



# **FAFSA on the Web 2018-2019**

- Today's Agenda
  - The FSA ID
  - Filing the 2018-2019 FAFSA
  - How to Complete the FAFSA – Special Circumstances

Let's start by talking about the  
FSA ID!

- The FSA ID allows students to access FSA Web sites, including FAFSA on the Web.
- It is also the fastest way for students and parents to sign the FAFSA.
- An FSA ID is made up of a username and password and can be created at [fsaid.ed.gov](https://fsaid.ed.gov).

# Creating an FSA ID

- Go to: [fsaid.ed.gov](https://fsaid.ed.gov)
- As with the retired PIN, *EVERY STUDENT* and *ONE PARENT* of a dependent student will need an FSA ID to sign the FAFSA electronically.
- Defaults to “Create An FSA ID”
- Click on “Manage My FSA ID” to view or update info.

The screenshot shows the FSA ID management interface. At the top, there are two tabs: "Create an FSA ID" (active) and "Manage My FSA ID". Below the tabs, the text "Please enter your:" is followed by five input fields: "E-mail", "Confirm E-mail", "Username", "Password", and "Confirm Password". Each field has a question mark icon to its right. Below the "Password" field, there are five checked checkboxes: "Numbers", "Uppercase Letters", "Lowercase Letters", "Special Characters", and "8-30 Characters". There is also an unchecked checkbox labeled "Show Text". At the bottom right of the form area, there is a green button labeled "CONTINUE".

- It is recommended that students and parents obtain FSA IDs ahead of time.
- Each FSA ID takes about 10 minutes to create.
- If a student is ready to do the FAFSA but doesn't have an FSA ID, have the student create the FSA as the first step in the FAFSA process.

- Critical that information being entered is correct (especially name, social security number, and date of birth)!
- Write down the information used when creating the FSA ID (use FAME's [FSA ID Information Tracking Sheet](#)).
- An email address and mobile phone number can only be used once (student and parent can't use the same ones).

- Students shouldn't use their high school email address if they have an alternative.
- It is important to have access to mobile phone and/or email when creating the FSA ID.
  - Secure code will be sent (and then retrieved and entered) resulting in a verified mobile phone/email.
  - Having a verified mobile phone and/or email will make retrieval of username and passwords easier.

- The FSA ID can be used immediately to access and sign the FAFSA.
- However, the FSA ID can't be used to update or correct the FAFSA or enter any other FSA websites until it has been verified with the Social Security Administration (1-3 days).

- Now to the FAFSA!

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- Add a school
- View your Student Aid Report (SAR), and more...

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Click here to start a new FAFSA.

After beginning a FAFSA, you will click here for the remainder of the year.

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Enter either your (the student's) FSA ID or personal information to log in to *FAFSA on the Web*.

Enter your (the student's) FSA ID

Do not log in with the FSA ID if you are not the student.

OR

Enter the student's information

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The FSA ID, which consists of a user-created username and password, replaced the PIN effective May, 2015. It allows users to electronically access personal information on Federal Student Aid Web sites as well as electronically sign a FAFSA.

Select one:

Enter your FSA ID (only the student should log in with an FSA ID),

Or

Enter the student's name, Social Security Number and date of birth. (You may have to enter your FSA ID later in the process).

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Click on  
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If student doesn't have an FSA ID, click on Create an FSA ID.

If student has an FSA ID, enter it here.

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### Get Started

Welcome, John Lastname!

**Fill out your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)!**  
To receive federal student financial aid, you need to fill out a FAFSA every school year. Let's get started.

**For which school year are you applying for financial aid?**

2018-2019 school year **START 2018-2019 FAFSA**

2017-2018 school year **START 2017-2018 FAFSA**

If you are applying for a summer session, or just don't know which application to complete, check with the college you are planning to attend.

**FSA ID** | Last Time, Date FSA ID Used: 10:56, 10/03/2017

**FSA ID Status:**  
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You can use your FSA ID to sign your FAFSA electronically or make corrections to your FAFSA.

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Select  
2018-2019

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The Save Key is a temporary password which is only needed if you don't complete the FAFSA is one sitting.

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**Create a Save Key.**  
The Save Key is for temporary use for you or your parent to return and complete this specific FAFSA.

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Re-enter Save Key

You must re-enter your save key to verify that it is correct.

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### Introduction Page - 2018-2019 FAFSA

Use the **Next** and **Previous** buttons to move from page to page in the form. If you use your browser's back and forward buttons to move from page to page, you may lose your data.

Additional information about *FAFSA on the Web*:

- [Important information about renewing your FAFSA](#)
- [How can I get help completing my FAFSA?](#)
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Pre-populates some information from the FSA ID.

Double check that the information is correct.

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### Student Demographic Information

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Your last name  Your first name  Your middle initial

Your Social Security Number

Your date of birth (mmdyyy)

Are you male or female?  
 Male  Female

Your permanent mailing address (include apt. number)

Your city (and country if not U.S.)  Your state

Your ZIP code

Have you lived in Alabama for at least 5 years?  
 Yes  No

Your telephone number

Your e-mail address  Re-enter your e-mail address

What is your marital status as of today?

