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Document Deadlines:

Priority document deadline:June 3, 2013Spring funding deadline:May 12, 2014Fall funding deadline:Dec. 9, 2013Summer funding deadline:July 7, 2014

Your 2013-14 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we must ask you to confirm the information you and your parents reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information the financial aid administrator at your school 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. You and at least one parent must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the forms to Gavilan. Note: Gavilan College may require additional documentation if we have reason to believe that the information regarding the household members enrolled in eligible postsecondary educational institutions is inaccurate.

A. Dependent Student's Information

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	Student's M.I. Student's Gavilan ID		
Student's Street Address (in	nclude apt. no.)	Student's Social Security Number		
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Date of Birth	

B. Dependent Student's Family Information

List below the people in your <u>parent(s)' household</u>. Include:

- Yourself and your parent(s) (including a stepparent) even if you don't live with your parent(s).
- Your parent(s)' other children if your parent(s) will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2014, or if the other children would be required to provide parental information if they were completing a FAFSA for 2013–2014. Include children who meet either of these standards, even if they do not live with your parent(s).
- Other people if they now live with your parent(s) and your parent(s) provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support through June 30, 2014.

Include the name of the college for any household member, excluding your parent(s), who will be enrolled, <u>at least half time</u> in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at a postsecondary educational institution any time between July 1, 2013, and June 30, 2014. *If more space is needed, attach a separate page with the student's name and Gavilan ID at the top.*

Full Name	Age	Relationship	College	Will be Enrolled at
				Least Half Time
		Self	Gavilan College	

C. Dependent Student's Income Information to Be Verified

1. TAX RETURN FILER

Instructions:

Complete this section if the student, <u>filed or will file</u> a 2012 income tax return with the IRS. *The best way to verify income is by using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool that is part of FAFSA on the Web. If the student has not already used the tool, go to <u>FAFSA.gov</u>, log in to the student's FAFSA record, select "Make FAFSA Corrections," and navigate to the Financial Information section of the form. From there, follow the instructions to determine if the student is eligible to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to transfer 2012 IRS income tax information into the student's FAFSA. It takes 2 to 3 weeks for IRS income information to be available for the IRS Data Retrieval Tool for electronic IRS tax return filers, and 8 to 11 weeks for paper IRS tax return filers. If you need more information about when, or how to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool see your financial aid administrator.*

Check the box that applies:

The student <u>has used</u> the IRS Data Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web to retrieve and transfer 2012 IRS income information into the student's FAFSA, either on the initial FAFSA or when making a correction to the FAFSA. *The student's school will use the IRS information that was transferred in the verification process.*

The student is <u>unable or chooses not to</u> use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web, and the student will submit to the school a **2012 IRS tax return transcript**—not a photocopy of the income tax return. *To obtain an IRS tax return transcript, go to* <u>www.IRS.gov</u> and click on the "Order a Return or Account Transcript" link, or call 1-800-908-9946. Make sure to request the "IRS tax return transcript" and not the "IRS tax account transcript." You will need your Social Security Number, date of birth, and the address on file with the IRS (normally this will be the address used when the 2012 IRS tax return was filed). It takes 2 to 3 weeks for IRS income information to be available for electronic IRS tax return filers, and 8 to 11 weeks for paper IRS tax return filers.

Check here if the student's IRS tax return transcript is attached to this worksheet.

2. <u>TAX RETURN NONFILER</u>—Complete this section if the student, will not file and is <u>not required</u> to file a 2012 income tax return with the IRS. Check the box that applies:

The student was not employed and had no income earned from work in 2012.

The student was employed in 2012 and has listed below the names of all the student's employers, the amount earned from each employer in 2012, and whether an IRS W-2 form is attached. Attach copies of all 2012 IRS W-2 forms issued to the student by employers. *List every employer even if they did not issue an IRS W-2 form. If more space is needed, attach a separate page with the student's name and Social Security Number at the top.*

Employer's Name	2012 Amount Earned	IRS W-2 Attached?
Suzy's Auto Body Shop (example)	\$2,000.00(example)	Yes(example)

D. Parent's Income Information to Be Verified—Note: If two parents were reported in Section B of this worksheet, the instructions and certifications below refer and apply to both parents.

