

2026-2027 Family Size - Independent Student



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Your FAFSA application was selected by the U.S. Dept. of Education for review in a process called “verification.” In this process we are required by federal law (34 CFR, Part 668) to compare the information from your FAFSA application with the information provided on this form. If there are differences between your application information and your verification documents, we may need to correct your FAFSA information. We cannot process your financial aid until verification has been completed. Please provide the required documents as soon as possible.

STUDENT INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Tech ID#: _____

Student Name: _____
Last
First
MI

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

FAMILY SIZE - Complete the table below to provide information about your family size. Family size includes the following:

- The student.
- The student’s spouse, if applicable.
- The student’s dependent children if all of the following are true:
 - » They live with the student (or live apart because of college enrollment);
 - » They receive more than half of their support from the student; and
 - » They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student during the award year.
- Other persons if the following are true:
 - » They live with the student;
 - » They receive more than half of their support from the student; and
 - » They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student during the award year.

The provided criteria for “dependent children” or “other persons” mirror the requirement 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 U.S 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>

SIGNATURE

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sentenced to prison, or both. We certify that all of the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct. The student and parent must sign this worksheet.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Spouse’s Signature: _____

Date: _____

(Required if student is married)