



2022-2023

Independent Student Nontax Filer Form

Student's Name	Student's MSU Net ID	MSU ID (9 digit)
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Your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) was selected for verification. On the FAFSA, you (the student) reported that you were not required to file a 2020 federal tax return. MSU is required by federal regulations to confirm this information in order to complete your financial aid file. Please complete this form and provide any other necessary documentation.

Review the options below, complete the table and provide any additional documentation as requested:

1. **You were not employed and had no income earned from work in 2020.**
Please enter "none" for Employer's Name and "0" for Income Amount Earned in the table below.
2. **You were employed in 2020 and earned an income but were NOT required to file a 2020 federal tax return.**
 - a. List the name of each employer in 2020, and the amount of income earned from each employer.
 - b. Answer Yes or No to indicate if you received a 1099 or W-2 form from each employer.
 - c. Provide copies of **all** 2020 W-2 and/or 1099 forms issued to you by your employer(s).
 - d. If a W-2 or 1099 has been misplaced, you must request an **IRS 2020 Wage and Income Statement** by completing an IRS Form 4506-T and submitting the form to the IRS by mail, fax, or by requesting online at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>.
3. **AN INDEPENDENT STUDENT* who did not file a 2020 tax return, must provide a 2020 IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter or other relevant tax authority documentation.**
 - a. Request documentation online at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>, call 1-800-908-9946, or complete an IRS Form 4506-T and submit it to the IRS by mail or fax.
 - b. If unable to obtain this **required** document, student must provide a signed statement certifying that they attempted to obtain confirmation of non-filing from the IRS and why they were unable to obtain it.

*You are an independent student if you were not required to enter your parents' information on FAFSA.

2020 Student's Employer Name: Do not leave blank!	2020 Income Amount Earned: Do not leave blank!	Was a W-2 /1099 Form provided? YES OR NO <small>If no, see below*</small>

Only include information on income earned, including any funds earned through the Federal Work Study Program. Do not include funds you received from other student financial aid programs or scholarships. Do not include money from untaxed sources (i.e. social security, disability, etc.)

****If no W-2 or 1099 is available, you must attach a detailed, signed statement that specifies the reason why the W-2 or 1099 is not available.**

Signatures (Note: Signatures **MUST BE HANDWRITTEN**; electronic signatures will not be accepted.)

By signing this form, I certify that I have provided complete and accurate information to the best of my knowledge.
Warning: Purposely giving false or misleading information may result in a fine, imprisonment, or both.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

(Required for all students)