Financial Aid

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2025-2026 Student Clarification of U.S. Tax Return

NOTICE: For your personal protection, DO NOT EMAIL documents that may contain sensitive information (including tax documents and W-2s). Per Federal Regulations, you must submit documents by mail, fax (803-643-6840) or in person.

Student Information

Student's Name: Last	First	M.I.	USC ID	VIP ID

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On your 2025-2026 FAFSA, you or your spouse/partner indicated that you did not file a U.S. tax return for a reason other than low income. Please follow the instructions below to provide additional information.

Print Spouse/Partner Name: Last (if applicable)	**First**	**M.I.**	**Last 4 of SSN**

Instructions: You must submit income documentation such as a W-2 statement for all sources of income or a signed statement listing the sources and the amounts of income for the 2023 tax year. **You** must also list the reason(s) why you or your spouse/partner did not file. We cannot continue processing your financial aid until we have received this information.

Please explain why you, or your spouse/partner, did not file a tax return (submit an additional page if you need more space):

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Please provide a copy of your W-2(s) or list your sources of income and the amounts that correspond to them. Attach any documentation.

CERTIFICATION:

By signing this document, I certify that all the information reported on it is true and accurate. If I purposely give false or misleading information on this document, it will be cause for denial or repayment of financial aid and I may also be fined, sentenced to jail, or both. I give permission to update my FAFSA based on the information I listed above.

Required Signatures

Student's Signature	Date	Student Spouse/Partner Signature (if needed)	Date

WARNING: Under penalty of law, if you purposely give false or misleading information on this form, you may be fined, sentenced to jail or both.