



# 2021-2022 Selective Service Resolution

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Men of ages 18 through 25 are required to register with the Selective Service System. This requirement covers men residing in the United States who are U.S. citizens or noncitizens, except that a man who is in the U.S. as a lawful nonimmigrant isn't required to register as long as he maintains that status (see the exceptions to the registration requirement below). Students who are required to register with the Selective Service must do so to be eligible for financial aid funds.

### Exemptions

Men exempted from the requirement to register include:

- Males currently in the armed services and on active duty (this does not apply to members of the Reserve and National Guard who are not on active duty);
- Males who are not yet 18 at the time that they complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) (an update is not required during the year, even if the student turns 18 after completing the FAFSA);
- Males born before 1960;
- Citizens of the Republic of Palau, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, or the Federated States of Micronesia;
- Noncitizens who first entered the U.S. after they turned 26;
- Noncitizens who entered the U.S. as lawful nonimmigrants on a valid visa and remained in the U.S. on the terms of that visa until after they turned 26;
- Transgender males who were assigned the gender of female at birth;
- Males who were unable to register due to being hospitalized, incarcerated, or institutionalized for the entire time through the age of 25;
- Males enrolled in any officer procurement program at The Citadel, North Georgia College and State University, Norwich University, Virginia Military Institute, Texas A&M University, or Virginia Polytechnic and State University for the entire time through the age of 25; or
- Males commissioned as Public Health Service officers on active duty or members of the Reserve of the Public Health Service on specified active duty for the entire time through the age of 25.

Below is a list of acceptable documentation, which you may submit to confirm your Selective Service status. If you submit a document, which has an expiration date, additional documentation may be requested in subsequent years.

- A. I was born female and completed the FAFSA incorrectly.
- B. I have registered and have attached a Status Information Letter from the Selective Service verifying that I have met the registration requirement.
- C. I am a noncitizen who first entered the U.S. after the age of 26. (Provide documentation that you entered the U.S. after the age of 26; Passport or I-94 with date of entry stamp. Resident Alien Card is NOT valid as proof of entry).
- D. I am not required to register due to one of the exemptions above. (Please circle the bullet that applies to your situation and provide a detailed explanation **AND** documentation of birth date: driver's license, passport, birth certificate, etc.)
- E. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**WARNING:** If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Student Signature (Required. **DO NOT SIGN ELECTRONICALLY**) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**TO RETURN THIS FORM:** **UPLOAD** all forms and documents in the **Student Assistance Portal**. Select the "Assistance" icon in the upper right-hand corner of the screen, followed by "Submit Financial Aid Documents" from the drop-down menu. Or, you can **FAX** to: 740-364-9533, or **MAIL** to: COTC, Student Financial Services, 1179 University Dr., Newark OH 43055. **DO NOT** submit this form via email as it will not be accepted.

All documents and forms submitted to Student Financial Services become the property of Central Ohio Technical College and cannot be copied or returned to the student, spouse, or parent (i.e. tax returns, verification worksheets, W2s, etc.)

### Office Use only

\_\_\_\_\_ Documentation is acceptable, and the student is eligible for aid. \_\_\_\_\_ Documentation is not acceptable.