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SAR Comment Codes and Text

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2011-2012 SAR Comment Codes and Text

Overview

The 2011-2012 SAR Comment Codes and Text document serves as a standalone guide, as well as a companion to the *2011-2012 Electronic Data Exchange (EDE) Technical Reference*.

Refer to this document for information on the 2011-2012 Student Aid Report (SAR) comment codes and text.

New for 2011-2012! This guide has been expanded to include database match information that was previously included in Appendix B of the ISIR Guide. We have reformatted the SAR comment code and text table later in this guide. At the end of the guide, we provide simplified tables that cross-reference match flag results with the rejects, C flag, and comment numbers.

We have not included the Web versions of the SAR comment text in this guide because they are very similar to the SAR comment text. (See the Reminder on page 4 for one exception.) The only differences are wording changes that make the comments relevant to the Web version of the SAR rather than to the paper form or printed (electronic) ISIR. For example, the text for a SAR comment code may describe printed information, whereas the equivalent Web comment code describes a Web page displaying the information.

How do the comment codes and text work?

The Central Processing System (CPS) adds comment codes and text to the student's transaction to provide information to the student and to you about the student's processed Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

The comment codes and text are printed on paper SARs and on ISIRs printed from EDEExpress for Windows or other financial aid software you may use. Each comment code is three digits in length and can be found in positions 2616 to 2675 in the ISIR file.

How do I use the 2011-2012 SAR Comment Text table?

The 2011-2012 SAR Comment Text table includes the following information:

- Column 1, SAR Comment Code: This column lists the comment codes numerically.
- Column 2, SAR Comment Text Definition: This column contains the text that is printed on SARs and on printed ISIRs.
- Column 3, Notes/Changes: This column describes changes to the comment text.
- Column 4, Reason for the Comment: New for 2011-2012, this column describes the reason or conditions that caused this comment to appear in the student's record.
- Column 5, C Code: This column indicates whether a C code is set.

The CPS typically generates a C code when database match results require resolution by the school. The CPS also generates a C code if an applicant's response to the FAFSA drug question (question 23) requires resolution or financial aid administrator action.

- Column 6, Reject Code: This column indicates a reject number or letter if a reject code is associated with a comment code.
- Column 7, Actions Needed: New for 2011-2012, the final column describes actions needed to resolve the C flag or reject associated with the comment.

Note: The resolution information is provided for you to use as a quick reference. The *Federal Student Aid Handbook*, Volume 1—FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility contains detailed information about student eligibility and the action needed to resolve discrepancies found in the data matches. The handbook is located on the U.S. Department of Education's Information for Financial Aid Professionals (IFAP) Web site, located at ifap.ed.gov.

Where can I find more information about ISIRs?

The *2011-2012 ISIR Guide* is designed to assist financial aid administrators with interpreting student information from ISIRs. The *2011-2012 ISIR Guide* will be available in November on the U.S. Department of Education's IFAP Web site, located at ifap.ed.gov, as well as on the Federal Student Aid Download (FSAdownload) Web site, located at fsadownload.ed.gov.

Changes to the Comment Codes

SAR Comment Code Changes

You can review the changes to the comments in the Notes/Changes column of the following table. A summary of these changes is also provided in the *2011-2012 Summary of Changes for the Application Processing System* guide.

Comments with the first line indented are printed in the “Comments About Your Information” section on the SAR. Comments that are left-justified are printed with a checkbox in front of the comment and are printed in the “What You Must Do Now” section.

Reminder: As part of the 2008-2009 SAR Redesign process, we removed the text for comment codes 047, 050, 112, 149, 158, 159, 170, and 171 from the paper SAR comments section on page three and instead present the information contained in these comments as variable text in the appropriate section on the first page. Text associated with these comment codes is only displayed on the Web; the text is not displayed in the EDEExpress software and does not print on the EDEExpress ISIR. Note, however, that the comment code numbers are included in the ISIR file and appear in the FAA Information section of the printed ISIR. Schools using EDEExpress still have the ability to query their database using these comment code numbers.

When viewing or printing an ISIR using FAA Access to CPS Online, or when a student is viewing or printing his or her SAR information on the Web, the text for the affected comments prints. ISIRs printed from third-party software may not print the text for these comments, depending on how the software was programmed. We recommend consulting with your software vendor for more information.

New for 2011-2012: Based on skip logic on 2011-2012 FAFSA on the Web, the asset questions are not presented to an applicant who indicates his or her asset information (or parents' asset information for dependent students) is below a specified threshold. To address an issue experienced by one or more proprietary software systems with blank field values for the asset questions, we have added two comment codes to the ISIR. To help identify applicants who answered “No” to the asset threshold screening question and subsequently were allowed to skip the asset questions, the following comment numbers have been added:

- ***Comment code 901 (with no text) prints on the ISIR if the parent of a dependent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.”***
- ***Comment code 902 (with no text) prints on the ISIR if an independent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.”***

The new comment codes will print on the ISIR but no comment text is associated with them. Neither the comment number nor the comment text prints on the SAR.

See the April 7, 2011 electronic announcement posted on the [IFAP](#) Web site for additional information.

Note for users of this guide: To assist you when reviewing a SAR or ISIR that contains these comment codes, we have provided the text for the Web comments in this guide. If the comment text is preceded with text referring to the Web, the comment text prints on the ISIR from FAA Access to CPS Online and is displayed to the student on the Web.

In some cases, the text that was removed from the EDEExpress software is the same as the Web text, and we note that where appropriate. In other cases, the text varies slightly from the Web version. We have also provided the SAR/ISIR text that was removed from EDEExpress. Schools using their own software and third-party software providers may, at their discretion, program their systems to include the text on printed ISIRs.

We posted an Electronic Announcement on March 20, 2008 regarding this change on the IFAP Web site (ifap.ed.gov/eannouncements/0320SARComment.html).

SAR C Code Changes

The SAR C code is set on a student's record based on his or her eligibility conditions. The following is a complete list of 2011-2012 comments that are associated with the SAR C code:

10, 20, 30, 33, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 46, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 77, 79, 86, 90, 100, 101, 102, 105, 107, 109, 115, 116, 124, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 138, 141, 142, 144, 146, 162, 173, 180, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 246, 254, 255, 256, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, and 314.

