

Pacific Lutheran University
2025-26 Special Circumstances Form: Reduction/Loss of Income

Instructions: If your current income is much lower than your 2023 income, please complete and submit this form along with a letter of explanation and supporting documentation.

Student's Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____

Household income lower in 2024 or 2025 due to (Check all that apply):

- Change in employment, including change of employer, reduction in wages, retirement, job loss, etc (attach paystubs, termination notice, unemployment benefits statement, etc)
- Loss of income due to death, divorce, separation (attach death certificate, divorce decree, etc)
- Termination of child support or alimony (attach tax returns for alimony/spousal support change)
- 2023 income included one-time only income (attach 2023 tax return)
- Other

Actual Income 2024 (1/1/24 - 12/31/24)		Estimated Income 2025 (1/1/25 - 12/31/25)	
Type of Income (Parent)	Amount	Type of Income (Parent)	Amount
Parent 1 Gross Earnings (attach 2024 tax return and W-2s)		Parent 1 Gross Earnings (attach most recent 2025 paystubs)	
Parent 2 Gross Earnings (attach 2024 tax return and W-2s)		Parent 2 Gross Earnings (attach most recent 2025 paystubs)	
Other taxable income (unemployment, disability, etc)		Other taxable income (unemployment, disability, etc)	
Other untaxed income (untaxed pension, housing allowance, etc)		Other untaxed income (untaxed pension, housing allowance, etc)	
Type of Income (Student)	Amount	Type of Income (Student)	Amount
Student Gross Earnings (attach 2024 tax return and W-2s)		Student Gross Earnings (attach most recent 2025 paystubs)	
Spouse Gross Earnings (attach 2024 tax return and W-2s)		Spouse Gross Earnings (attach most recent 2025 paystubs)	
Other taxable income (unemployment, disability, etc)		Other taxable income (unemployment, disability, etc)	
Other untaxed income (untaxed pension, housing allowance, etc)		Other untaxed income (untaxed pension, housing allowance, etc)	

Signatures

I affirm that the information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

(required if based on parental income)

Date

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<https://etcentral.plu.edu/#/form/19>

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2025-26 Special Circumstances Form: Extraordinary Expenses

Instructions: If you have faced extraordinary expenses since 2023, please complete and submit this form along with a letter of explanation and supporting documentation.

Student's Name: _____ Student ID: _____

Check all that apply:

I will have another child in college in 2025-26 and have attached a completed [Sibling Net Cost Worksheet](#). Please also submit other supporting documentation such as a letter of admission, copy of class schedule, financial aid award letter, or copy of term bill.

I will have a child enrolled in private elementary and/or secondary schooling for 2025-26 and have attached documentation for tuition costs of \$ _____. Be sure this documentation lists your out-of-pocket cost after scholarships and grant.

I have attached documentation of the support provided to the following family member in 2025 in the amount of \$ _____ per month for _____ months in 2025. (This person CANNOT be included in the family size on FAFSA).

- Grandparent or grandchild foreign exchange student
- special needs adult child family members out of country

I have attached documentation of out-of-pocket home repair costs (not covered by insurance) of \$ _____ due to a natural disaster that will be paid in 2025.

I have attached documentation of \$ _____ in out-of-pocket medical/dental expenses (not covered by insurance) that will be paid in 2025. Be sure to include the amount paid out-of-pocket or deducted from your paycheck for medical/dental insurance premiums (not covered by your employer).

Signatures

I affirm that the information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature	Date	Parent Signature (required if based on parental expenses)	Date
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