



2026-27 Dependent Student Family Size Form

Student Name: _____ Luther ID: _____

Part A: List the People in Your Parent(s)' Family

If your parents are divorced or separated, please provide information for the parent you list on the 2026-27 FAFSA. This is the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months. If both parents provided an exact equal amount of financial support or if they don't support you financially, provide information for the parent with the greater income or assets.

Family Size* – List Everyone in Your Family in The Table Below

*Page 2 contains a detailed list of who to list in Part A.

College: Include the name of the college for any household member, **excluding parents**, who will be enrolled at least half-time in a degree, diploma, or certificate program at an eligible post-secondary institution any time between July 1, 2026 and June 30, 2027.

****PLEASE COMPLETE ALL ITEMS ON PAGE 2****

***Family Size Includes the following:**

- You, the student.
- Your parents:
 - Even if you are not living with them.
 - Exclude a parent who has died.
 - Exclude a parent is not living in the household because of separation or divorce.
 - Include a parent who is on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces apart from the family.
 - Include step-parent, if legally married to your parent.
- Your siblings/step-siblings if the following are true:
 - They live with your parents (or live apart because of college enrollment),
 - They receive more than half of their support from your parents, **AND**
 - They will continue to receive more than half their support from your parents during the 2026-27 award year.
- Other persons if the following are true:
 - They live with your parents,
 - They receive more than half of their support from your parents, **AND**
 - They will continue to receive more than half their support from your parents during the 2026-27 award year.

The provided criteria for “dependent children” or “other persons” mirror with the requirement that family size align with whom the parent could claim as a dependent on a U.S. tax return if the parent were to file a U.S tax return at the time of completing the 2026-2027 FAFSA. As a result, the parent should not include any unborn children in the family size.

Part B:

Certification Each person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct. The student and one parent, whose information was reported on the FAFSA, must sign and date. **FEDERAL WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.**

Student Signature

(must be handwritten, not typed or electronic)

Date

Parent Signature

(must be handwritten, not typed or electronic)

Date



**Do not mail this worksheet to the U.S. Department of Education.
Submit this worksheet to the Luther College Financial Aid Office.**

Luther College Financial Aid Office: PH: 563.387.1018 luther.edu/offices/financial-aid

Document Submission Options

Secure Document Upload Portal: liquidfiles.luther.edu/filedrop/Financial-Aid (requires the student's 7-digit Luther ID) or
FAX: 563.387.2241 or EMAIL: finaid@luther.edu or US MAIL: 700 College Drive, Decorah, IA 52101-1045

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