Comments that generate the C-Flag are broken out into the areas that the comments are associated with:

- Selective Service Match: 30, 33, and 57
- DHS Match: 46, 105, 109, 141, 142, and 144
- Social Security Administration Citizenship Status: 146
- Student's Social Security Number Match: 63 and 64
- Veterans Affairs Status Match: 162, 173, and 180

- NSLDS: 10, 20, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 65, 66, 67, 77, 79, 86, 90, 100, 101, 102, 107, 115, 116, 124, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 138, 240 to 244, 246, 254 to 256, 260 to 266, 289 to 294, and 309 to 314
 - Potential Pell Overpayment: 20, 38, 39, 41, 42, and 43
 - Potential FSEOG Overpayment: 10, 65, 66, 67, 77, and 79
 - Potential Perkins Overpayment: 86, 90, 100, 101, 102, and 107
 - Potential ACG Overpayment: 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, and 246
 - Potential National SMART Grant Overpayment: 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, and 266
 - Potential TEACH Grant Overpayment: 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, and 294
 - **New for 2011-2012!** Potential Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Overpayment: 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, and 314
- Responses to Question 23/Drug Conviction: 53, 54, 56, and 58

Note: In rare cases, the C-Flag is provided on an ISIR/SAR without a corresponding comment. This would only happen if the applicant receives an excessive number of comments (including C-Flag comments) and some of the comments must be suppressed so that a SAR/ISIR can be generated.

2011-2012 SAR Comment Text

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
001	WHAT YOU MUST DO NOW (Use the checklist below to make sure that all of your issues are resolved.)		Heading Comment			
002	This SAR reflects your Financial Aid Administrator's use of professional judgment.		Professional Judgment with college change			
003	This SAR shows corrections to information that we previously entered incorrectly.		Data entry error corrected			
004	This SAR has been produced due to a change in your financial aid history information in the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) that may affect your eligibility for federal student aid.		System generated for NSLDS change			
005	We are unable to read all of the information on your FAFSA or SAR because it was damaged. Please review all of the items on this SAR and make any corrections as needed.		Special handled for damaged document			
006	If you need to make corrections to your information, you may either make them online at www.fafsa.gov , or by using this SAR. You must use your Federal Student Aid PIN to access your record online. If you need additional help with your SAR, contact your school's financial aid office or the Federal Student Aid Information Center at 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243). If your mailing address or e-mail address changes, you can make the correction online, send in the correction on your SAR, or call 1-800-4-FED-AID and ask a customer service representative to make the change for you.		General instructions			

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007	As we previously indicated, your father's date of birth in Item 63 does not match his date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for his Social Security Number (SSN). If his SSN (Item 60) or date of birth is incorrect, you need to make a correction. If his SSN and date of birth are correct, your father should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Father reaffirmed that SSA's invalid DOB is correct.</p> <p>Mother does not have a full match.</p> <p>Reject S verified</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>A correction was made to reaffirm the father's date of birth. However, SSA records have not changed.</p> <p>The CPS will suppress the reject S.</p> <p>If the father's DOB is correct, the father should contact SSA to update its records.</p> <p>Correct mother's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p>

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008	As we previously indicated, your mother's date of birth in Item 67 does not match her date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for her Social Security Number (SSN). If her SSN (Item 64) or date of birth is incorrect, you need to make a correction. If her SSN and date of birth are correct, your mother should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Father's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother reaffirmed that SSA's invalid DOB is correct.</p> <p>Father does not have a full match.</p> <p>Reject T verified</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>A correction was made to reaffirm the mother's date of birth. However, SSA records have not changed.</p> <p>The CPS will suppress the reject T.</p> <p>If the mother's DOB is correct, the mother should contact SSA to update its records.</p> <p>Correct father's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p>

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009	We cannot process your FAFSA because of issues related to the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988. To address these issues, you must contact us by telephone at 202-377-3889 within 30 days from the date of this letter.		The Department of Justice has placed a “hold” on the student		19	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Student needs to call 202-377-3889 to resolve this issue.</p> <p>Note: No match flag values are associated with hold files.</p> <p>The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 includes provisions that authorize federal and state judges to deny certain federal benefits, including student aid, to persons convicted of drug trafficking or possession. The CPS maintains a hold file of those who have received such a judgment, and it checks applicants against that file to determine if they should be denied aid. This is separate from the check for a drug conviction via question 23; confirmation of a student in the drug abuse hold file will produce a rejected application and a separate comment from those associated with responses to question 23.</p>
010	For additional information about your FSEOG overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS.		<p>NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent)</p> <p>NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment)</p> <p>Flagged for FSEOG overpayment</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.</p>

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011	The Social Security Administration (SSA) did not confirm the Social Security Number (SSN) you reported for your father in Item 60. If you believe that the SSN you reported is correct, your father must contact the SSA. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . If the SSN is incorrect, you must make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 1 (no SSN match) or 6 (SSN not verified) and Mother's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Father's SSN invalid at SSA or not verified.</p> <p>Mother's match results indicate an invalid SSN, no match on name, or no match on DOB.</p> <p>Neither parent has a full match of 4.</p>		6	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the SSN for the father. Also review and correct the name and/or Date of Birth for mother and/or father to achieve a full match for at least one parent.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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012	The Social Security Administration (SSA) did not confirm the Social Security Number (SSN) you reported for your mother in Item 64. If you believe that the SSN you reported is correct, your mother must contact the SSA. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . If the SSN is incorrect, you must make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 1 (no SSN match) or 6 (SSN not verified) and Father's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother's SSN invalid at SSA or not verified.</p> <p>Father's match results indicate an invalid SSN, no match on name, or no match on DOB.</p> <p>Neither parent has a full match of 4.</p>		7	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the SSN for the mother. Also review and correct the name and/or Date of Birth for mother and/or father to achieve a full match for at least one parent.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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013	You cannot change your Social Security Number (SSN) (Item 8). The Social Security Administration has already confirmed that this SSN belongs to you.		No additional SSN match conducted Applicant tried to change SSN after SSA verified the reported SSN was correct.			No resolution required. This occurs on correction transactions only. If student used the wrong SSN, yet his or her name, date of birth, and SSN were confirmed by SSA on the previous transaction, contact ED's Correction Application Coordinator at (319) 665-7101 for further instructions. These cases usually arise when spouses or siblings with similar names use each other's SSNs by mistake. These cases must be resolved.
014	The Social Security Administration (SSA) confirmed the Social Security Number (SSN) you reported for your mother on your FAFSA, but did not confirm the SSN you reported for your father (Item 60). If you believe that the SSN you reported for your father is correct, your father should contact the SSA. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . If the SSN is incorrect, you need to make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Father's SSN Match Flag = 1 (no SSN match) or 6 (SSN not verified) and Mother's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match) Father's SSN invalid at SSA or not verified. Mother has a full match.			No resolution required. Correct Father's SSN to achieve a full match. If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.

