

Student – Tax and Income Information

Check only one box below.

- I used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA, *no action required*.
- I did file and am attaching my **2018 IRS Tax Return** or **Tax Return Transcript**.
- I did not file a 2018 Federal Tax Return but I did have earnings in 2018.

Independent Students: **You MUST submit proof of Nonfiling from the IRS and copies of all W-2s.**

Dependent Students: **You MUST provide copies of all W-2s.**

To get your Nonfiling Letter and/or W2s, please visit this link to locate the IRS Tax Transcript Instructions:

<https://southseattle.edu/financial-aid/2020-2021-financial-aid-forms>

- I did not file and I did not have any earnings in 2018.
- Independent Students: **You MUST obtain proof of Nonfiling from the IRS.**
- Dependent Students: **No action required.**

Parent(s) or Spouse – Tax and Income Information

Check only one box below.

- My Parent(s) or Spouse used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA, *no action required*.
 - My Parent(s) or Spouse did file and are attaching their **2018 IRS Tax Return** or **Tax Return Transcript**.
 - My Parent(s) or Spouse did not file a 2018 Federal Tax Return but they did have earnings in 2018. **They MUST submit proof of Nonfiling from the IRS and copies of all W-2s.**
- To get your Nonfiling Letter and/or W2s, please visit this link to locate the IRS Tax Transcript Instructions:
- <https://southseattle.edu/financial-aid/2020-2021-financial-aid-forms>
- My Parent(s) or Spouse did not file and they did not have any earnings in 2018. **They MUST submit proof of Nonfiling from the IRS.**

Student – High School Completion Status

Please check only one box and provide required document(s).

- High School Diploma.** Attached is a copy of my diploma or high school transcript indicating graduation date.
- GED.** Attached is a copy of my GED certificate.
- Home School Graduate.** Attached is a transcript signed by my parent or guardian listing the secondary courses completed and documenting the successful completion of secondary school.
- I have not graduated from high school but excelled academically at my high school. Attached is a signed statement from my high school counselor documenting that I excelled academically and my high school transcript.

Student – Identity Verification

- I am appearing in person with my valid government-issued photo identification (driver's license, state identification card, or passport). The Financial Aid Office Staff will make a copy.
- I am appearing in person to sign the statement below. (Student **must** sign statement in front of Notary Public)

Text Messaging Disclaimer - OPTIONAL

I authorize a Seattle Colleges employee to send text messages to my cell phone to share pertinent information related to my academics. I understand that standard text messaging rates will apply to any messages received from the Seattle Colleges. I also understand that I or Seattle Colleges may revoke this permission at any time. To stop texting communication, please text "stop" in reply, which will remove you from the text messaging distribution list. I agree not to hold the Seattle Colleges liable for any electronic messaging charges or fees generated by this service.

Cell Phone: (____)_____-_____ Cell Carrier (Sprint, T-Mobile, etc.): _____

Student – Statement of Educational Purpose MUST BE WITNESSED BY A NOTARY PUBLIC

- (a) A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the witnessed statement below, such as but not limited to a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; **and**
(b) The original Official Witnessed Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing this Statement of Educational Purpose and that
(Student Name) the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending South Seattle College for 2020-2021.

(Student's Signature) Date Student's ID Number

(Witnessing Notary Signature) Date

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of _____ City/County of _____

On _____, before me, _____,
(Date) (Notary's name)

personally appeared, _____, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of
(Printed name of signer)

identification _____ to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

WITNESS my hand and official seal

(Notary signature)

My commission expires on _____ (seal)

Sign the Worksheet *(Please print, then sign and date below)*

Each person signing this form certifies that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. The student and at least one parent must sign and date. Scanned or faxed copies of this document are not accepted. Please mail the original signed form to the Financial Aid Office.

Student Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____