Do you have driver's license information that you want to provide?  
 Yes  No

Your driver's license number  Your driver's license state

#### Help and Hints

**Student's Driver's License State**  
**Question 12**

Select the state that issued your driver's license or identification card. Select **Foreign Country** if your license was issued by a foreign country.

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Email listed here will receive notifications from the Department of Education.



If check eligible noncitizen, additional fields appear.

Only asks if student checked "Male" on previous page.

Answer about biological or adoptive parent (not stepparent).

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## Student Eligibility

Are you a U.S. citizen?

Are you registered with the Selective Service System?  
 Yes  No

What will your high school completion status be when you begin college in the 2018-2019 school year?

What will your college grade level be when you begin the 2018-2019 school year?

What degree or certificate will you be working on when you begin the 2018-2019 school year?

Are you interested in being considered for work-study?

Will you have your first bachelor's degree before you begin the 2018-2019 school year?  
 Yes  No

Are you a foster youth or were you at any time in the foster care system?

Highest school completed by Parent 1

Highest school completed by Parent 2

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#### Student's Citizenship Status

#### Question 14

You must select the option that indicates your citizenship status.

Select [U.S. citizen](#) (or [U.S. national](#)) if you are a U.S. citizen or U.S. national.

Select [Eligible noncitizen](#) if you are:

- A U.S. permanent resident, with a Permanent Resident Card (I-551), or a conditional permanent resident with a Conditional Green Card (I-551C)
- Other eligible noncitizen with an Arrival-Departure Record (I-94) from the Department of Homeland

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### Student Eligibility continued

Enter the name, city, and state of your high school, then click **Confirm**.

What is the name of your high school?

In what city is your high school located?

In what state is your high school located?

**CONFIRM**

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#### Student's High School Name, City, and State

##### Question 27

Enter the name, city, and state of the high school where you received or will receive your high school diploma.

Select Foreign Country from the "In what state is your high school located?" dropdown box if you received a foreign school diploma that is equivalent to a U.S. high school diploma.

Enter as much information as possible to receive the most relevant search results. For the high school name and city, you may enter the full name or commonly accepted

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## Student Eligibility continued

Enter the name, city, and state of your high school, then click **Confirm**.

What is the name of your high school?

In what city is your high school located?

In what state is your high school located?

**CONFIRM**

We found 5 results that meet your criteria. To narrow your results, change the information in the entry fields above to better clarify your request and click **Confirm** again. Click the **Select** link next to the correct high school to add it to your application. If your high school is not listed and you believe you entered the information correctly, click **Next** to continue.

	School Name	City
<a href="#">Select</a>	BANGOR CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS	BANGOR
<a href="#">Select</a>	BANGOR HIGH SCHOOL	BANGOR
<a href="#">Select</a>	JOHN BAPST MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL	BANGOR
<a href="#">Select</a>	PENOBSCOT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	BANGOR
<a href="#">Select</a>	UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CTR-REGION 4	BANGOR

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Select the correct school from the options.

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### School Selection

■ Dependent, based on the information you provided, we have determined that you may qualify for federal student aid. Continue through the application for us to determine how much aid you can receive.

■ Application was successfully saved.

You can add up to 10 colleges to your FAFSA. If you know your college's school code, use the option to the right to search. If you need help finding your college, use the state (required), city (optional), and school name (optional) fields to begin your search.

All of the information you include on your FAFSA, with the exception of the list of colleges, will be sent to each of the colleges you list. In addition, all of your FAFSA information, including the list of colleges, will be sent to your state student grant agency.

State  Federal School Code

City  (optional) OR

School Name  (optional)

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Search for the college using one or more of the criteria.

Student can enter the school code instead.

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All of the information you report on the FAFSA will be sent to each college listed, including the names of the other colleges listed. If you don't want this information sent to a particular college, do not list that school on your FAFSA.

State <input type="text" value="Maine"/>	OR	Federal School Code <input type="text"/>
City <input type="text" value="Bangor"/> (optional)		
School Name <input type="text"/> (optional)		
<input type="button" value="SEARCH"/> <a href="#">Search Tips</a>		<input type="button" value="SEARCH"/>

Select a school from the Search Results table and click **Add >>** to add a school to the Selected Schools table.

**Search Results: 4**

Sort By: **Best Match** | [School Name](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	BEAL COLLEGE BANGOR, ME Federal School Code: 005204	
<input type="checkbox"/>	EASTERN MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BANGOR, ME Federal School Code: 005277	
<input type="checkbox"/>	HUSSON UNIVERSITY BANGOR, ME Federal School Code: 002043	

**Selected Schools**

Select up to 10 schools

HUSSON UNIVERSITY BANGOR, ME Federal School Code: 002043	<a href="#">Remove</a>
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## School Selection Summary

For each school listed, select the appropriate housing plan from the dropdown list.

You may change the positioning of any school in this list. To do so, click on the school name and then use the buttons on the right to change the position of the selected school. The **FIRST** and **LAST** buttons will move the school to either the top or bottom of your list, respectively, and the **UP** and **DOWN** buttons will move the school one position up, or one position down, respectively.

