

RETURN TO:

2009-2010

**Financial Aid Office
College of the Desert
43-500 Monterey Avenue
Palm Desert, CA 92260
PHONE (760) 773-2532
FAX (760) 776-7338**

Name of Financial Aid Applicant <i>(Please print)</i>		
_____	_____	_____
Last	First	Middle
Student ID Number: _____		

2008 STUDENT’S (SPOUSE) INCOME CERTIFICATION

<input type="checkbox"/> Attached is a signed photocopy of my/our 2008 federal income tax return, including all schedules and attachments.	<input type="checkbox"/> I/We did not file, and are not required to file, a 2008 federal income tax return.
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List below all of the sources and amounts of money received from January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008. Include untaxed income (e.g., AFDC/TANF/CalWORKs, SSI, Military Living Allowance, disability income) and earnings or income not reported on a federal or state income tax return (e.g., unemployment income if a tax return was not filed).

Source of Money	Annual Amount January 2008 – December 2008
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
Total	\$ _____

If you claim to be a self-supporting student and if your income was not sufficient to pay rent, food, and other expenses; explain how your expenses were met below: *(You may attach a separate sheet if additional space is needed.)*

I/We hereby certify that all information reported on this form and any attachments hereto is true, complete, and accurate. False statements or misrepresentation will be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of financial aid.

Signatures are required for all persons reporting income above.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Applicant’s Spouse

Date

Name of Applicant’s Spouse *(Please print)*

California Information Privacy Act
State and federal laws protect an individual’s right to privacy regarding information pertaining to oneself. The California Information Practices Act of 1977 requires the following information be provided to financial aid applicants who are asked to supply information about themselves. The principal purpose for requesting information on this form is to determine your eligibility for financial aid. The Chancellor’s Office policy and the policy of the community college to which you are applying for aid authorize maintenance of this information. Failure to provide such information will delay and may even prevent your receipt of financial assistance. This form’s information may be transmitted to other state agencies and the federal government if required by law. Individuals have the right of access to records established from information furnished on this form as it pertains to them.
The officials responsible for maintaining the information contained on this form are the financial aid administrators at the institutions to which you are applying for financial aid. The SSN may be used to verify your identity under record keeping systems established prior to January 1, 1975. If your college requires you to provide an SSN and you have questions, you should ask the financial aid officer at your college for further information. The Chancellor’s Office and the California community colleges, in compliance with federal and state laws, do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, gender, age, disability, medical condition, sexual orientation, domestic partnership or any other legally protected basis. Inquiries regarding these policies may be directed to the Financial Aid Office of the college to which you are applying for assistance.