

Student Name:	ID or SSN:
Phone #:	Email:



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2017-2018 Independent Verification Worksheet

Your application was selected by the Department of Education for review in a process called “Verification.” In this process, the Western Technical College Financial Aid Office will compare information from the FAFSA application, using signed copies of your **2015 Federal Tax Return Transcript, W-2 forms**, or other financial documents. The law says we have the right to ask you for this information before awarding Federal Aid. If there are differences between your application information and your financial documents, we may have to make electronic corrections to your application to have your information reprocessed. Complete this verification form and submit it to the Financial Aid Office at Western as soon as possible so that your financial aid won’t be delayed.

Household Information

List the people in *your household*; include:

- Yourself, and your spouse if you have one, and
- Your children, if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, and
- Other people if they now live with you and you provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.

Write the names of all household members. Also write in the name of the college for any household member who will be attending college at least half time between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018 and will be enrolled in a degree, diploma, or certificate program.

**If more space is required, attach a separate page.*

Full Name (Student's Name)	Age	Relationship (Self)	College (must be attending half-time) Western Technical College

(Over, please)

2015 STUDENT (and Spouse) Tax and Income Information

Check one box only. Tax returns include the 2015 IRS Form 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, a tax return from Puerto Rico or a foreign income tax return.

☐ **I have filed a 2015 Federal Tax Return.** *Important: If you filed, or will file an amended 2015 Federal tax return, please contact the Office of Student Financial Aid before completing this form*

☐ **I used the IRS Data Retrieval tool when I filed my 2015 FAFSA.**

☐ **I will not file and am not required to file a 2015 Federal Tax Return.** List your employer(s) and any income received in 2015.

Source or Employer	2015 Amount Earned	Student / Spouse
a.	\$	
b.	\$	
c.	\$	
d.	\$	
e.	\$	
f.	\$	

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Did you or your spouse have untaxed income from IRA distributions or pensions on your 2015 Federal tax form? ☐ No ☐ Yes

If yes, what amount, if any was a rollover? \$ _____

SIGN this worksheet

By signing this worksheet, I certify that all 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.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____