For federal student aid purposes, it does not matter in what order you list your selected schools. However, placing a school that participates in your state's student grant programs first may help you obtain state grant aid. Check with your state grant agency for more information.

School Name	Federal School Code	Housing Plans	
HUSSON UNIVERSITY	002043	Select ▼	<a href="#">Remove</a>
EASTERN MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE	005277	Select ▼	<a href="#">Remove</a>
THOMAS COLLEGE	002052	Select ▼	<a href="#">Remove</a>

- FIRST
- UP
- DOWN
- LAST

VIEW SELECTED SCHOOL INFORMATION

ADD A SCHOOL

Select housing status.



Starts with just a few questions and adds more if the answer continues to be no to each question – 11 total.

Unless the student can answer “Yes” to one of these questions, the student must provide parent information.

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Dependency Determination

Application was successfully saved.

Were you born before January 1, 1995?  
 Yes  No

As of today, are you married?  
 Yes  No

At the beginning of the 2018-2019 school year, will you be working on a master's or doctorate program (such as an MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, or graduate certificate, etc.)?  
 Yes  No

Do you now have or will you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019?  
 Yes  No

Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2019?  
 Yes  No

Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training?  
 Yes  No

Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces?  
 Yes  No

At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court?  
 Yes  No

As determined by a court in your state of legal residence, are you or were you an emancipated minor?  
 Yes  No

Does someone other than your parent or stepparent have legal guardianship of you, as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?  
 Yes  No

On or after July 1, 2017, were you homeless or were you self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?  
 Yes  No

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**Is Student Homeless or At Risk of Being Homeless?**

Select **Yes** if any time after July 1, 2017, you were homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.

Select **No** if you are not homeless or at risk of being homeless.

- **Homeless** means lacking fixed, regular and adequate housing.
- You may be homeless if you are living in shelters, parks, motels, hotels, public spaces, camping grounds, cars, abandoned buildings, or temporarily living with other people because you have nowhere else to go.

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## Dependency Determination

• Application was successfully saved.

Do you now have or will you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019?  
 Yes  No

Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2019?  
 Yes  No

Your number of family members in 2018-2019 (household size)

How many people in your household will be in college in 2018-2019?

You are considered an "independent" student. This means you are not required to answer questions about your parents.

However, you may want to answer questions about your parents if:

- you are a law school or health profession student (such as a medical or nursing student), or
- your school requires parental information from all students.

Do you want to answer questions about your parents?  
 Yes  No

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**Student's Number in College in 2018-2019**  
Question 96

You must enter the number of people in your [household](#) who will attend college between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019.

**Include:**

- Yourself even if you will attend college less than half-time in 2018-2019.
- Other people in your household only if they will attend college at least half-time in 2018-2019, in a program that leads to a college degree or certificate.

**Do not include:**

- Students at a U.S. service



# Dependency Status Results

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**Dependency Status Results**

Based on your answers to the dependency status questions, **you are considered a dependent student. This means you must provide parental information.** Select "I will provide parental information" and click **Next** to continue to Parent Demographics.

**If you have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information,** under very limited circumstances, you may be able to submit your FAFSA without parental information. Select "I am unable to provide parental information" and click **Next** to get additional information.

- I will provide parental information
- I am unable to provide parental information

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**Dependency Status Results**

For dependent students, a special circumstance is a situation that exists between the student applicant and his or her parent(s) which prevents the student from providing parental information.

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

Select **I am unable to provide parental information** to get additional information about special circumstances.



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# Parent Demographic Information

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Parent Demographics Information

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As of today, what is the marital status of your parents ?

Select

Your parents' e-mail address

Have your parents lived in Maryland for at least 5 years?

Yes  No

Your parents' number of family members in 2018-2019 (household size)

If you are not sure who is considered a family member, click **Household Size** to answer the questions on the worksheet.

HOUSEHOLD SIZE

How many people in your parents' household will be college students between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019? Do not include your parents.

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**Parents' Marital Status**  
**Question 59**

You must select the answer that describes your [parents'](#) marital status **as of today**.

"Parent" refers to a biological or adoptive parent or a person determined by the state to be a parent (for example, if the parent is listed on the birth certificate). If one of your parents is widowed or divorced and has remarried, answer the questions about that parent **and your stepparent**. Grandparents, foster parents, legal guardians, older brothers or sisters, widowed stepparents, and aunts and uncles are not

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See definition of who is considered a parent on the next slide.

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### Parent Demographics Information

Application was successfully saved.

As of today, what is the marital status of your [parents](#) ?

