

Employment

17. If you worked last summer or during the current academic year, complete the following:

<i>Period of employment</i>	<i>Hours a week</i>	<i>Type of work</i>	<i>Total earnings</i>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

18. Indicate next summer's plans and expected income.

Activities

19. List any extracurricular activities in which you participate.

Student's Resources

20. Student's assets: List any assets that you have or that are held in trust for you.

Savings (Do not include savings from expected summer employment.)\$ _____

Stocks, bonds, trust funds, IRA accounts, etc. (*Describe:* _____

_____).....\$ _____

21. Estimate as accurately as possible your resources for the next academic year at Amherst:

From your family\$ _____

From savings, previous earnings, etc.\$ _____

Expected summer employment\$ _____

Expected academic year employment.....\$ _____

Outside scholarship awards (Give details below in 22).....\$ _____

Educational benefits (*Specify:* _____)\$ _____

Other sources (*Specify:* _____)\$ _____

Total\$ _____

22. If you expect to receive any outside (non-Amherst) scholarships during the next academic year, state the source, amount, and terms of each award.

23. Indicate any special Amherst scholarships or loans for which you may be eligible.

- Intended career in the ministry, rabbinate, or other religious vocation
- Intended career in elementary or secondary teaching
- Intended career as a medical doctor
- Person who is active in a religious organization
- Son or daughter of a minister or missionary
- Son or daughter of a member of the permanent United Nations Secretariat
- Blood descendant of a U.S. citizen who served in the U.S. Army or Navy in World War I
- Descendant of a member of the Amherst Class of 1831, 1852, 1856, 1862, 1864, 1878, 1880, or 1897
- Son or daughter of an Amherst alumnus or alumna
- Person of Chinese-American descent
- Person of Korean-American or Korean descent
- A student who is "not given to smoking, drinking, or gambling"
- Active in community service programs or projects
- Holds a leadership position in a student organization, group, or team
- Engaged in "entrepreneurial endeavors that have helped further [your] education"

Parents' Information — *To be completed by parents. If parents are separated or divorced, to be completed by the custodial parent.*

24. Do you authorize Amherst College to discuss your family financial information with your son or daughter? Yes No

25. Check: Father Stepfather Guardian Other

Check: Mother Stepmother Guardian Other

a. Name _____
 b. Occupation/Employer _____
 c. Title/Position _____
 d. Years with current employer _____
 e. Daytime Telephone _____

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26. Is either parent self-employed? Yes No

Does the family hold an interest in any business or farm? Yes No

If "Yes," provide the following information:

Name of business or farm _____

Percentage of ownership _____

Parents' role _____

27. Indicate parents' income from these sources:

2007

Estimated 2008

- Housing and other living allowances for military, clergy, educators, etc. \$ _____ \$ _____
- Workers' Compensation or other disability payments \$ _____ \$ _____

Indicate **voluntary** income reductions:

- Contribution to tax-deferred annuity (e.g., 401(k), 403(b), TIAA-CREF, SRA) \$ _____ \$ _____
- Withheld for reimbursement accounts — for dependent care \$ _____ \$ _____
- medical costs \$ _____ \$ _____

28. Are you or is any member of your household a beneficiary of a trust? Yes No

If "Yes," describe the value and terms of the trust(s).

29. Other real estate (other than primary home, business or farm):

Date of Purchase _____ Purchase Price _____ Current Value \$ _____ Current Debt \$ _____

30. Parental debt

Current amount owed

Payments required in 2008

First mortgage \$ _____ \$ _____
 Second mortgage or home equity loan \$ _____ \$ _____
 Auto loan(s) \$ _____ \$ _____
 Educational \$ _____ \$ _____
 Other (Specify: _____) \$ _____ \$ _____

31. Child support and alimony paid and/or received:

Received in 2007

Paid in 2007

Child support for **all** children \$ _____ \$ _____
 Child support for student applicant \$ _____ \$ _____
 Alimony \$ _____ \$ _____

32. Indicate resources that will be available for parents' retirement. (Check all that apply.)

Present Value

- Social Security
- Civil Service
- State Pension
- Military Pension
- Union Pension
- Employer Pension
- IRA/Keogh Plans \$ _____
- Tax-deferred Plans (e.g., 401(k), 403(b), TIAA-CREF, SRA) \$ _____
- Single Premium Insurance \$ _____
- Other (Specify: _____) \$ _____

Comments

Use this space to present any additional information that you believe should be taken into consideration in reviewing your application for renewal of financial aid. For example, if you anticipate in 2008 a substantial **increase** or **decrease** in total family income (more than 10 percent), state the total estimated income for 2008 and explain the change. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Certification

We understand that this application is not complete until Amherst College has received a complete CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE for 2008-09, including required Business or Farm Supplements to the PROFILE; a complete Noncustodial PROFILE for 2008-09, as applicable; signed and dated copies of all pages of the parents' and student's 2007 U.S., Canadian, Puerto Rican, or other government's income tax return(s) or a signed and dated statement that none was filed; and copies of W-2 Forms (or other earnings statements).

