

## Verification Statement – Independent Student

**IDOC ID:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete, print, sign, and submit this form.

### Step 1 - Student Information

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address (include apt. #) Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  
 City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Primary Phone # (include area code) Primary E-mail Address

### Step 2 - Household Information

Report Below:

- Yourself
- Your spouse (if you are married)
- Your children if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018
- Other people only if they now live with you and you or your spouse provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018
- Provide college information for those students attending at least half-time during 2017-18 in a program leading to a degree, diploma, or certificate

Full Name	Age	Relationship	Name of College	Undergraduate /Graduate	Half-time/ Full-time	Expected Grad Date
		<i>Self</i>				

### Step 3 - Student's Tax Filing Status - Calendar Year 2015

Have you or will you be required to file a 2015 U.S. federal income tax return?

YES

**NO, but I had some earnings from work** - Submit a *Non-Tax Filer's Statement* available on the dashboard. Be sure to submit all 2015 W-2 and 2015 1099 forms you received. Your school may also request you submit an IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter which you can request from the IRS at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>.

**NO, and I had no earnings from work** - Submit a *Non-Tax Filer's Statement* available on the dashboard. Your school may also request you submit an IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter which you can request from the IRS at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>.

### Step 4 - Spouse's Tax Filing Status - Calendar Year 2015

If you are married, has your spouse filed or will he or she be required to file a 2015 U.S. federal income tax return?

YES

**NO, but he or she has some earnings from work** - Submit a *Non-Tax Filer's Statement* available on the dashboard. Be sure to submit all 2015 W-2 and 2015 1099 forms he or she received. Your school may also request you submit an IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter which you can request from the IRS at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>.

**NO, and he or she had no earnings from work** - Submit a *Non-Tax Filer's Statement* available on the dashboard. your school may also request you submit an IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter which you can request from the IRS at <https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript>.

### Step 5 - Certification

I certify all the information reported is complete and correct (the student and student's spouse, if married, must sign):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse Signature (if married) Date