When did your parents get married or remarried? Enter the month and year. (mmyyyy)

What is your Parent 1 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) Social Security Number? <input type="text" value="000-00-0000"/>	What is your Parent 1 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) last name? <input type="text" value="Smith"/>
What is your Parent 1 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) first initial? <input type="text" value="R"/>	What is your Parent 1 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) date of birth? (mmddyyyy) <input type="text" value="07/08/1966"/>
What is your Parent 2 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) Social Security Number? <input type="text" value="000-00-0000"/>	What is your Parent 2 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) last name? <input type="text" value="Smith"/>
What is your Parent 2 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) first initial? <input type="text" value="M"/>	What is your Parent 2 (father's/mother's /stepparent's) date of birth? (mmddyyyy) <input type="text" value="05/17/1966"/>

Your parents' e-mail address

Re-enter your parents' e-mail address

Have your parents lived in Maryland for at least 5 years?  
 Yes  No

Your parents' number of family members in 2018-2019 (household size)  
 If you are not sure who is considered a family member, click **Household Size** to answer the questions on the worksheet.  
 HOUSEHOLD SIZE

How many people in your parents' household will be college students between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019? Do not include your parents.

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### Help and Hints

**Parents' Number in College in 2018-2019 (Parents Excluded)**  
**Question 74**

Enter the number of people in your [parents' household](#) who will attend college between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019.

**Include:**

- Yourself, even if you will attend college less than half-time in 2018-2019.
- Other people in your parents' household only if they will attend college at least half-time in 2018-2019, in a program that leads to a college degree or certificate.

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**Attention!** You must provide financial information from your parents' **2016 tax return** on the following pages.

Application was successfully saved.

For 2016, have your parents completed their IRS income tax return or another tax return?

For 2016, what is your parents' tax filing status according to their tax return?

Did you, the parents, file a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return for 2016?  
 Yes  No

Applying is faster and easier if you transfer your tax return information into this FAFSA with the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (IRS DRT)!

[LINK TO IRS](#)

**Help and Hints**

**Filed a Puerto Rican or Foreign Tax Return?**

If you, the parent(s), filed a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return, select **Yes**; otherwise, select **No**.

You are not eligible to use the [IRS Data Retrieval Tool](#) if you filed a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return.

Related Topics:  
[Why can't I use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool if I filed a tax return outside the U.S.?](#)

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**PARENT**

### Leaving FAFSA on the Web

You are now leaving *FAFSA on the Web* and will be transferred to the IRS Web site to access your IRS tax information. Your FAFSA information will be saved.

Your saved FAFSA will automatically open either when you transfer your information from the IRS or choose to return to *FAFSA on the Web* from the IRS Web site. If you do not transfer your information or choose not to return to *FAFSA on the Web* from the IRS Web site, you will have to log in to open your saved FAFSA.

**For your protection, your tax return information will not display on the IRS Web site or on the FAFSA.**

Which parent are you?

What is your (the parent's) FSA ID?  
FSA ID Username or Verified E-mail Address

FSA ID Password

[Create an FSA ID](#)  
[Forgot Username](#)  
[Forgot Password](#)

Click **Proceed to IRS Site** to continue. Otherwise, click **Skip IRS Transfer**.

If you have any questions or problems using this tool, view available [Help](#) options for assistance.

### Help and Hints

#### Which parent are you?

This question is used to determine which parent is providing an FSA ID in order to access the IRS Web site.



# Parent Financial Information

## Get My Federal Income Tax Information

See our [Privacy Notice](#) regarding our request for your personal information.

Enter the following information from your 2016 Federal Income Tax Return. [?](#)

Required fields \*

First Name *	Mila
Last Name *	TAPPAN
Social Security Number *	*** - ** .
Date of Birth *	05 / 17 / 1966
Filing Status * <a href="#">?</a>	Married-Filed Joint Return <input type="button" value="v"/>
Address - Must match your 2016 Federal Income Tax Return. <a href="#">?</a>	
Street Address *	
P.O. Box (Required if entered on your tax return) <a href="#">?</a>	
Apt. Number (Required if entered on your tax return)	
Country *	United States <input type="button" value="v"/>
City, Town or Post Office *	
State/U.S. Territory *	Select One <input type="button" value="v"/>
ZIP Code *	

Select the button below to exit the IRS system and return to your FAFSA.

By submitting this information, you certify that you are the person identified. Use of this system to access another person's information may result in civil and criminal penalties.



## 2016 Federal Income Tax Information

Robert & Mila Tappan

Based on the information you provided, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) located your income tax return. With your permission below, the IRS will securely transfer your tax information to the Department of Education (ED) to populate any applicable FAFSA® questions.

For your protection, the IRS will not display your tax information and will further encrypt any tax information transferred using the IRS DRT; therefore, ED is unable to display your tax information on your FAFSA.

The data retrieved from your tax return is limited to the items listed below as you reported to the IRS:

Tax Year	Type of Return Filed	Untaxed Pensions
Name(s)	Adjusted Gross Income	Untaxed IRA Distributions
Social Security Number	Income Earned from Work	Tax exempt Interest Income
Filing Status	Income Tax	IRA Deductions and Payments
IRS Exemptions	Education Credits	Status of Amended Returns Received

Refer to your tax records if you have a question about the values you reported.

 Print this page for your records before choosing an option below.

### Transfer My Tax Information into the FAFSA

- The tax information provided to FOTW will populate the answers to the appropriate FAFSA questions. After the FAFSA is populated your IRS session will end and you will return to your FAFSA. Check this box if you are choosing to transfer your information.

