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## Selective Service Registration

Federal law requires all males, between the ages of 18 and 25, register with the Selective Service System. Your status with the Selective Service is checked prior to determining financial aid eligibility. If registration with the Selective Service cannot be confirmed, you must submit proof of registration or, if exempt from registering, you must submit documentation of your exempt status.

**To register online, confirm your registration, or request a Status Letter, visit the Selective Service System website at: [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov).**

If you are a male student and fall within one of the following categories, you must submit proof of your status to the Financial Aid Office. Please submit photocopies of your documents, do not submit originals.

**I have registered with the Selective Service.** Attached is a photocopy of my selective service registration card, or print out from the Selective Service website, [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov).

**I am a Veteran.** Attach a copy of DD Form 214, Member 4, indicating "Honorable" discharge status.

**I entered the U.S. after the age of 26 years old and have not registered for Selective Service.** Must document:

- Proof of date of birth;
- Proof of immigration date to the U.S. from an entry stamp on the I-94 form or in the passport; or
- A letter from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) indicating the date you entered the U.S.; and
- For those in the U.S. on a valid visa who are at least 18 and less than 26 years old, a student visa form (I-20) or other valid U.S. passport visa stamp with expiration date (the dates must be from entry until after you turned 26).

**I am over 26 years old and have not registered for Selective Service.**

You must attach: A Status information letter obtained from [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov) AND a written statement explaining your failure to register for Selective Service. Please make sure you address the following in your statement:

- Where you lived when you were 18 through 25 years of age.
- Whether you thought you were registered, if so, why, and attach any supporting documentation.
- If you were not aware you were required to register, why and how you were not aware of the widely publicized requirement to register with the Selective Service.

**I entered the U.S. on a valid nonimmigrant VISA and remained under the same status until my 26<sup>th</sup> birthday.**

You must attach: Documentation that indicates that you were admitted on an F-1 visa and attended school full-time as required. Acceptable documentation includes a copy of Form I-20 or a letter from the school you attended indicating full-time attendance as a nonimmigrant alien. The same applies for all nonimmigrant statuses.

**I have not registered with the Selective Service because I am exempt for the following reasons:**

- I am female
  I have not reached my 18<sup>th</sup> birthday
  I was born before 1960

**Student's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Do not mail this worksheet to the U.S. Department of Education. Submit this worksheet to the Financial Aid Office at Southwestern College. You should make a copy of this worksheet for your records.