1. **TAX RETURN FILERS**—Instructions: Complete this section if the student's parent(s) filed or will file a 2012 income tax return with the IRS. The best way to verify income is by using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool that is part of FAFSA on the Web. If the student's parent(s) has not already used the tool, the parent and the student should go to <u>FAFSA.gov</u>, log in to the student's FAFSA record, select "Make FAFSA Corrections," and navigate to the Financial Information section of the form. From there, follow the instructions to determine if the parent(s) is eligible to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool to transfer 2012 IRS income tax information into the student's FAFSA. It takes 2-3 weeks for IRS income information to be available for the IRS Data Retrieval Tool for electronic IRS tax return filers, and 8-11 weeks for paper IRS tax return filers. If you need more information about whether or how to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool see the student's financial aid administrator.

Check the box that applies:

- The student's parent <u>has used</u> the IRS Data Retrieval Tool in FAFSA on the Web to transfer 2012 IRS income information into the student's FAFSA, either on the initial FAFSA or when making a correction to the FAFSA. *The student's school will use the IRS information transferred into the student's FAFSA to complete the verification process.*
- The parent is unable or chooses not to use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool, and the parent will submit to the student's school a copy of the parent's **2012 IRS tax return transcript(s)**—not photocopies of the income tax return. *To obtain an IRS tax return transcript go to www.IRS.gov and click on the "Order a Return or Account Transcript" link, or call 1-800-908-9946. Make sure you order the "IRS tax return transcript" and not the "IRS tax account transcript." The parent will need his or her Social Security Number, date of birth, and the address on file with the IRS (normally this will be the address used when the 2012 IRS tax return was filed). It takes 2-3 weeks for IRS income information to be available for electronic IRS tax return filers, and 8-11 weeks for paper tax return filers. If the parents are married, and separate 2012 tax returns were filed, 2012 IRS tax return transcripts must be submitted for each parent.*

Check here if an IRS tax return transcript(s) is attached to this worksheet.

2. <u>TAX RETURN NONFILERS</u>—Complete this section if the student's parent(s) will not file and <u>is not required</u> to file a 2012 income tax return with the IRS.

Check the box that applies:

The parent(s) was <u>not employed</u> and had no income earned from work in 2012.

The parent(s) <u>was employed</u> in 2012 and has listed below the names of all the parent's employers, the amount earned from each employer in 2012, and whether an IRS W-2 form is attached. Attach copies of all 2012 IRS W-2 forms issued to the parent(s) by employer(s). *List every employer even if they did not issue an IRS W-2 form. If more space is needed, attach a separate page with the student's name and Social Security Number at the top.*

List name of parent (or step- parent) who worked in 2012	Employer's Name	2012 Amount Earned	IRS W-2 Attached?
Marty Jones (example)	Suzy's Auto Body Shop (example)	<i>\$2,000.00</i> (example)	Yes (example)

E. Parent's Other Information to Be Verified – FOOD STAMPS RECEIVED

1. Did someone in the student's parent's household (listed in Section B) receive/received benefits from the **Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program or SNAP (formerly known as food stamps)** any time during the 2011 or 2012 calendar years?

YES: Person(s) listed in Section B of this worksheet received SNAP benefits in 2011 or 2012.

Who Received Food Stamps?	Relationship to you

NO: No one listed in Section B of this worksheet received SNAP benefits in 2011 or 2012.

F. Parent's Other Information to Be Verified – CHILD SUPPORT PAID

YES: The parent has indicated below the name of the person who paid the child support, the name of the person to whom the child support was paid, the names of the children for whom child support was paid, and the total annual amount of child support that was paid in 2012 for each child. If asked by the school, I will provide documentation of the payment of child support. *If you need more space, attach a separate page that includes the student's name and Social Security Number at the top*

NO: I did not pay child support in 2012. If married, my spouse did not pay child support in 2012.

Name of Person Who Paid	Name of Person to Whom Child	Name of Child for Whom	Amount of Child
Child Support	Support was Paid	Support Was Paid	Support Paid in
			2012
Marty Jones	Chris Smith (example)	Terry Jones	\$6,000.00

Note: If we have reason to believe that the information regarding child support paid is not accurate, we may require additional documentation, such as:

- A copy of the separation agreement or divorce decree that shows the amount of child support to be provided;
- A statement from the individual receiving the child support certifying the amount of child support received; or
- Copies of the child support payment checks or money order receipts.

G. Certification and Signatures WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all of the information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be information reported on it is complete and correct. sentenced to jail, or both. The student and one parent must sign and date. Student Signature: Date: _____ Parent Signature: Date: _____