Transfer Now 

### Do Not Transfer My Tax Information and Return to the FAFSA

- By clicking the "Do Not Transfer" button, you are choosing not to transfer your tax information electronically. Your IRS session will end and you will return to your FAFSA.

Do Not Transfer 

[IRS Privacy Policy](#)

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**You have successfully transferred your 2016 IRS tax information.**

The parents' IRS tax information has been successfully transferred into this FAFSA. Questions that were populated with tax information will be marked with "Transferred from the IRS." For your protection, IRS tax return information is not displayed on the FAFSA.

What type of income tax return did your parents file for 2016?  
**Transferred from the IRS**

What was your parents' adjusted gross income for 2016?  
**Transferred from the IRS**

How much did your Parent 1 (father/mother/stepparent) earn from working (wages, salaries, tips, etc.) in 2016?  
\$ .00

How much did your Parent 2 (father/mother/stepparent) earn from working (wages, salaries, tips, etc.) in 2016?  
\$ .00

As of today, is either of your parents a dislocated worker?

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**Help and Hints**

**Parent's 2016 Income Earned from Work Questions 88 and 89**

Find the scenario that best fits your parent's tax filing status.

- If your **parent** did not file taxes, include the information from his / her 2016 W-2 Forms – box numbers 1 + 8.
- If your parent is married and uses the **IRS Data Retrieval Tool (IRS DRT)** to transfer information from a joint tax return into your FAFSA, you must manually enter income earned from work. Report each parent's earnings separately. Your parents can use their tax return, W-2s, or other earning

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When box is checked, a brief description appears and individual is prompted to enter a dollar amount.

Be sure to exclude the value of the primary residence, retirement accounts, small family businesses, and personal possessions.

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## Parent Financial Information continued

Enter the amount of your parents' income tax for 2016. This amount is found on IRS Form 1040-lines (56 minus 46).

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Enter your parents' exemptions for 2016. This amount is found on IRS Form 1040-line 6d.

Did your parents have any of the following items in 2016? Check all that apply and provide amounts.

### 2016 Additional Financial Information

- American Opportunity Tax Credit or Lifetime Learning Tax Credit
- Child support paid
- Taxable earnings from Work-study, Assistantships or Fellowships
- College grant and scholarship aid reported to the IRS as income
- Combat pay or special combat pay
- Cooperative education program earnings

### 2016 Untaxed Income

- Payments to tax-deferred pension and retirement savings plans  
Payments to tax-deferred pension and retirement savings plans (paid directly or withheld from earnings), including, but not limited to, amounts reported on the W-2 Form in Boxes 12a through 12d, codes D, E, F, G, H, and S. **Don't include** amounts reported in code DD (employer contributions toward employee health benefits)  
\$ .00
- IRA deductions and payments to self-employed SEP, SIMPLE and Keogh
- Child support received
- Tax exempt interest income
- Untaxed portions of IRA distributions
- Untaxed portions of pensions
- Housing, food, and other living allowances paid to military, clergy, and others
- Veterans noneducation benefits
- Other untaxed income not reported such as workers' compensation or disability benefits

As of today, does the total amount of your parents' current [assets](#) exceed \$23,500.00?

Yes  No

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### Parents' Total Assets Exceed Amount Listed?

Select **Yes** if your parents' current asset net worth exceeds this amount as of today.

Select **No** if your parents' current asset net worth does not exceed this amount as of today.

Asset net worth means current value of the assets minus what is owed on those assets.

### Assets include:

- Money in cash, savings, and checking accounts
- Businesses
- Investment farms
- Other investments, such

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**Parents Received Free / Reduced Price School Lunch?**

**Question 77**

Select the appropriate check box if your parents or anyone in your [parents' household](#) received any of the following during 2016 or 2017:

- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Free or Reduced Price School Lunch
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

What type of income tax return did your mother file for 2016?

What was your mother's adjusted gross income for 2016? This amount is found on IRS Form 1040-line 37.  
 \$ .00 INCOME ESTIMATOR

How much did your mother earn from working (wages, salaries, tips, etc.) in 2016? This amount is the total of IRS Form 1040-lines 7+12+18 and Box 14 [Code A] of IRS Schedule K-1 (Form 1065).  
 \$ .00

As of today, is your mother a dislocated worker?

In 2016 or 2017, did you, your mother, or anyone in your mother's household receive benefits from any of the federal benefits programs listed below? Check all that apply or check **None of the above**. If, at the time you are completing the FAFSA, you, your mother, or anyone in your mother's household did NOT receive any of these benefits during 2016 or 2017, but do receive any of them on or before December 31, 2017, you must return to the FAFSA and update your response.

Answering these questions will not reduce eligibility for student aid or these programs.

- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program ([SNAP](#))
- Free or Reduced Price School Lunch
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families ([TANF](#))
- Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
- None of the above

Do you want to skip the remaining questions about your and your mother's income and assets?  
 Yes  No

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Here I went back and reduced income to demonstrate how the screen is different depending on parent income and other factors.



