



Exploring College Affordability

Dependent Student FAFSA Checklist

A checklist from Chicago Public Schools for dependent students so they can consider all of the required documents to complete the FAFSA.



FAFSA DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST FOR DEPENDENT STUDENTS

Use this to ensure you have all you need to complete a FAFSA. As a dependent student you will also need the same information for the parent's information you intend to use in completing your FAFSA (birth, adoptive, or step only.)

Take the completed checklist along with copies of documentation to your Counselor/Coach when you are ready to complete your FAFSA. **Keep copies of all documentation in your file in case you need it!**

<input type="checkbox"/>	*Student Name _____ Student ID# _____ Student Div# _____ <i>(*as it appears on your social security card)</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your Social Security Number. <input type="checkbox"/> Parent(s) Social Security Number.	BE SURE IT'S CORRECT!
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your alien registration or permanent resident card (if you are not a U.S. citizen)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Current and full home address (including apt. or floor #) <i>ex: 4655 S. Dearborn St. Chicago, IL 60609</i> _____	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Registered for Selective Services (Mandatory) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	FOR MALES
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your official birth date _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Parent(s) official birth date _____	AS IT APPEARS ON BIRTH CERTIFICATE
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your current W-2 Forms and other records of money earned <input type="checkbox"/> Parent(s) current W-2 Forms, etc.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your (and your spouse's, if you are married) <u>current</u> Federal Income Tax Return. Parent(s) <u>current</u> Federal Income Tax Return	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ IRS 1040, 1040A, 1040 EZ ▪ Foreign Tax Return, or ▪ Tax return for Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Marshall Islands, the Federal States of Micronesia, or Palau 	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Your <u>current</u> untaxed income records (If applicable) Parent(s) current untaxed income records (If applicable)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Social Security ▪ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families ▪ Welfare ▪ Veterans benefits records ▪ Disability or workman's compensation 	
<input type="checkbox"/>	You and your parent(s) cash, checking, savings amount in the bank <u>as of today</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Completed</u> FAFSA Worksheet (Parents can submit this <u>only</u> if uncomfortable sending documents)	

I certify this student is: Ready to complete the FAFSA Ready to start the FAFSA Not ready to start the FAFSA

Counselor/Coach Signature

Date