



LAKE FOREST
COLLEGE

2026 - 2027 Parent Income Change Form

Complete this form if the total income of the parent(s) who completed your FAFSA will be *significantly less* in 2026 than 2024. Please contact our office if you have questions, or are unsure if your decrease is "significant" enough to affect eligibility.

Please Print

Student's Name: _____ **Lake Forest ID# or Last four of SSN:** _____

☐ I am a new student at Lake Forest ☐ I am a returning student at Lake Forest

Affected Parent: _____ **Parent Completing this Form:** _____

Parent's Daytime Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ **Parent's E-Mail:** _____

➤ **Step 1. What month and year did or will the income change take place?**

➤ **Step 2. Details of the change.** Examples: job loss, decrease in pay, one-time income, rollover, unemployment ended, etc. Include the certainty of, reason for and duration of the change(s).

Example: I had two jobs until Sept '24 (55 hrs/wk) when I lost my full-time job; looking for a new position. Working 20 hrs/wk, \$25/hr.

➤ **Step 3. Provide estimated income for every line item, from July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027**

Income Type

Income from Work*, Parent 1, first name _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____
Income from Work*, Parent 2, first name _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____
Unemployment Compensation _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____
Other Taxable Income # _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____
Adjustments to Income @ _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____
Untaxed Income ^ _____	☐ Value will be \$0	\$ _____

➤ **Line references are to 2024 IRS Forms**

* Found on W-2, Box 1 or these items: 1040 Line 1z + Schedule 1, lines 3 + 6

Examples from 1040: capital gains (Line 7), taxable interest/dividends (Lines 2b & 3b); from Schedule 1: alimony (Line 2), gambling (Line 8b), rent/S-Corp (Line 5), unemployment (Line 7), IRA/pensions (Lines 4b & 5b); etc.

@ Found on IRS Schedule 1, line 26. Examples include alimony paid, educator expenses, health savings account deduction, Self-employed SEP, SIMPLE, and qualified plans, self-employed health insurance deduction.

^ Examples: untaxed portion of IRA/pension distributions (1040 line 4a-4b and 5a-5b), payments to IRA or self-employed SEP, SIMPLE and qualified plans (Schedule 1, lines 16 + 20). **Do not include** payments to tax-deferred pension and retirement savings plans.

➤ **Step 4. Signature**

Certification: All information provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I agree to provide any documentation that will verify the accuracy of this information. I understand that if I purposely give false or misleading information, I may be fined up to \$20,000, sent to prison or both.

Parent's Signature – we cannot accept a typed signature

Date

If possible, please return as a .pdf by email along with any applicable supporting documents. It may also be mailed or faxed.

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Office Use Scanned ☐ Data Entry Done ☐ Doc'n Complete ☐ Yes ☐ No If "no" family notified ____/____ Initials/Date: _____

Orig EFC: _____ Adj EFC: _____ Wk, P1 _____ Wk, P2 _____ AGI _____ Untxd _____ TxPd (PF / Hand Calc) _____

Notes: _____ NEW RETG