

## 2023-2024 Conflicting Information Form

The Department of Education has flagged your 2023-2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) because the information transferred from the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (DRT) was later altered by either the student and/or parent.

To ensure that correct information is used to determine the applicant's Title IV eligibility, North Carolina Wesleyan University must review the relevant date that was edited/altered. In many instances, this review may require your Financial Aid Administrator obtaining documentation to support the accuracy of the information. If the information is determined to be incorrect, the institution must submit the corrections to the Department of Education which could result in a change with your financial aid award package.

Below are a few examples of why your FAFSA triggered the need for further information:

For Dependent Students and Independent Students

- 1. Student is a tax filer (FAFSA Question 32) and the AGI retrieved from the IRS is zero, but the total income earned from work (FAFSA Questions 39 and 40) is greater than zero.
- 2. The total of the Additional Financial Information fields reported on the FAFSA form (FAFSA Questions 44a-f) is greater than the AGI transferred from the IRS.
- 3. Any item from the FAFSA list of Untaxed Income (FAFSA Questions 45a-j) is equal to or exceeds the AGI transferred from the IRS.

For Parents of Dependent Students

1. Parent is a tax filer (FAFSA Question 80) and the AGI retrieved from the IRS is zero, but the total income earned from work (FAFSA Questions 88 and 89) is greater than zero.

- 2. The total of the Additional Financial Information fields reported on the FAFSA form (FAFSA Questions 93a-f) is greater than the AGI transferred from the IRS.
- 3. Any item from the FAFSA list of Untaxed Income (FAFSA Questions 94a-i) is equal to or exceeds the AGI transferred from the IRS.

## Please contact your Financial Aid Administrator to resolve the issued reported on your FAFSA.

\*\*North Carolina Wesleyan University's Office of Financial Aid **is unable to disburse federal student financial aid until the issues are resolved.** Failure to resolve may result in you not being eligible for federal aid and will need other means to pay for classes. Failure to pay for classes by published deadlines may result in registered classes being dropped. \*\*