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015	The Social Security Administration (SSA) confirmed the Social Security Number (SSN) you reported for your father on your FAFSA, but did not confirm the SSN you reported for your mother (Item 64). If you believe that the SSN you reported for your mother is correct, your mother should contact the SSA. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . If the SSN is incorrect, you need to make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Mother's SSN Match Flag = 1 (no SSN match) or 6 (SSN not verified) and Father's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match)			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Correct Mother's SSN to achieve a full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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016	Your father's date of birth as reported on your FAFSA does not match his date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for his Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct his SSN (Item 60) or his date of birth (Item 63). If his date of birth is correct, you must confirm it by reentering it in Item 63. If you confirm your father's date of birth, your father should also contact the SSA to make sure that they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Father's Social Security Match, but no Date of Birth Match</p> <p>Mother does not have a full match.</p>		S	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the father's date of birth.</p> <p>If the father's date of birth is correct on the SAR/ISIR reenter the same value to reaffirm that date of birth is correct. The CPS will process the transaction without the reject.</p> <p>In addition, if the father's date of birth is correct, he should contact SSA to update its records. Records sent for rematching in future years would continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database.</p> <p>If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>Correct mother's data elements as appropriate to achieve a full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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017	Your mother's date of birth as reported on your FAFSA does not match her date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for her Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct her SSN (Item 64) or her date of birth (Item 67). If her date of birth is correct, you must confirm it by reentering it in Item 67. If you confirm your mother's date of birth, your mother should also contact the SSA to make sure that they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Father's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother's Social Security Match, but no Date of Birth Match</p> <p>Father does not have a full match.</p>		T	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the mother's date of birth.</p> <p>If the mother's date of birth is correct on the SAR/ISIR, reenter the same value to reaffirm that the date of birth is correct. The CPS will process the transaction without the reject.</p> <p>In addition, if the mother's date of birth is correct, she should contact SSA to update its records. Records sent for rematching in future years would continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database.</p> <p>If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>Correct father's data elements as appropriate to achieve a full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>
018	You must provide your date of birth in Item 9.		Missing or invalid Date of Birth		5	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the Date of Birth.</p>

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019	The date of birth you reported for your mother on your FAFSA matches the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records, but the date of birth you reported for your father does not match the SSA's records. Your father should review the date of birth in Item 63 and either confirm the date you have reported or make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Father's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match) Father's DOB is invalid at SSA. Mother has a full match.			No resolution required. Correct father's DOB to achieve a full match.
020	To resolve your Pell overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Pell overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
021	The date of birth you reported for your father on your FAFSA matches the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records, but the date of birth you reported for your mother does not match the SSA's records. Your mother should review the date of birth in Item 67 and either confirm the date you have reported or make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) and Father's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother's DOB is invalid at SSA.</p> <p>Father has a full match.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Correct mother's DOB to achieve a full match.</p>
022	The name you reported for your father on your FAFSA doesn't match the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records. If the last name and first initial you reported in Items 61 and 62 are correct, contact the SSA. If they are incorrect, you need to make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Father's name is invalid at SSA.</p> <p>Mother has a full match.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Correct father's name to achieve a full match.</p>

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023	It appears that the Social Security Number you reported on your FAFSA is not valid. Review the number you reported in Item 8 and make the necessary correction.		<p>Applicant's SSN failed ED's valid range check.</p> <p>No match conducted because the record could not be sent to SSA because no last name, date of birth, or signature was provided.</p>		Rejects N, P, 5, 13, 14, and/or 16	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct the Student's Current SSN.</p> <p>When SSN was checked against valid range table, SSN was NOT within valid range. Student will also receive reject for missing name, date of birth and/or signature.</p> <p>If the student's SSN is correct, he or she should contact SSA. After SSA corrects its records, the student can reenter the SSN and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction. Records sent for rematching will continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>If the SSN is incorrect, the student can correct the SSN on the SAR/ISIR. If this is done, the student's original SAR ID [the ID that is used (with the incorrect SSN) to access the SAR/ISIR] will not change, but the current SSN reported in question 8 will be changed to reflect the corrected SSN.</p> <p>Alternatively, to obtain a SAR with a SAR ID that matches the student's reported SSN, the applicant should file a new FAFSA under the correct SSN. This FAFSA will be treated as an original application and will be sent through all of the matches as if another FAFSA was never completed. The SAR ID will be the same as the SSN reported on this application.</p>

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024	<p>The Social Security Administration (SSA) did not confirm that the Social Security Number (SSN) you reported on your FAFSA is correct, and also could not confirm your U.S. citizenship. If you believe that the SSN you reported in Item 8 is correct, contact the SSA by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov. If the SSN is incorrect, you must correct the SSN on a paper SAR or submit a new FAFSA online with the correct SSN.</p>		<p>SSN match conducted.</p> <p>SSN Match Flag = 1 (no match on SSN, SSN invalid)</p> <p>SSN Match Flag = 6 (SSN not verified)</p> <p>Student's Social Security Number is not matched with the SSA database.</p>		18	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the SSN. If the SSN is correct, contact the SSA to fix the error in their records. Then reenter SSN and submit as a correction for an updated SSA Match.</p> <p>Records sent for rematching will continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database. If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>If the SSN is incorrect, the student can correct the SSN on the SAR/ISIR. If this is done, the student's original SAR ID [the ID that is used (with the incorrect SSN) to access the SAR/ISIR] will not change, but the current SSN reported in question 8 will be changed to reflect the corrected SSN.</p> <p>Alternatively, the applicant can file a new FAFSA under the correct SSN. This FAFSA will be treated as an original application and will be sent through all of the matches as if another FAFSA was never completed. The SAR ID will be the same as the SSN reported on this application.</p>

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025	The name you reported for your mother on your FAFSA doesn't match the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records. If the last name and first initial you reported in Items 65 and 66 are correct, contact the SSA. If they are incorrect, you need to make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Father's SSN Match Flag = 4 (SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother's name is invalid at SSA.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Correct mother's name to achieve a full match.</p>
026	If you want to register with Selective Service, you can register by doing one of the following: (1) answer "Male" to Item 21 and "Register Me" to Item 22 on this SAR, (2) complete a Selective Service registration form at your local post office, or (3) register online at www.sss.gov . Selective Service will not process your registration until 30 days before your 18th birthday.		<p>Selective Service Match Flag = T (temporarily exempt)</p> <p>Student is within 45 days of his 18th birthday. Applicant is temporarily exempt because he is not yet 18 years old.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>An update is not required during the year.</p>

