



Financial Aid Office  
 360 Choate Avenue  
 Buffalo, NY 14220  
 716.826.1200

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions**

Your 2023-2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you and your spouse (if married) reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information Trocaire College will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and return to the Trocaire Financial Aid Office.

**Section 1: Tax Status and Income Information**

Place an X next to the statement that best represents your 2021 tax filing status and complete the corresponding instructions below. Indicate spouse status only if you were married on the date you submitted your FAFSA and filed separate 2021 tax returns.

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<p><b>Did you file a 2021 Federal Income Tax Return?</b>            (You <b>must</b> check one box below and submit the requested documents.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> – I used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA (no documentation required).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> – I have enclosed a <b>signed</b> copy of my 2021 Tax Return (including schedules 1, 2 or 3 if applicable) <u>or</u> my 2021 IRS Tax Transcript. If you have amended your tax return, please submit <u>both</u> the amended return as well as an IRS Tax Return Transcript.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b> – I did not earn any income from work in 2021. I have enclosed an IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b> – I did not file a 2021 Federal Tax Return but I did earn wages from the employer(s) listed below. I have enclosed copies of my W-2 statements from each employer and an IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter.</p>	<p><b>Did you file a 2021 Federal Income Tax Return?</b>            (You <b>must</b> check one box below and submit the requested documents.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> – I used the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on the FAFSA (no documentation required).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>YES</b> – I have enclosed a <b>signed</b> copy of my 2021 Tax Return (including schedules 1, 2 or 3 if applicable) <u>or</u> my 2021 IRS Tax Transcript. If you have amended your tax return, please submit <u>both</u> the amended return as well as an IRS Tax Return Transcript.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b> – I did not earn any income from work in 2021. I have enclosed an IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>NO</b> – I did not file a 2021 Federal Tax Return but I did earn wages from the employer(s) listed below. I have enclosed copies of my W-2 statements from each employer and an IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter.</p>																
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Section 2: Household Verification

List ALL individuals in your household, including:

- 1. Yourself and your spouse (if married).
2. Your children if you provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.
3. Other people who live with you if you currently provide more than half of their support and will continue to provide more than half of their support from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

Write the names of all household members in the space below along with the name of the college for any household member who will be enrolled at least half-time between July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2024 in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at an eligible postsecondary institution.

Table with 4 columns: Full Name, Age, Relationship, College. Includes a header row and a pre-filled row for 'Self' at 'Trocaire College'.

Section 3: Certification and Signature - Please handwritten your signature. Typed Signatures cannot be accepted.

I certify that all information provided in this document is true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that any false statement or misrepresentation will be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of financial aid. Also, purposely giving false or misleading information on this worksheet may lead to fines, jail sentences, or both. I authorize Trocaire College to make any change(s) necessary as a result of the updated information that I have provided.

Student Signature (Cannot be typed) Date Spouse Signature (if married) Date