

Your 2026-2027 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) has been selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information, the Financial Aid Office (FAO) will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. Please complete and sign this worksheet, and submit the form with other required documents to the FAO. Western Piedmont Community College (WPCC) may ask for additional information. If you have questions about verification, contact your FAO as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

PLEASE COMPLETE IN INK.

A. Student's Information

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	Student's M.I.	Student ID Number
Student's Street Address (include apt. no.)			Student's Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Email Address
Student's Home Phone Number (include area code)			Alternate/Cell Phone Number

B. Family Size-Includes the following:

- **The student.**
- **The student's spouse, if applicable.**
- **The student's dependent children if 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.
- **The student's parents (if student is DEPENDENT), even if the student is not living with them.** Exclude a parent who has died or is not living in the household because of separation or divorce. Include a parent who is on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces apart from the family.
- **The student's siblings if the following are true:**
 - ✓ They live with the student's parents (or live apart because of college enrollment),
 - ✓ They receive more than half of their support from the student's parents, and
 - ✓ They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student's parents during the award year.
- **Other persons if the following are true:**
 - ✓ They live with the student (independent) or student's parent(s) (dependent);
 - ✓ They receive more than half of their support from the student (independent) or student's parent(s) (dependent); and
 - ✓ They will continue to receive more than half their support from the student (independent) or student's parent(s) (dependent) during the award year.

The provided criteria for "dependent children" or "other persons" align with the requirement that family size align with whom 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.

Make a copy of this worksheet for your records. Submit this worksheet to the WPCC Financial Aid Office.

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Student's Name: _____

Student ID: _____

If more space is needed, provide a separate page with the student's name and student ID number at the top.

Full Name	Age	Relationship	Name of College (write N/A if not enrolled in college)	Will be Enrolled at Least Half Time in College
		Self	WPCC	☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No
				☐ Yes ☐ No

Note: We may require additional documentation if we have reason to believe that the information regarding the household members enrolled in eligible postsecondary educational institution is inaccurate.

C. Certification and Signature

I certify that all of the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct. The student must sign this worksheet.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

A contributor's (parent's) signature is also required for dependent students.

Student's Signature

Date

Contributor's (Parent's) Signature (if student is Dependent)

Date