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027	According to the Social Security Administration, the Social Security Number you provided for your father in Item 60 belongs to a deceased person. Please review your answer to Item 60 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item numbers	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 5 (SSN, name, and DOB match with date of death)</p> <p>A successful match has been made to a deceased person's record on the SSA database for father.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>If the father's identifiers are correct, the father should contact SSA to fix their records.</p> <p>After SSA corrects its records, the father can reenter the name and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction for an updated match flag.</p>
028	We have forwarded your name to Selective Service for registration, as you requested. They will process your registration request 30 days prior to your 18th birthday.		<p>Selective Service Registration Flag = T (temporarily exempt)</p> <p>Registration conducted.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Student's information forwarded to Selective Service for registration as requested on application or SAR. Registration will be processed by Selective Service 30 days before the applicant's 18th birthday.</p>
029	According to the Social Security Administration, the Social Security Number you provided for your mother in Item 64 belongs to a deceased person. Please review your answer to Item 64 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item numbers	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 5 (SSN, name, and DOB match with date of death)</p> <p>A successful match has been made to a deceased person's record on the SSA database for mother.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>If the mother's identifiers are correct, the mother should contact SSA to fix their records.</p> <p>After SSA corrects its records, the mother can reenter the name and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction for an updated match flag.</p>

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030	<p>The Selective Service reported that you have not registered with them. If you are female or were born before 1960, registration is not required. Otherwise, if you are not yet registered, are male, and are 18 through 25 years of age, to receive aid you must do one of the following: (1) answer “Male” to Item 21 and “Register Me” to Item 22 on this SAR, (2) complete a Selective Service registration form at your local post office, or (3) register online at www.sss.gov. If you believe you have already registered or are exempt, please check the Selective Service website at www.sss.gov, select “registration info” and then “Who Must Register?”. If you have documentation proving an exemption, submit it to your school to save time. Contact the Selective Service at 847-688-6888 only after reviewing the SSS website information.</p>	Updated comment	<p>Selective Service Match Flag = N (registration status not confirmed)</p> <p>Applicant not in the Selective Service database</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Assist student to meet Selective Service eligibility requirements, student must:</p> <p>Register with Selective Service, present appropriate confirmation (for example, his Selective Service Registration Acknowledgement or his letter of registration) that he is registered, or</p> <p>Qualify for a waiver or exemption.</p> <p>Request documentation from a noncitizen who first entered the U.S. after he or she turned 26, or who entered the U.S. as a lawful nonimmigrant on a valid visa and remained in the U.S. on the terms of that visa until after turning 26. A letter from Selective Service is not required if the student’s documentation supports an exemption. More information regarding exemptions is available at www.sss.gov (select “registration info” and then “Who Must Register?”) and in the <i>Federal Student Aid Handbook</i>, Volume 1–FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility, chapter 5.</p>
031	<p>We have forwarded your name to Selective Service for registration, as you requested.</p>		<p>Selective Service Registration Flag = Y (registration completed)</p> <p>Registration conducted.</p>			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Forwarded student’s information to Selective Service for registration as requested on application or SAR.</p>

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032	The number you have reported for your parents' number of family members is significantly different than the number you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Item 72 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item number	Cross year edit – parents' number of family members			
033	We could not send your name to Selective Service as you requested because you did not give us enough information, you are outside the age range for registration, or you did not sign your form. If you are male and at least 18 but not yet 26, to receive aid you must do one of the following: (1) answer "Male" to Item 21 and "Register Me" to Item 22 on this SAR and also provide information for Items 1, 2, and 9, (2) complete a Selective Service registration form at your local post office, or (3) register online at www.sss.gov . If you are a male who is age 26 or older, you must check the Selective Service website at www.sss.gov . Select "registration info" and then "Who Must Register?" for more information. Contact Selective Service at 847-688-6888 only after reviewing the SSS website information. You must resolve your registration status before you can receive federal student aid. You are exempt from registering if born before 1960.	Updated comment	<p>Selective Service registration not sent</p> <p>Selective Service Match Flag = blank (record not sent to Selective Service)</p> <p>Applicant requested that ED send name to Selective Service for registration, but applicant is not within age range or some information needed to register him is missing.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If student is between the ages of 18 and 25, help student make corrections to his SAR/ISIR and submit corrections for processing. If the information needed to register the student is present, student's name will be sent to Selective Service. Review subsequent SAR/ISIR for updated registration flag.</p> <p>If student is over the age of 26 and has not yet registered, student must obtain documentation from Selective Service regarding his registration status. Determine if the student is exempt from registering or is eligible for a waiver of the registration requirement. If student did not register by the age of 26 and is not exempt or waived from the registration requirement, student may not be eligible for aid. More information regarding exemptions is available at www.sss.gov (select "registration info" and then "Who Must Register?") and in the <i>Federal Student Aid Handbook</i>, Volume 1–FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility, chapter 5.</p>

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034	The number you have reported for your parents' number of family members in college is significantly greater than the number you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Item 73 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item number	Cross year edit – parents' number in college			
035	The amount you have reported for your parents' income is significantly less than the amount you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Items 83, 86, 87, and 92a through 92i and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Cross year edit – parents' total income			
036	The amount you have reported for your parents' income taxes paid is significantly greater than the amount you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Item 84 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item number	Cross year edit – parents' taxes paid			
037	Certain post-baccalaureate students enrolled in teaching credential programs may be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant.		Graduate student in teaching credential program			
038	To resolve your Federal Pell Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the Pell overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.

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039	To resolve your Federal Pell Grant overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Pell overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.

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040	<p>Your father's name as reported on your FAFSA does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for his Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct his SSN (Item 60) or his name (Items 61 and 62). If his name is correct, you must confirm it by reentering both his last name and first name initial in Items 61 and 62. If you confirm your father's name, your father should also contact the SSA to make sure that they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov.</p>	Updated item numbers	<p>Father's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Father's SSN match, but no name match</p>		E	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the father's name.</p> <p>If the father's name is correct, reenter the same value to reaffirm that the name is correct. The CPS will process the transaction without the reject.</p> <p>In addition, if the father's name is correct, he should contact SSA to update its records. Records that are sent for rematching in future years would continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database.</p> <p>If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>Correct mother's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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041	To resolve your Federal Pell Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
042	To resolve your Federal Pell Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
043	To resolve your Federal Pell Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Pell overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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044	As we previously indicated, your father's name as reported on your FAFSA does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for his Social Security Number (SSN). If his SSN (Item 60) or name (Items 61 or 62) are incorrect, you need to make the necessary corrections. If his SSN and name are correct, your father should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	Father's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Mother's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match) Father's name is still inconsistent with SSA records. Reject E verified			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>A correction was made to reaffirm the father's name. However, SSA records have not changed.</p> <p>The CPS will suppress the reject E.</p> <p>If the father's name is correct, the father should contact SSA to update its records.</p> <p>Correct mother's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>
045	You reported a Social Security Number (SSN) for both your father and mother (Items 60 and 64) but also reported that their marital status is not married (Item 58). You should only report the SSN for the parent or stepparent whose financial information is reported on your FAFSA.	Updated item numbers	Parent's marital status is not married and SSNs are provided for both the father and the mother.			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Either correct parent marital status or eliminate the appropriate parent SSN information.</p>

