office.

E. Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

Section E is ONLY to be completed in person at the COM-FSM Financial Aid Office or front of a Notary

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

to verify his or her identity by presenting a valid government issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. COM-FSM Financial Aid Office will maintain a copy of the student's photo ID that is annotated by the College with the date it was received and reviewed by Financial Aid. In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of a COM-FSM Financial Aid official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below. **If you cannot appear in person to sign this Statement of Educational Purpose, you will need to provide a copy of your government issued ID and this Statement of Educational Purpose notarized by a public notary.**

Statement of Education Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that the
Printed Student's Name

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

_____ for 2017-2018
(Name of Postsecondary Education institution)

Student's Signature Date Financial Aid Official's Signature Date

Student Name: _____

SS/ID Number: _____

Notary's Certificate of Knowledge

State of _____ City/Country of _____ On _____

before me, _____ personally appeared, _____
(Notary Signature) (printed name of signer)

and proved to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

To be the above named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal _____
(Notary Signature)

(Date Commission Expires)

(Seal)

F. Certification and Signatures

By signing this worksheet you certify that all of the information reported on it is complete and correct. **WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both. The student must sign and date.**

Student's Signature

Date

Spouse's Signature (optional)

Date