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2020-2021 FEDERAL WORK-STUDY APPLICATION (F21FWS)

Student Name: _____ **Student ID#:** _____

The Federal Work-Study (FWS) Program provides funds that are *earned* through part-time employment to assist students in financing the costs of postsecondary education. Students awarded Federal Work-Study may work in the community at a non-profit agency registered with Financial Aid or on-campus at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

In order to be considered for Federal Work Study, you must meet ALL of the following criteria:

1. Possess a minimum 2.0 GPA for undergraduates/3.0 for graduate students.
2. Have completed 2020-2021 FAFSA on file and all Financial Aid documents requested have been submitted and processed.
3. Demonstrated financial need as determined by your FAFSA application.
4. Enrolled at least half-time (6 credit hours for undergraduates/5 credit hours for graduate students) for Fall 2020

I am interested in working in the following area(s), **IF** I am awarded Federal Work-Study aid (check all that apply):

- On-campus (at UMSL)
- Off-Campus (community site in St. Louis area)
- Tutoring (on or off campus)

1. I understand that if offered a FWS award, I must attend a mandatory orientation session. I understand I will be notified via my UMSL email account of the offer and orientation information.
2. I understand after attending mandatory orientation it is my responsibility to seek out a FWS position of my choosing from the FWS employment site. Access to this site is provided only during orientation.
3. I do not currently participate in the FWS Program and would like to be placed on the waiting list for a FWS award for the Academic Year (2020-2021).
4. I understand funding may be limited for the FWS program and students already participating in the program receive priority over new hires.
5. I understand my request will only be processed if I:
 - Completed a current 2020-2021 FAFSA
 - Meet the eligibility requirements
 - Funding is available

PRINT NAME _____ **Today's Date:** _____

For more information about the Federal Work-Study Program, please visit
<http://www.umsl.edu/services/finaid/workstudy/index.html>