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046	<p>The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security did not confirm that you are a noncitizen (Item 14) in an immigration status associated with the requirements of eligibility for the financial assistance for which you have applied. You must submit proof to your school that you are in the required noncitizen immigration status. If you do not submit proof within 30 days, or longer if your school allows, you may not be eligible for federal student aid.</p>		<p>DHS Secondary Match Flag = N (DHS did not confirm eligible noncitizen status)</p> <p>DHS did not confirm eligibility during secondary confirmation.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>You must begin paper (G-845) Secondary Confirmation process. See the “Electronic Announcements” section of the IFAP Web site, for the most recent G-845 form and mailing addresses. If the requested documentation includes an HHS Eligibility or Certification letter and/or the student provides a copy of a T-visa, follow the instructions in G-845 form and mailing addresses and GEN-06-09, ifap.ed.gov/dpccletters/GEN0609.html, in lieu of completing and submitting the G-845 form.</p>
047	<p>This text is for the Web.</p> <p>There are issues with your FAFSA information that need to be resolved before your eligibility can be determined. Be sure to review the items marked with an h and make any corrections if necessary by selecting the ‘Make Corrections’ button at the bottom of the page.</p> <p>This text is for SARs/ISIRs.</p> <p>There are issues with your FAFSA information that need to be resolved before your eligibility can be determined. Read this letter carefully and review any items printed in bold type on this SAR. If you need to make corrections on this SAR, you and your parent must sign the certification at the end before you send it back to us.</p>	<p>This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDExpress.</p>	<p>Dependent rejected record general instructions (Web only)</p>			

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048	You have reported a Social Security Number for your parent (Item 60 or 64) that is the same as yours. Please review this item.	Updated item numbers	Parent SSN same as student's SSN			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the mother or father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in appropriate parent's SSN field and/or confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>
049	You must report a valid Social Security Number (SSN), name, and date of birth for your father or mother. If your parent does not have an SSN, you must correct Item 60 and/or 64 to all zeroes.	Updated item numbers	<p>Match with SSA was not conducted on either parent.</p> <p>Dependent student and one of SSN, Last Name, or Date of Birth is missing for both parents</p>		9	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the SSN, name, and/or Date of Birth for mother and/or father to achieve a full match for at least one parent.</p> <p>If parents do not have an SSN, provide zeros or confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>
050	<p>This text is for the Web.</p> <p>There are issues with your FAFSA information that need to be resolved before your eligibility can be determined. Carefully review any items marked with an h. If you need to make corrections, select the 'Make Corrections' button at the bottom of the page.</p> <p>This text is for SARs/ISIRs.</p> <p>There are issues with your FAFSA information that need to be resolved before your eligibility can be determined. Read this letter carefully and review any items printed in bold type on this SAR. If you need to make corrections on this SAR, you must sign the certification at the end before you send it back to us.</p>	This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.	<p>(Web only)</p> <p>Independent rejected record general instructions</p>			

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051	<p>Your mother's name as reported on your FAFSA does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for her Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct her SSN (Item 64) or her name (Items 65 and 66). If her name is correct, you must confirm it by reentering both her last name and first name initial in Items 65 and 66. If you confirm your mother's name, your mother should also contact the SSA to make sure that they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov.</p>	Updated item numbers	<p>Mother's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Father's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match)</p> <p>Mother's SSN match, but no name match</p>		F	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Correct the mother's name.</p> <p>If the mother's name is correct, reenter the same value to reaffirm that the name is correct. The CPS will process the transaction without the reject.</p> <p>In addition, if the mother's name is correct, she should contact SSA to update its records. Records that are sent for rematching in future years would continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database.</p> <p>If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>Correct father's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>

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052	Your answer to Item 23 has changed since you filed your initial FAFSA. Please review this item.		Applicant's made a correction to his or her drug conviction question responses from "Yes (Part Year)" or "Yes/Don't Know" to "No."			No resolution required.
053	You left Item 23 blank. Your failure to provide an answer to this question makes you ineligible to receive federal student aid. Either indicate that you have not been convicted of possessing or selling illegal drugs for an offense that occurred while you were receiving federal student aid (such as grants, loans, and work-study), or use the enclosed worksheet to determine your answer to this question. You can answer Item 23 on your SAR or you can correct this item by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243) or by going to www.fafsa.gov . Please understand that a drug conviction does not necessarily disqualify you from receiving student aid.		Applicant left drug conviction question blank	Y		Resolution required. Applicant is not eligible for federal aid if this response is left blank. A correction to provide a response must be made by following the directions provided in the comment text.
054	You reported a '2' in response to Item 23. This indicates that you are ineligible for federal student aid for part of the 2011-2012 school year. The period of ineligibility resulting from your drug-related conviction(s) ends on or after July 1, 2011. You should contact your Financial Aid Administrator after July 1, 2011 so that he or she can determine if you may receive federal funds during the 2011-2012 award year.	Updated year references	Applicant's response to drug conviction question was 2 "Yes (Part Year)."	Y		Resolution required. Applicant is not eligible for federal aid until ineligibility period expires between July 1, 2011, and June 30, 2012.

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055	Your denial of benefits under the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 has been resolved and processing of your FAFSA may continue.		Released from drug abuse hold file			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Note: No match flag values are associated with hold files. Hold files are maintained at the CPS and not at an outside matching agency.</p>
056	<p>You reported in Item 23 that you have been convicted of an illegal drug offense. Use the enclosed worksheet to determine if your conviction(s) affect your eligibility for federal student aid. If you determine that your conviction(s) do not affect your eligibility for federal student aid, or affect it for only part of the 2011-2012 school year, you must correct Item 23. You can change your answer by using your SAR or you can correct this item or get additional help with this question by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243).</p> <p>YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID WHILE YOUR ANSWER TO ITEM 23 IS '3, YES' but you may still be eligible to receive state, school, or other non-federal student aid.</p>	Updated year reference	Applicant's response to drug conviction question was 3 "Yes." on the original paper FAFSA.	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Applicant is not eligible for federal aid. If response is incorrect, applicant should follow directions in the comment text to make a change. Applicant should not be referred to any other phone numbers at the Department of Education for resolution.</p>
057	Selective Service did not register you because you did not answer "Male" to Item 21. If you are male and want to register, you can do one of the following: (1) answer "Male" to Item 21 and "Register Me" to Item 22 on this SAR, (2) complete a Selective Service registration form at your local post office, or (3) register online at www.sss.gov .		<p>Selective Service Registration Flag = N (registration not complete)</p> <p>Registration not conducted</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Applicant requested that ED send name to Selective Service for registration, but applicant did not confirm that he is male.</p>

