

## **Financial Aid Office**

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Students Name:					_		
	Last	First		M.I.	S	tudent ID	
Address:	Street Address	City	State	ZIP	Code		
Phone:		Email					
You indicated on your Free Application for Federal Student Aid that you did not file a 2020 federal tax return. Federal regulations require our office to verify this information.							
By completing this form, you certify that you did not file <u>and</u> are not required to file a 2020 federal tax return. Check the boxes that applies to you.							
☐ Student did not file a 2020 federal tax return because;							
☐ I was not employed and did not have any income earned from work in 2020.							
<ul> <li>☐ I had too little taxable income to be required to file a tax return.</li> <li>(If you are unsure whether or not you/spouse were required to file a tax return in 2020, please refer to Table 1-1 from IRS Publication 17 on the reverse side of this page.)</li> <li>☐ I cannot provide W-2 forms for 2020 for wages earned because</li> </ul>							
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Note: Employers are required to provide W-2 forms for employees; therefore, if you were an employee even part of 2020, you must attach a copy of all of your 2020 W-2's.							
	Student	Student Employers	20	20 Amou Earned	nt	My W-2 is included	
	tion Statement						
	this form, I certify	that all of the information repor	ted is com	blete and	accura	nte.	
Student Signature:	Date:						

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Table 1. 2020 Filing Requirements Chart for Most Taxpayers

IF your filing status is	AND at the end of 2020 you were	THEN file a return if your gross income was at least"
single	under 65	\$12,400
	65 or older	\$14,050
head of household	under 65	\$18,650
	65 or older	\$20,300
married, filing jointly"	under 65 (both spouses)	\$24,800
	65 or older (one spouse)	\$26,100
	65 or older (both spouses)	\$27,400
married, filing separately	any age	\$5
qualifying widow(er)	under 65	\$24,800
	65 or older	\$26,100

<sup>\*</sup> If you were born before January 2, 1956, you're considered to be 65 or older at the end of 2020. (If your spouse died in 2020, see <u>Death of spouse</u>, later. If you're preparing a return for someone who died in 2020, see <u>Death of taxpayer</u>, later.

More information regarding Tax Filing Requirements can be found online at www.irs.gov

<sup>\*\*</sup> Gross income means all income you receive in the form of money, goods, property, and services that isn't exempt from tax, including any income from sources outside the United States or from the sale of your main home (even if you can exclude part or all of it). Don't include any social security benefits unless (a) you're married filing a separate return and you lived with your spouse at any time during 2020, or (b) one-half of your social security benefits plus your other gross income and any tax-exempt interest is more than \$25,000 (\$32,000 if married filing jointly). If (a) or (b) applies, see the Form 1040 and 1040-SR instructions to figure the taxable part of social security benefits you must include in gross income. Gross income includes gains, but not losses, reported on Form 8949 or Schedule D. Gross income from a business means, for example, the amount on Schedule C, line 7; or Schedule F, line 9. But in figuring gross income, don't reduce your income by any losses, including any loss on Schedule C, line 7; or Schedule F, line 9.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> If you didn't live with your spouse at the end of 2020 (or on the date your spouse died) and your gross income was at least \$5, you must file a return regardless of your age.