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	<p><b>i</b> ▪ <b>Attention!</b> You must provide financial information from your <b>2016 tax return</b> on the following pages.</p> <p>For 2016, have you completed your IRS income tax return or another tax return? <input type="text" value="Already completed"/></p> <p>For 2016, what is your tax filing status according to your tax return? <input type="text" value="Single"/></p> <p>Did you file a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return for 2016? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p> <p><b>📄</b> Applying is faster and easier if you transfer your tax return information into this FAFSA with the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (IRS DRT)!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">LINK TO IRS</a></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><input type="button" value="PREVIOUS"/> <input type="button" value="NEXT"/></p>				<p><b>Did you file a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return?</b></p> <hr/> <p>If you filed a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return, select <b>Yes</b>; otherwise, select <b>No</b>.</p> <p>You are not eligible to use the <a href="#">IRS Data Retrieval Tool</a> if you filed a Puerto Rican or foreign tax return.</p> <p><b>Related Topics:</b></p> <p><a href="#">Why can't I use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool if I filed a tax return outside the U.S.?</a></p>	

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### Student Financial Information continued

Enter the amount of your income tax for 2016. This amount is found on IRS Form 1040A-lines (28 minus line 36) or 1040EZ-line 10.  
\$ .00

Enter your exemptions for 2016. This amount is found on IRS Form 1040A-line 6d or 1040EZ-see Help & Hints.

Did you have any of the following items in 2016? Check all that apply and provide amounts.

**2016 Additional Financial Information**

- American Opportunity Tax Credit or Lifetime Learning Tax Credit
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- Taxable earnings from Work-study, Assistantships or Fellowships
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- Tax exempt interest income
- Untaxed portions of IRA distributions
- Untaxed portions of pensions
- Housing, food, and other living allowances paid to military, clergy, and others
- Veterans noneducation benefits
- Other untaxed income not reported such as workers' compensation or disability benefits
- Money received or paid on your behalf

As of today, what is your total current balance of cash, savings, and checking accounts?  
\$ .00

As of today, what is the net worth of your investments, including real estate (not your home)?  
\$ .00

As of today, what is the net worth of your current businesses and/or investment farms? **Don't include** a family farm or family business with 100 or fewer full-time or full-time equivalent employees.  
\$ .00

#### Help and Hints

**Student's 2016 Exemptions Claimed**

**Question 38**

The answer to this question may be pre-filled with ["Transferred from the IRS."](#)

If you filed (or if married, you and your spouse filed a joint tax return), the total exemptions can be found on:

IRS Form 1040 – Use Line: 6d

IRS Form 1040A – Use Line: 6d

IRS Form 1040EZ and didn't check either box on line 5, enter **01** if you are single or **02** if you are married



If student signed in with an FSA ID, s/he will only need to agree and click on sign!

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## Sign & Submit

Application was successfully saved.

[VIEW OR PRINT YOUR FAFSA INFORMATION](#)

Are you a [preparer](#)?

Yes  No

### Student Signature

Student's Social Security Number

Student's last name

Student's date of birth

**READ BEFORE PROCEEDING**

By signing this application electronically using your Federal Student Aid PIN, username and password, and/or any other credential or by signing a signature page and mailing it to us, YOU, THE STUDENT, certify that you:

- will use federal and/or state student financial aid only to pay the cost of attending an institution of higher education,
- are not in default on a federal student loan or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
- do not owe money back on a federal student grant or have made satisfactory arrangements to repay it,
- will notify your school if you default on a federal student loan, and
- will not receive a Federal Pell Grant from more than one school for the same

I, the student, agree to the terms outlined above.

Agree  Disagree

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#### Are you a preparer?

A preparer is anyone who charges a fee for helping you fill out your FAFSA.

Typically high school counselors, school financial aid administrators, or other mentors do not charge a fee to help you complete your application, so they are not considered preparers unless you paid them for their services.

If you are a preparer, select **Yes**.



Indicate which parent is going to sign and information will pre-fill.

**Parent Signature**

Are you signing as the student's Parent 1 (father/mother/stepparent), or Parent 2 (father/mother/stepparent)?

Parent 1 (Father/Mother/Stepparent)  Parent 2 (Father/Mother/Stepparent)

**READ BEFORE PROCEEDING**

By signing this application electronically using your Federal Student Aid PIN, username and password, and/or any other credential or by signing a signature page and mailing it to us, YOU, THE PARENT, certify that all of the information you provided is true and complete to the best of your knowledge and you agree, if asked:

1. to provide information that will verify the accuracy of your completed form
2. to provide U.S. or state income tax forms that you filed or are required to file.

You also certify that you understand that the Secretary of Education has the authority to verify information reported on your application with the Internal Revenue Service and other federal agencies.

I, the parent, agree to the terms outlined above.

Agree  Disagree

What is your (the parent's) FSA ID?  
Do not enter the FSA ID if you are not the parent.

FSA ID Username or Verified E-mail Address

FSA ID Password

[Create an FSA ID](#)  
[Forgot Username](#)  
[Forgot Password](#)

[Other options to sign and submit](#)

Parent can link to "Create an FSA ID" if parent doesn't have one yet.