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058	You reported in Item 23 that you are not eligible for federal student aid as a result of a drug-related conviction, or that you do not know if your conviction(s) affect your eligibility. However, you may still be eligible to receive state, school, or other non-federal student aid. If you have answered this question incorrectly, you must correct Item 23 by using your SAR. You can also correct this item or get help with this question by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243).		Applicant's response to drug conviction question was 3 "Yes." on transactions other than original paper FAFSA	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Applicant is not eligible for federal aid. If response is incorrect, applicant should follow directions in the comment text to make a change. Applicant should not be referred to any other phone numbers at the Department of Education for resolution.</p>
059	The Social Security Administration could not determine if the Social Security Number reported in Item 8 belongs to you because you did not give us your last name (Item 1) and/or date of birth (Item 9). Review these items and make the necessary corrections.		<p>SSN Match Flag = 8 (record not sent to SSA)</p> <p>Record could not be sent to SSA because no last name, date of birth, or signature provided.</p> <p>Applicant's SSN passed ED's valid range check.</p>		Rejects N, 5, 13, 14 and/ or 16	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>When SSN was checked against valid range table, SSN was within valid range. Student will still receive reject for missing name, date of birth, and/or signature (not for match flag 8).</p> <p>Reject N: Either first or last name missing</p> <p>Reject 13: Both first and last name missing</p> <p>Reject 5: Date of birth blank</p> <p>Reject 14 or 16: Student signature missing</p> <p>Help student make corrections to name, date of birth, or signature. When corrections are submitted, record will be sent to SSA for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p>

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060	<p>The date of birth you reported on your FAFSA does not match the date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for your Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct your SSN (Item 8) or your date of birth (Item 9). If your date of birth is correct, you must confirm it by reentering it in Item 9. If you confirm your date of birth, you should also contact the SSA to make sure they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov.</p>		<p>Match conducted. SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) Student's Social Security Match, but no Date of Birth Match</p>		R	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct the Student's Date of Birth.</p> <p>The student must make a correction to provide the correct date of birth.</p> <p>If the date of birth is correct, the student must correct the date of birth on the SAR/ISIR to the same value reaffirming that it is correct. The CPS will process the transaction without the reject.</p> <p>In addition, if the student's date of birth is correct, he or she should contact SSA to update its records. Records sent for rematching in future years would continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database.</p> <p>If a correction is made to date of birth, SSN, first name, or last name, the record will be sent again for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p>

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061	The name you reported on your FAFSA does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for your Social Security Number (SSN). Therefore, you must correct your SSN (Item 8) or name (Items 1 and 2). If your name is correct, you must confirm it by reentering both your first and last names in Items 1 and 2. If you confirm your name, you should also contact the SSA to make sure that they correct it in their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .		SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) Student's SSN match, but no name match		D	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) Student's First and Last Name.
062	You reported the date of your marital status in Item 17 to be after the date you completed your application. You must report your marital status (Item 16) as of the date you submit your application. Please review Items 16 and 17 and make the necessary corrections.		Student's marital status date is greater than the date the application was signed		4	Resolution required. If the Student's Marital Status Date is after the date the application was originally signed, correct the Student's Marital Status.
063	As we previously indicated, the date of birth you reported on your FAFSA in Item 9 does not match the date of birth in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for your Social Security Number (SSN). If either your SSN (Item 8) or date of birth is incorrect, you must make a correction. If your SSN and date of birth are correct, you should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . You must provide proof of your date of birth to your financial aid office.		SSN Match Flag = 2 (SSN and name match, no DOB match) Date of birth still inconsistent with SSA records after student reaffirmed value. Reject R verified	Y		Resolution required. The student made a correction to reaffirm date of birth. However, the SSA records have not changed. The CPS will suppress the reject R. In addition, the student must provide date of birth proof to the financial aid administrator.

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064	As we previously indicated, the name you reported on your FAFSA in Items 1 and 2 does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for your Social Security Number (SSN). If your SSN (Item 8) or name are incorrect, you must make the necessary corrections. If your SSN and name are correct, you should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov . You must provide proof of your name to your financial aid office.		SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) Name is still inconsistent with SSA records. Reject D verified	Y		Resolution required. The student made a correction to reaffirm name. However, SSA records have not changed. The CPS will suppress the reject D. In addition, the student must provide documentation explaining discrepancy in name (for example, marriage certificate, court order, etc.).
065	To resolve your FSEOG overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for FSEOG overpayment or fraud	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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068	<p>You did not indicate on your FAFSA that you are a U.S. citizen or an eligible noncitizen (Item 14). To receive federal student aid, a student must be –</p> <p>(1) A U.S. citizen (or U.S. National), or</p> <p>(2) An eligible noncitizen, such as a U.S. permanent resident or a resident of certain Pacific Islands, or as determined by the U.S. Department of Education.</p>		<p>DHS Primary Verification match not conducted.</p> <p>Match Flag = blank (record not sent)</p> <p>Citizenship status left blank and SSA did not confirm citizenship status or applicant reported he/she is not a citizen or eligible noncitizen</p>		17	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Provide the Citizenship Status with the Alien Registration Number if appropriate.</p> <p>If student failed to provide an Alien Registration Number (ARN), DHS match was not conducted. However, match was still conducted with SSA to determine citizenship. If SSA Citizenship Flag indicates that the student is a U.S. citizen, record will not be rejected. No resolution is required, but student should correct question 14 to reflect that student is U.S. Citizen/National.</p> <p>If student is an eligible noncitizen, student should correct citizenship in question 14 to indicate eligible noncitizen status AND should provide an ARN. The student's record will be sent to the DHS match to determine if the student is an eligible noncitizen. After the corrected SAR is returned, review the DHS match flag to determine student's citizenship status.</p>
069	Review your date of birth in Item 9 and either confirm the date you have reported by reentering it or make the necessary correction.		Date of birth year equals 1900 through 1936.		A	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct the Date of Birth.</p>
070	You reported that you will either have a bachelor's degree by July 1, 2011 (Item 28) or will be working on a degree beyond a bachelor's degree (Item 47). Graduate students are eligible for most types of federal aid, but generally not the Federal Pell Grant.	Updated year reference and item numbers	Graduate student			No resolution required.

