



Minot State University

How to Request IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter, 2025-2026

What is an IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter?

An IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter provides proof that the IRS has no record of a filed Tax Form 1040 or 1040EZ for the year you requested.

Non-Tax filers can request an IRS Verification of Non-filing of their 2023 tax return status, free of charge, from the IRS in the following ways from <https://www.irs.gov/>:

- Online Request (fastest and easiest method)
- Get transcripts by Mail
- Phone Transcript Service
- Paper request, form 4506-T

Note: If you typically would have filed a Puerto Rican or Foreign Income Tax Return, you must submit appropriate non-filing documentation from a relevant tax authority.

Online Request

This will give you a document as soon as you are signed in.

Note: This is typically not available if you have never filed taxes before in prior years. If this is the case, please use another option to request your tax return transcript.

- Click on "**Get Your Tax Record**"
- Click "**Sign in to your online account**" (If at any point, you cannot validate your identity – for example, you cannot provide financial account numbers, such as a credit card number or an account number for a home mortgage or auto loan, or you lack access to a mobile phone – you may use another method from the list.)
- Follow instructions to sign in or to create a new account.
- Select "**Verification of Non-filing Letter**" and in the Tax Year field, select "**2023**".
- Submit the IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter, if requested, to Minot State; make sure to include the student's name and Minot State ID number on the letter.

Get Transcripts by Mail

This will take 5-10 calendar days for transcripts to be mailed to the address the IRS has on file.

- Click on "**Get your Tax Record**"
- Click on "**Get transcript by mail**"
- Fill in all fields
- Select "**Return Transcript**"
- Select 2023
- For customer file number enter your MSU Student ID#

Phone Transcript Service

This will take 5-10 calendar days for transcripts to be mailed to the address the IRS has on file.

- Call 800-908-9946
- Request a 2023 IRS Tax Return Transcript be mailed to you.

Paper Request Form – IRS Form 4506-T

Download IRS Form 4506-T at <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/f4506t.pdf>

- Complete lines 1 – 4, following the instructions on page 2 of the Form 4506-T.
- Line 3: enter the non-filer’s street address and zip or postal code. Use the address currently on file with the IRS. (Problems entering your street address? See below.)
- Line 5: Customer file number – enter the student’s (seven-digit) Minot State Student ID #
- Line 6: Enter tax form number **1040**.
- Line 7: Select the checkbox on the right-hand side for Verification of Non-filing.
- Line 9: Year or period requested field, enter "12/31/2023".
- Mark the box “Signatory attests...”
- The non-filer must sign and date the form and enter their telephone number. Only one signature is required when requesting a joint IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter.
- Mail the completed IRS Form 4506-T to the address provided on page 2 of Form 4506-T.
- If the 4506-T information is successfully validated, tax filers can expect to receive a paper IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter at the address provided on their request within 10 business days.
- Submit the IRS Verification of Non-filing Letter to Minot State; make sure to include the student’s name and Minot State ID number on the letter.

***How to submit your IRS Verification of Non-Filing Letter to Minot State:**

- **SUBMIT ONLINE** using our SECURE FILEDROP by visiting:
<https://www.MinotStateU.edu/finaid/verification.shtml>
- **IN PERSON** - Minot State University, Administration Building, 2nd Floor, Minot State Financial Aid Office.
- **SECURE FAX** (701) 858-4310
- **MAIL**
Minot State University
Attn: Financial Aid Office
500 University W
Minot, ND 58707
- If you have problems getting your documents, the IRS.gov Website Help Desk can be reached toll-free at 800-275-8777, Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. (Eastern Time).