Submit the FAFSA!!

## 2017-2018 Confirmation Page



Your confirmation page has been sent to you at the e-mail address: abc@fsa.gov

[PRINT THIS PAGE](#)

**Confirmation Number:** F 00000089401 08/11/2016 19:13:12  
**Data Release Number (DRN):** 7910

**Congratulations, GDIT!** Your FAFSA was successfully submitted to Federal Student Aid.



**Does your brother or sister need to complete a FAFSA?** If so, you can [transfer your parents' information into a new FAFSA](#) for your brother or sister to save time. Your parents will have to provide a signature again, but that's all.



### What Happens Next

- You will receive an e-mail version of this page.
- In 3-5 business days, you will receive an e-mail notifying you that your FAFSA was processed.
- Your FAFSA information will be made available to your school(s), and they will use it to determine the aid you may be eligible to receive.
- Your school(s) will contact you if they need more information or when they are ready to discuss your financial aid award.
- If you have questions about your financial aid package, contact your school(s).

School(s) on your FAFSA:

School Name	Graduation Rate	Retention Rate	Transfer Rate	Additional Information from <a href="#">College Navigator</a>
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	70%	86%	24%	NA
NORTHWESTERN UNIV	93%	97%	NA	NA
UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON	48%	86%	20%	NA



### Eligibility Information

**Estimated Expected Family Contribution (EFC)** = 018681  
The EFC is a measure of how much you can contribute to the cost of your education. Schools use your EFC to determine your federal student aid eligibility.

The EFC is not how much aid you will receive or how much you have to pay for college.

Based on the [eligibility criteria](#), you may be eligible for the following:

**Direct Stafford Loan** Estimate - \$6,500.00  
You may also be eligible to receive other federal, state, or institutional grants, scholarships, and/or work-study.

In addition, you should learn about [federal tax benefits for education](#), including the *American Opportunity Tax Credit (AOTC)*.

For more questions, visit [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) and click the "Help" icon on the FAFSA home page.

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If parent has another student that needs to complete a FAFSA, click here.

Only Pell and Direct Loan eligibility will be listed – all other types can only be determined by the individual schools

EFC is provided here.

# My FAFSA page after processing

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## My FAFSA

Welcome, Noah Tappan!

2018-2019 2017-2018

### Current Application Status: Processed Successfully

Congratulations, your FAFSA was successfully processed.

**Original Application**  
Submitted: 10/01/2017  
Processed: 10/02/2017

#### What Happens Next

- Your FAFSA information was made available to the school(s) you listed on your FAFSA.
- Your school(s) will use your FAFSA information to determine the aid you may be eligible to receive.
- Your school(s) will contact you if they need more information or to discuss your financial aid award.
- If you have questions about your financial aid package contact your school(s).

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You can also:

- [View or Print your Student Aid Report \(SAR\)](#)
- [Make FAFSA Corrections](#) to make a change, add a school, or transfer IRS data into your FAFSA

Application status

Click here to view Student Aid Report (SAR).

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### FSA ID

Last Time, Date FSA ID Used: 8:15, 10/01/2017

**FSA ID Status:**  
[User Account Management](#)  
You can use your FSA ID to sign your FAFSA electronically or make corrections to your FAFSA.

 Create a shareable file with some of your student information.  
[Learn More](#)

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Click here to make corrections or add schools.



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### Dependency Status Results

Based on your answers to the dependency status questions, **you are considered a dependent student. This means you must provide [parental](#) information.** Select "I will provide parental information" and click **Next** to continue to Parent Demographics.

**If you have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information,** under very limited circumstances, you may be able to submit your FAFSA without parental information. Select "I am unable to provide parental information" and click **Next** to get additional information.

- I will provide parental information
- I am unable to provide parental information

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### Help and Hints

#### Dependency Status Results

For dependent students, a special circumstance is a situation that exists between the student applicant and his or her parent(s) which prevents the student from providing parental information.

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

Select **I am unable to provide parental information** to get additional information about special circumstances.



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### Special Circumstances

**Important: You told us that you think you have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information. Before we allow you to proceed and skip the parental section of your FAFSA we must advise you of the following:**

Under Federal law to the extent your family is able, they are primarily responsible for paying for your college expenses. To determine how much your family can afford to pay towards your college expenses, we must collect your financial information and your parents' financial information.

**However, Federal law allows for some exceptions, if you have a special circumstance.** The following are **examples** of some special circumstances where you may submit your FAFSA without providing parental information:

- Your parents are incarcerated; or
- You have left home due to an abusive family environment; or
- You do not know where your parents are and are unable to contact them (and you have not been adopted).

**But not all situations are considered a special circumstance.** The following are situations that would **not** be considered a special circumstance:

- Your parents do not want to provide their information on your FAFSA; or
- Your parents refuse to contribute to your college expenses; or
- Your parents do not claim you as a dependent on their income taxes; or
- You do not live with your parents.

Now that you have reviewed the information above, select one of the following options and click **Next** to continue.