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071	As we previously indicated, your mother's name as reported on your FAFSA does not match the name in the Social Security Administration's (SSA) records for her Social Security Number (SSN). If her SSN (Item 64) or her name (Items 65 or 66) are incorrect, you need to make the necessary corrections. If her SSN and name are correct, your mother should contact the SSA to make sure that they correct their records. The SSA can be contacted by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting www.socialsecurity.gov .	Updated item numbers	Parents' SSN Match conducted. Mother's SSN Match Flag = 3 (SSN match, no name match) and Father's SSN Match Flag does not = 4 (4 = SSN, name, and DOB match) Mother's name is still inconsistent with SSA records. Reject F verified			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>A correction was made to reaffirm the mother's name. However, SSA records have not changed. The CPS will suppress the reject F.</p> <p>If the mother's name is correct, she should contact SSA to update its records.</p> <p>Correct father's data elements as appropriate to achieve full match.</p> <p>If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.</p>
072	Review your date of birth in Item 9 and either confirm the date you have reported by reentering it or make the necessary correction.		Independent student and date of birth equals 09/01/94 or greater, and date of birth is not equal to or greater than current year.		B	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct the Date of Birth.</p>
073	The number you reported for your number of family members is significantly different than the number you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Item 93 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item number	Cross year edit – independent student number of family members			

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074	The number you reported for your number of family members in college is significantly greater than the number you reported on your FAFSA last year. Review Item 94 and make a correction if necessary.	Updated item number	Cross year edit – independent student number in college			
075	You should not update your marital status (Item 16) if your marital status changes after you sign and submit your original application. You should only change this item if you made a mistake in reporting your correct marital status on your original application.		Student's marital status corrected			

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076	Social Security Administration (SSA) records indicate that the Social Security Number (SSN) that was provided in Item 8 belongs to a deceased person. If the SSN is correct, the applicant must contact the SSA at 1-800-772-1213 or www.socialsecurity.gov to resolve this problem. If the SSN is incorrect, the applicant must correct the SSN on a paper SAR or submit a new FAFSA online with the correct SSN.		SSN Match Flag = 5 (SSN, name, and DOB match with date of death) A successful SSN match with a record that belongs to deceased person		8	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If the student's SSN is correct, he or she must contact SSA. After SSA corrects its records, the student can reenter the name or date of birth and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction so the transaction can go back to SSA for an updated match flag. Records sent for rematching will continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>If the SSN is incorrect, the student can correct the SSN on the SAR/ISIR. If this is done, the student's original SAR ID [the ID that is used (with the incorrect SSN) to access the SAR/ISIR] will not change, but the current SSN reported in question 8 will be changed to reflect the corrected SSN.</p> <p>Alternatively, to obtain a SAR with a SAR ID that matches the student's reported SSN, the applicant should file a new FAFSA under the correct SSN. This FAFSA will be treated as an original application and will be sent through all of the matches as if another FAFSA had never been completed. The SAR ID will be the same as the SSN reported on this application.</p>

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077	To resolve your FSEOG overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the FSEOG overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for FSEOG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.
078	The U.S. Dept. of Education granted permission to process your FAFSA after the June 30, 2012 deadline.	Updated year reference	Late processing of application allowed			
079	To resolve your FSEOG overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional FSEOG overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for FSEOG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
080	We recently received an application with an incomplete name from this address. The applicant should review this SAR and provide his or her full name in Items 1 and 2. If the applicant does not have both a first and a last name, draw a line through both the previous answer and the new answer space for the name that should be left blank.		Rejected for incomplete name on application; Missing first or last name		N	Resolution required. Correct the Student's Last Name or First Name or confirm (reenter the same value) a blank First or Last Name field if the student actually has only one name.

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081	We did not process your correction to change your date of birth (Item 9) to blank. We must have your date of birth to process your record.		Attempting to change Date of Birth to blank			
082	We recently received an application with no name from this address. The applicant must provide a full name in Items 1 and 2 on this SAR.		Rejected for no name on application		13	Resolution required. Provide the following: Student's Last Name and/or Student's First Name or confirm a blank First or Last Name field if the student actually has only one name.
083	You reported that your parent(s) did file or will file a 2010 income tax return (Item 79) but also reported that your father does not have a Social Security Number (Item 60). Please review your answers and make the necessary corrections.	Updated year reference and item numbers	Father's SSN contains all zeroes and reported as a tax filer		J	Resolution required. Enter the father's SSN or confirm that the father does not have an SSN by reentering all zeros.
084	You reported that your parent(s) did file or will file a 2010 income tax return (Item 79) but also reported that your mother does not have a Social Security Number (Item 64). Please review your answers and make the necessary corrections.	Updated year reference and item numbers	Mother's SSN contains all zeroes and reported as a tax filer		K	Resolution required. Enter the mother's SSN or confirm that the mother does not have an SSN by reentering all zeros.
085	We assumed your parent(s) did file or will file a 2010 income tax return (Item 79). Please review this item.	Updated year reference and item number	Parents assumed tax filers because AGI is positive or negative value, tax return status is blank, and type of tax return is blank			

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086	To resolve your Perkins overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Perkins overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
087	We assumed your parent(s) did not file and will not file a 2010 income tax return (Item 79). Please review this item.	Updated year reference and item number	Parents assumed non-tax filers because AGI is blank or zero, tax return status is blank, and type of tax return is blank			
088	We did not process your correction to change your citizenship to blank (Item 14). We must have your citizenship status to process your record.		Attempting to change Citizenship to blank			
089	Review your parents' marital status in Item 58. If your parents are not married, provide only the income for the parent who supports you.	Updated item number	Parents are reported as unmarried but two parental incomes are reported		11	Resolution required. Review and correct Parent's Marital Status or at least one of the following fields: Father's/ Stepfather's Income From Work or Mother's/ Stepmother's Income From Work.

