



INDEPENDENT VERIFICATION FORM

2020-2021

Office of Financial Aid

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All sections must be completed.

Student Name _____

CCID _____

A. Number of Household Members

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

- Yourself
- Your spouse, if you are married.
- Your children under 24 years old even if they don't live with the student, if the student will provide more than half of the children's support from July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021.
- Include other people if they now live with you and will continue to receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021.

Full Name	Age	Relationship to Student
		Self

B. Number in College

Include below information about 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, 2020 and June 30, 2021. Include the name of the college. *Undergraduate only.*

Name of Student	Name of College
	Columbia College

C. Income Information – Check one for each column

Student		Spouse (if applicable)	
<input type="radio"/>	I used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to transfer my 2018 income information. Skip Section D.	<input type="radio"/>	I used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to transfer my 2018 income information. Skip Section D.
<input type="radio"/>	My 2018 IRS Tax Return Transcript is attached or will be submitted to Columbia College. Skip Section D.	<input type="radio"/>	My 2018 IRS Tax Return Transcript is attached or will be submitted to Columbia College. Skip Section D.
<input type="radio"/>	I did not as was not required to file taxes in 2018, but I worked in 2018. A copy of my 2018 Verification of Non-Filing Letter will be submitted to Columbia College. Please complete Section D below.	<input type="radio"/>	I did not and was not required to file taxes in 2018, but I worked in 2018. A copy of my 2018 Verification of Non-Filing Letter will be submitted to Columbia College. Please complete Section D below.
<input type="radio"/>	I did not work in 2018 and did not file taxes in 2018. I will submit my 2018 Verification of Non-Filing Letter to Columbia College. Skip Section D.	<input type="radio"/>	I did not work in 2018 and did not file taxes in 2018. I will submit my 2018 Verification of Non-Filing Letter to Columbia College. Skip Section D.

D. Income Information for Non-Filers Only

If you or your spouse were not required to file a 2018 U.S. Income Tax Return, list every employer even if the employer did not issue an IRS W-2 form. **Attach all 2018 W-2s.** A copy of your and/or your spouse's **2018 IRS Verification of Non-Filing** should also be submitted to Columbia College.

Employer Name	Student's 2018 Amount Earned	Spouse's 2018 Amount Earned	W-2 Submitted (Yes/No)

E. Certification and Signature

By signing below, you certify that all of the information reported is complete and correct.

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

Student's Signature (Required)

Date