

# 2020 - 2021 Non-Tax Filing Statement INDEPENDENT STUDENT/SPOUSE

Your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law states that before awarding any Federal Student Aid, we must ask you to confirm the information reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information, the financial aid office will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information will be corrected. You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and the other required documents to the financial aid office at Green Hall 101. If you have questions about this form, contact the financial aid office as soon as possible at (609) 771-2211 so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

Please note: You are being asked to complete this form because YOU, the student, and/or your Spouse (if applicable) indicated on the FAFSA that you did not file a 2018 US income tax return and had no earned income. The US Department of Education requires that we confirm this information.

In addition to completing this form, YOU and/or your Spouse (if applicable) must request a Verification of Non-filing statement from the IRS and submit it along with this form.

# The request for Verification of Non-filing can be obtained in two ways:

- **Online:** <u>https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript</u> You must use the Click on the Get Transcript ONLINE box or Get Transcript by MAIL box and follow the instructions.
- Hardcopy: Fax or mail IRS form 4506T to the IRS. You can access this form at: <u>https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/f4506t.pdf</u> Please make sure to select Option #7 on the form.

## A. Student's Information

Student's Last Name	Student's First Name	Student's M.I.	Student's Social Security Number	
Student's Street Address (in	clude apt. no.)		PAWS ID	
City	State	Zip Code	Student's Email Address	
Student's Home Number (include area code)			Student's Alternate or Cell Phone Number	

Spouse's name – if applicable

## **B.** Student's non-filing confirmation

### Check the box that applies:

The student (and Spouse) was not employed and had no income earned from work in 2018. <u>Proceed to Section C and</u> submit this form along with Verification of Non-filing from the IRS.

The student (and Spouse) was employed in 2018. Please review the instructions below:

- 1. If a 2018 tax return was filed, please submit this form with a copy of your 2018 IRS Income Tax Transcript or a signed "home copy" of your tax return.
- 2. If a 2018 tax return was not filed, list below the names of all the student's (and Spouse's) employers, the amount earned from each employer in 2018, and whether an IRS W-2 form is attached. Attach copies of all 2018 IRS W-2 forms issued to the student (Spouse) 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	2018 Amount Earned	IRS W-2 Attached?
Suzy's Auto Body Shop (example)	\$2,000.00(example)	Yes(example)

#### C. Certification and Signatures

Each person signing this worksheet certifies that all of the information reported on it is complete and correct. The student and one parent must sign and date.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

Student's Signature

Date

STOP! Are all boxes filled in? Did you sign the form? Thank you!

Submit this worksheet to the financial aid office at The College of New Jersey (TCNJ) PO Box 7718, Ewing, NJ 08628 Green Hall 101 (609) 771-2211 - Fax (609) 637-5154