- I will provide parental information
- I have a special circumstance and I am unable to provide parental information
- I do not have a special circumstance but I am unable to provide parental information

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Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

Select **I have a special circumstance and I am unable to provide parental information** if you believe you have a special circumstance.

Select **I do not have a special circumstance but I am unable to provide parental information** if you do not have a special circumstance but cannot provide parental information.

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### Unable to Provide Parental Information

**You told us that you are unable to provide parental information. Review the following to continue.**

You may submit your FAFSA without parental information. However, we will not calculate your Expected Family Contribution (EFC), which is the index used by colleges to determine how much student aid you are eligible to receive. In order to find out how much student aid you are eligible to receive, **you must follow up with the financial aid administrator at the college you plan to attend.**

If you are approaching any deadlines for your state, college, or scholarship aid, you may want to contact your financial aid administrator **before** submitting your FAFSA without parental data.

Once you submit your FAFSA without parental data, you must follow up with the financial aid administrator at the college you plan to attend, in order to complete your FAFSA and receive an EFC.

Under Federal law, only your financial aid administrator has the authority to decide whether or not you must provide parental information on your FAFSA.

**You will have to provide documentation to verify your situation.** Gather as much written evidence of your situation as you can. Written evidence may include court or law enforcement documents, letters from a clergy member, school counselor or social worker, and/or any other relevant data that explains your special circumstance.

Select one of the following options and click **Next** to continue.

- I am unable to provide parental information and acknowledge that I must follow up with my financial aid administrator
- I will provide parental information

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#### Unable to Provide Parental Information

Select **I am unable to provide parental information and acknowledge that I must follow up with my financial aid administrator** to confirm that you will not provide parental information on your FAFSA. When you click **Next**, you will skip questions about your parents and go directly to the next set of student questions.

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

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- I will provide parental information
- I am unable to provide parental information

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- You do not know where your parents are and are unable to contact them (and you have not been adopted).

**But not all situations are considered a special circumstance.** The following are situations that would **not** be considered a special circumstance:

- Your parents do not want to provide their information on your FAFSA; or
- Your parents refuse to contribute to your college expenses; or
- Your parents do not claim you as a dependent on their income taxes; or
- You do not live with your parents.

Now that you have reviewed the information above, select one of the following options and click **Next** to continue.

- I will provide parental information
- I have a special circumstance and I am unable to provide parental information
- I do not have a special circumstance but I am unable to provide parental information

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### Special Circumstances

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

Select **I have a special circumstance and I am unable to provide parental information** if you believe you have a special circumstance.

Select **I do not have a special circumstance but I am unable to provide parental information** if you do not have a special circumstance but cannot provide parental information.




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### Unsubsidized Loan Only

Students that do not have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information normally do not qualify for federal student aid.

However, in situations where **your parent refuses to provide their information on the FAFSA and refuses to provide you with any financial support**, there is an exception that allows a student to submit the FAFSA without parental information and **receive an Unsubsidized Stafford Loan only**.

If you would like to contact the financial aid administrator at your college about receiving only the Unsubsidized Stafford loan, select "I am submitting my FAFSA to apply for an unsubsidized loan only" and click **Next** to get additional information.

If you will be providing parental information, select "I will provide parental information" and click **Next** to continue.

- I will provide parental information
- I am submitting my FAFSA to apply for an unsubsidized loan only

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#### Unsubsidized Loan Option

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

Select **I am submitting my FAFSA to apply for an unsubsidized loan only** to get additional information.

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### Unable to Provide Parental Information

**You told us that you are unable to provide parental information. Review the following to continue.**

You may submit your FAFSA without parental information. However, we will not calculate your Expected Family Contribution (EFC), which is the index used by colleges to determine how much student aid you are eligible to receive. In order to find out how much student aid you are eligible to receive, **you must follow up with the financial aid administrator at the college you plan to attend.**

If you are approaching any deadlines for your state, college, or scholarship aid, you may want to contact your financial aid administrator **before** submitting your FAFSA without parental data.

Once you submit your FAFSA without parental data, you must follow up with the financial aid administrator at the college you plan to attend, in order to complete your FAFSA and receive an EFC.

Under Federal law, only your financial aid administrator has the authority to decide whether or not you must provide parental information on your FAFSA.

**You will have to provide documentation to verify your situation.** Generally, you must submit a written statement from your parents stating that they refuse to complete the FAFSA and that they do not and will not provide you with any financial support.

After reviewing your circumstances carefully, **your financial aid administrator will decide** if you must provide parental information or if your circumstances allow you to proceed without providing parental data. **Your financial aid administrator's decision is final** and cannot be appealed to Federal Student Aid.

Select one of the following options and click **Next** to continue.

- I am unable to provide parental information and acknowledge that I must follow up with my financial aid administrator
- I will provide parental information

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##### Unable to Provide Parental Information

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Select **I am unable to provide parental information and acknowledge that I must follow up with my financial aid administrator** to confirm that you will not provide parental information on your FAFSA. When you click **Next**, you will skip questions about your parents and go directly to the next set of student questions.

Select **I will provide parental information** to continue to Parent Demographics.

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