

2026-2027 Verification of Family Size - Dependent

Student Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Family Size – Includes the following:

- The student.
- The student's parents, or stepparent (if applicable) even if the student is not living with them. Exclude a parent who has died or is not living in the household because of separation or divorce. Include a parent who is on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces apart from the family.
- The student's siblings if the following are true:
 - They live with the student's parents (or live apart because of college enrollment),
 - They receive more than half of their support from the student's parents, and
 - They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student's parents during the academic award year.
- Other persons if the following are true:
 - They live with the student's parents,
 - They receive more than half of their support from the student's parents, and
 - They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student's parents during the award year.

The provided criteria for "dependent children" or "other person" mirror the requirements that family size align with those the student could claim as a dependent on a U.S tax return if the student were to file a tax return at the time of completing the 2026-2027 FAFSA. As a result, the student should not include any unborn children in the family size.

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

Full Name	Age	Relationship
		<i>Self</i>

Certifications and Signatures

Each person signing below certifies that all the information reported is complete and correct. The student and one parent whose information was reported on the FAFSA must sign and date. My signature indicates I understand if I purposely give false or misleading information, I may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Student's Signature (Required): _____

Date: _____

Parent's Signature (Required): _____

Date: _____