We understand that a student who is a U.S. citizen, national, or permanent resident is expected to seek financial aid from the federal government through submission of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid, in which Amherst College is designated as a recipient of information. In addition, we understand that, if the student is a resident of Connecticut, the District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, or Vermont, the student is expected to seek financial aid through the state scholarship program for use at Amherst College.

We authorize Amherst College to use any Title IV, Higher Education Act (HEA), program funds to credit the student's account for current charges for tuition, fees, room, board, and other miscellaneous outstanding charges for the current academic year, as well as charges that may be outstanding from the prior academic year.

We certify that this application has been completed in good faith and without reservation. Further, we certify that we will notify the Office of Financial Aid promptly if there is any significant change in our financial resources or family circumstances after this application has been submitted. We understand that such changes include family financial changes in excess of \$5,000, changing enrollment status of the student's siblings, outside scholarships of any amount, and so forth.

Signature of student _____ Date _____

Signature of parent or guardian _____ Date _____

Statement of educational purpose, Selective Service registration, and release of information

The following statement has three sections. Sections A and B are required by the federal government of students applying for federal student financial aid under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. Section C permits the College to disclose certain personal information that is protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

A. I certify that I will use any money I receive under a Title IV, HEA, loan, grant, or work-study program only for expenses related to my study at Amherst College. I understand that I am responsible for refunding any funds I receive which cannot reasonably be attributed to meeting my educational expenses at Amherst College. I further understand that the amount of any refund is based on regulations published by the U.S. Department of Education. I am aware that in order to continue to receive assistance from any Title IV, HEA, program, I must maintain satisfactory progress in the course of study I am pursuing, according to the standards and practices of Amherst College.

I certify that I do not owe a refund on any Title IV, HEA, grant, and that I am not in default on any Title IV, HEA, loan. I certify that I do not have property that is subject to a judgment lien for a debt owed to the United States. I certify that I have not borrowed (a) in excess of the annual loan limits under a Title IV, HEA, loan program in the same academic year for which I am applying for assistance under any Title IV, HEA, program; or (b) in excess of the aggregate maximum loan limits under any Title IV, HEA, loan program.

I am aware that, if I have been or am convicted of a drug-related offense, I may not be eligible for federal financial aid under Title IV, HEA.

B. I certify that I am: *(Check one.)*

registered with the Selective Service.

not required to be registered with the Selective Service because: *(Check one.)*

I am a female.

I am in the armed forces on active duty. *(Note: Does not apply to members of the Reserves and National Guard who are not on active duty.)*

I have not reached my 18th birthday.

I was born before 1960.

I am a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, or the Republic of Palau.

I understand that I will not receive assistance from any Title IV, HEA, programs unless I complete this Statement.

I am aware that if I falsely attest to this Statement or if I purposely give false or misleading information on this form or in any other application materials, my financial aid award is in jeopardy and can be withdrawn and that, in regard to federal financial aid funds, I may be subject to a fine of as much as \$10,000, imprisonment for as long as five years, or both.

C. I understand that donors of financial aid funds administered by Amherst College sometimes require the submission of reports about individual recipients. I also understand that some information, such as my name, home address, and major field of study, is considered public information. However, because other information, such as my academic progress and formal campus activities, are released only with my approval, I therefore authorize the Office of Financial Aid to release such information to financial aid donors should I be selected as a recipient of such funds.

Signature of student _____ Date _____

Academic period covered by award(s): September 2008 to May 2009

Certification of non-filing of income tax return(s) for 2007

Student

This is to certify that I did not and will not file a United States, Canadian, Puerto Rican, or other government's income tax return for 2007. I will submit copies of W-2 Forms (or other wage statements) for any earnings that I had in 2007.

Signature of student

Date

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Parent(s)

This is to certify that I/we did not and will not file a United States, Canadian, Puerto Rican, other government's income tax return(s) for 2007. I/We will submit copies of W-2 Forms (or other wage statements) for any earnings that I/we had in 2007.

Signature of parent

Signature of parent

Date