

## 2020-2021 Special Circumstances Office of Financial Aid

Student's Name:		Valpo ID#													
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Before submitting this form, make sure you have completed the 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at fafsa.gov. (Valpo's school code is 001842.)

Please submit this form, along with supporting documentation, if you have special financial circumstances that cannot be reflected on the FAFSA or that have changed since you submitted the FAFSA. Below are some common adjustments we can review. If you have other financial concerns that you would like us to consider, please submit a detailed letter along with supporting documentation. (Please note: We cannot adjust for credit card bills, car payments, home mortgage, or other personal living expenses.)

Please Check	Change in Circumstance	Supporting and Required Information
	Elementary or secondary private school tuition	<ul> <li>Net tuition for 2020-2021 academic year \$</li></ul>
	Daycare or eldercare expenses	<ul> <li>For whom is care provided:</li></ul>
	Parent's college tuition & expenses	<ul> <li>Net tuition for 2020-2021 academic year \$</li></ul>
	Parent's own student loan or Parent PLUS Loan payments	Copy of statement from lender showing monthly payment amount
	Medical Expenses PAID (Please check ONE)  Actual 2018 paid Actual 2019 paid Anticipated 2020 paid	<ul> <li>If you itemized on taxes, provide a copy of Schedule A for appropriate tax year</li> <li>If you did not itemize or wish to use anticipated expenses, please submit an itemized list of payments and accompanying receipts/statements. This could include payment plans you are on.</li> <li>Amount of pre-tax dollars, if any, used to pay for these expenses (i.e. flex account, HSA, etc.) \$</li> <li>Amount you paid after above flex, HSA, etc. was applied \$</li> </ul>

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	One-time/non-recurring income (i.e. one-time annuity, withdrawal from 401K/retirement, over-time pay, etc.)	<ul> <li>Source of one-time/non-recurring income</li> <li>Amount received in 2018 \$</li></ul>					
	Decrease/loss of benefit or support (i.e. child support, unemployment, social security, etc.)	<ul> <li>Type of benefit/support</li> <li>Date it was stopped or reduced</li> <li>Monthly amount you received in 2018 \$</li> <li>SIGNED copy of both 2018 and 2019 tax return and W2s</li> </ul>					
	Significant loss of income due to change in employment  Actual figures must be used. If job was lost in 2020, must wait until new job is obtained or 2020 taxes have been filed.	□ Signed copy of 2018 tax return and W2's in addition to:  Check ONE □ 2019 tax year  • SIGNED copy of 2019 tax return and W2s □ 2020 tax year (once new job is obtained) • Copy of severance statement from previous job • Copy of last pay stub from previous job • Copy of current pay stub from new job • Copy of unemployment received					
	Divorce or Separation	Date divorce/separation occurred Which parent will student live with most?  • Signed copy of divorce/separation document • Signed document showing alimony or child support to be received • SIGNED copy of 2018 tax return and W2s or 2019 if it shows the custodial parent only					
	Death of Parent/Spouse	<ul> <li>Date death occurred</li> <li>Copy of death certificate</li> <li>SIGNED copy of 2018 taxes and W2s or 2019 if it shows the custodial parent only</li> </ul>					
request of a financi release me from pa	nformation provided on this form ial aid review is not guaranteed to syment of any balance due on my s	nd Parent Certification In is accurate and complete as of this date. I/We understand the result in a change to my financial aid eligibility and does not tudent account. I/We also understand that any revision based on djustments will be made in future semesters and/or academic					
Parent Signature:_		Date:					
Student Signature:		Date:					
Return for		etzmann Hall, 1700 Chapel Drive, Valparaiso, IN 46383 112 Email: finaid@valpo.edu					