

# Palomar College Financial Aid

## 2009-2010 Clarification of Low Income, Independent

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The 2008 income reported on your 2009-2010 federal financial aid application appears unusually low. We will need additional information to determine your federal aid eligibility. Please answer each section below. If an item does not apply to you, enter "none" or "N/A". Attach additional documentation (with student ID#) to support your explanations.

**2008 Annual Expenses:** Tell us how much you spent on each expense for the entire year.

Housing (rent/mortgage)	\$	Credit Card Payments	\$
Utilities (electricity, water & gas)	\$	Insurance	\$
Cell phone/ Internet/Cable	\$	Unreimbursed Medical/Dental	\$
Food	\$	Childcare/School Tuition	\$
Transportation-car payment/gas/bus fare	\$	Other (list) _____	\$
Clothing	\$	<b>Total:</b>	\$

**2008 Income & Resources:** Tell us how much you earned or received for the entire year.

Your income from work	\$	<b>*Used for clarification only (no affect on eligibility)*</b>	
Spouse's income from work	\$	Social Security Benefits*	\$
Business income (not reported above)	\$	Supplemental Security Income*	\$
Unemployment Compensation	\$	AFDC/TANF*	\$
Pension/ Retirement	\$	Food Stamps*	\$
Interest/Dividend Income	\$	WIC/Free Lunch for Children* (yes/no)	
Veterans Non-educational Benefits	\$	Subsidized Housing* (yes/no)	
Child Support Received	\$	<b>Total:</b>	\$
Housing Allowance (military, clergy, etc.)	\$		

1. If you had no or few expenses in 2008, tell us why.
  
2. If your expenses were greater than your income & resources, tell us how the other expenses were paid. (Include source & amount).
  
3. Are these circumstances expected to continue in 2009? Explain.

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Student Signature

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Date

Student Name (last)

(first)

(m.i.)

Palomar ID#

SS#