ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships
2027-2028 Independent Verification Worksheet

Section 1: Student Information	
Student name (Last name, First name)	
A-State ID number	Cell phone number

Independent Student

Section 2: Student's Spouse Information

List your spouse below, if applicable. Do not list your spouse if you are divorced, separated, or widowed. If your spouse will be attending college at least half-time (6 credits or more) in a degree, diploma or certificate program between July 1, 2027 and June 30, 2028, please list the name of the college your spouse is attending.

Full Name	Age	Date of Birth	Relationship to Student	College Attending

Section 3A: Student's Household Information - Children

Read carefully and list the following individuals.

- **You or your spouse's children,** if you will provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2027 through June 30, 2028. Do not include foster children.
- **Individuals in college**, list below that will be attending college at least half-time (6 credits or more) in a degree, diploma, or certificate program between July 1, 2027 and June 30, 2028. Please list the name of the college they are attending.

Full Name	Age	Date of Birth	Relationship to Student	College Attending

Section 3B: Student's Household Information - Other Individuals

- **Other individuals.** Only include those if they live with you and will receive more than half of their support from you and will continue to receive this support from July 1, 2027 through June 30, 2028. Support is defined as the basic maintenance costs for the entire 12-month period. Items considered as support include, but are not limited to food, housing, clothes, car, medical and dental care, money, etc. Please mark all types of support provided by your parents for the individual(s) listed below.

Full Name	Age	Relationship to Student	Housing	Food	Insurance
			❑	❑	❑
			❑	❑	❑
			❑	❑	❑

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Student Name:_____ ASU ID Number:_____

Section 4A: Student Income Information - Did you file a 2025 federal tax return?

❑ Yes, I filed a 2025 federal tax return. Skip remainder of Section 4A and go to Section 5.

❑ No, I have not filed, and I am not required to file a 2025 federal tax return.
If you had income, list employer(s) and 2025 earnings below. Submit copies of all 2025 W-2(s). If no W-2 was issued, note this below.

Student Non-Tax Filers Only

Please complete the table below by listing all sources of income for 2025 and submit all W2s or 1099s for each source of employment. You must also submit a Verification of Non-Filing Letter from the IRS. ***Please provide a Verification of Non-Filing Letter from the IRS for you and your spouse (if married).***

Student's Name	**Employer or Source of Earned Income from Work**	***Gross Earnings in 2025 (See Box 1 of W2)***	**W-2 or 1099 Issued?**
		$	❑Yes ❑No
		$	❑Yes ❑No

Section 4A: Student's Spouse's Income Information - Did your spouse file a 2025 federal tax return?

❑ Yes, a 2025 federal tax return was filed. Skip remainder of Section 4B and go to Section 5.

❑ No, a tax return was not filed, and was not required to file be filed.
If there was any income, list the employer(s) and 2025 earnings below. Submit copies of all 2025 W-2(s). If no W-2 was issued, note this below.

Spouse Non-Tax Filers Only

Please complete the table below by listing all sources of income for 2025 and submit all W2s or 1099s for each source of employment. You must also submit a Verification of Non-Filing Letter from the IRS. ***Please provide a Verification of Non-Filing Letter from the IRS for you and your spouse (if married).***

Spouse's Name	**Employer or Source of Earned Income from Work**	***Gross Earnings in 2025 (See Box 1 of W2)***	**W-2 or 1099 Issued?**
		$	❑Yes ❑No
		$	❑Yes ❑No
		$	❑Yes ❑No

Section 5: FUTURE ACT - Direct Data Exchange

Check Yes or No	**Student**	**Spouse**
Did you give consent to transfer your income/tax information from the IRS using the Direct Data Exchange tool (DDX)?	❑ Yes, Direct Data Exchange was performed. No further action required. ❑ No. I will submit a signed copy of my 2025 federal tax return.	❑ Yes, Direct Data Exchange was performed. No further action required. ❑ No. I will submit a signed copy of my 2025 federal tax return.

By signing this Verification Statement, I (we) certify that all information reported is complete and accurate. <u>WARNING</u>: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

X_____ _____

Student Signature **Date**

Please complete and return to: A-State Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships
Mail: **P.O. Box 1620 State University, AR 72467** Fax: **870-972-2794** Email: **finaid@astate.edu**