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090	To resolve your Perkins overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the Perkins overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.
091	It appears you reported the same income amount for more than one of your parent(s)' income questions. Please review these items.		Parents AGI and Worksheet fields equal			
092	It appears you reported the same income amount for more than one of your income questions. Please review these items.		Independent Student income fields equal			
093	It appears you reported the same income amount for more than one of your income questions. Please review these items.		Dependent Student income fields equal			
094	It appears you reported the same adjusted gross income amount for you and your parent(s). Review Items 35 and 83 and make any necessary corrections.	Updated item number	Student AGI equal to Parent AGI			
095	We assumed you did file or will file a 2010 income tax return (Item 32).	Updated year reference	Student assumed tax filer because AGI is positive or negative value, tax return status is blank, and type of tax return is blank			

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096	You have reported the same amount for your father's and your mother's income (Items 86 and 87). Please review these items.	Updated item number	Parents Income and Worksheet fields equal			
097	We assumed you did not file and will not file a 2010 income tax return (Item 32). Please review this item.	Updated year reference	Student assumed non-tax filer because AGI is blank or zero, tax return status is blank, and type of tax return is blank			
098	You have reported the same amount for your income and your spouse's income (Items 38 and 39). Please review these items.		Student's income equal to Spouse's income			
099	Review your marital status in Item 16. You should report income for a spouse only if you were married and not separated as of the date you signed and submitted your FAFSA. Please note: if you were separated or divorced as of the date you signed your FAFSA, we will need only your income, even if a joint tax return was filed.		Independent student reported as unmarried but two incomes are reported		11	Resolution required. Review and correct Student's Marital Status or at least one of the following fields: Student's Income Earned From Work or Spouse's Income Earned From Work.
100	To resolve your Perkins overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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101	To resolve your Perkins overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
102	To resolve your Perkins overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
103	One or more of the schools you listed on your FAFSA are not in our file of eligible schools. To receive federal student aid, you must attend a school that participates in the federal student aid programs. Please review Item 101 and make changes as necessary.	Updated item number	Not all schools found on eligible school file			

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104	Either you did not list any schools on your FAFSA or the schools you listed are not in our file of eligible schools. To receive federal student aid, you must attend a school that participates in the federal student aid programs. Please review Item 101 and make changes as necessary. To verify your school code, go to www.fafsa.gov and select the “School Code Search” link.	Updated item number	No schools found on eligible school file			
105	The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security has not yet confirmed that you are a noncitizen (Item 14) in an immigration status associated with the requirements of eligibility for the financial assistance for which you have applied. You must submit proof to your school that you are a noncitizen in the required immigration status. If you do not submit proof to your school within 30 days, or longer if your school allows, you may not be eligible for federal student aid.		DHS Secondary Confirmation Match Flag = C (DHS has not yet confirmed eligible noncitizen status) DHS secondary confirmation match is in continuance.	Y		Resolution required. School must wait ten business days for another system-generated ISIR with updated Secondary Confirmation match flag before beginning mandatory paper (G-845) Secondary Confirmation process. See the “Electronic Announcements” section of the IFAP Web site, located at ifap.ed.gov for the most recent G-845 form and mailing addresses. If the requested documentation includes an HHS Eligibility or Certification letter and/or the student provides a copy of a T-visa, follow the instructions in GEN-06-09, ifap.ed.gov/dpclatters/GEN0609.html , in lieu of completing and submitting the G-845 form.
106	You have corrected information on your SAR more than 10 times. Before sending in another correction, contact your financial aid office for assistance.		More than 10 transactions			

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107	To resolve your Perkins overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Perkins overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Perkins overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
108	Your parent did not sign your FAFSA or the SAR corrections you submitted. If your parent is not able to sign, see your school's financial aid office or High School Counselor.		Missing parent signature on FAFSA or SAR		15	Resolution required. Signature correction must be made on a printed SAR certification page and resubmitted to the FAFSA Processor or can be corrected electronically.

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109	The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security did not have enough information to confirm that you are a noncitizen (Item 14) in an immigration status associated with the requirements of eligibility for the financial assistance for which you have applied. You must contact the financial aid office at your school to find out what information is needed. If you do not submit the required information within 30 days, or longer if your school allows, you may not be eligible for federal student aid.		DHS Secondary Confirmation Match Flag = X (DHS did not have enough information to confirm eligible noncitizen status) DHS did not confirm eligibility because additional information is needed.	Y		Resolution required. You must begin paper (G-845) Secondary Confirmation process. See the “Electronic Announcements” section of the IFAP Web site, for the most recent G-845 form and mailing addresses. Also, see Volume 1, Chapter 2: Citizenship, of the <i>Federal Student Aid Handbook</i> at ifap.ed.gov/fsahandbook/attachments/1011FSAHbkVol1Ch2.pdf . If the requested documentation includes an HHS Eligibility or Certification letter and/or the student provides a copy of a T-visa, follow the instructions in G-845 form and mailing addresses and GEN-06-09, ifap.ed.gov/dpcletters/ GEN0609.html , in lieu of completing and submitting the G-845 form.
110	We have not received the signature page from your FAFSA on the Web application or correction. You must sign and return this SAR before we can determine your eligibility for federal student aid.		Missing student signature on Web application		16	Resolution required. Signature correction must be made on a printed SAR certification page and resubmitted to the FAFSA Processor or can be corrected electronically.
111	The amount you reported for your parents’ income tax is equal to or greater than the amount you reported for their adjusted gross income. Review Items 83 and 84 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Parents’ Taxes Paid is greater than zero and equal to or greater than AGI		12	Resolution required. Correct Parents’ Taxes Paid or AGI.

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112	<p>This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs.</p> <p>Based on the information we have on record for you, your EFC is <EFC>. You are not eligible for a Federal Pell Grant but you may be eligible for other aid. Your school will use your EFC to determine your financial aid eligibility for other federal grants, loans, and work study, and possible funding from your state and school.</p>	This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEXpress.	Pell ineligible EFC (Web only)			
113	We assumed the value for number in college (Item 73) based on your parents' marital status and number of family members. Your parents should not be included in the number in college. Please review this item.	Updated item number	Parents' number in college assumed to be less than the number reported			
114	The amount you reported for your income taxes is equal to or greater than the amount you reported for your adjusted gross income. Review Items 35 and 36 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Independent Student and Taxes Paid is greater than zero and equal to or greater than AGI.		3	Resolution required. Correct Student's Taxes Paid or AGI.
115	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that one or more of your federal student loans have been discharged. If you have questions, contact the financial aid office at your school.		<p>NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent)</p> <p>Loan is discharged due to disability</p>	Y		Resolution required. See the <i>Federal Student Aid Handbook</i> , Volume 1–FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility, chapter 3.

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116	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates you have one or more student loans in an active bankruptcy status. Before you can receive additional federal student loans, you must contact the financial aid office at your school.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) Loan is in Bankruptcy.	Y		Resolution required. See the <i>Federal Student Aid Handbook</i> , Volume 1–FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility, chapter 3.
117	We assumed certain information to calculate your eligibility for federal student aid. We printed the assumption we made and the word “assumed” in the “You told us” space for each of these items. If our assumptions are correct, do not change them. If they are incorrect, you need to make the necessary corrections.		Assumption made for one or more fields			
118	Be sure to review the items printed in darker print on this SAR and make any corrections if necessary.		Highlight on for one or more fields			
119		Comment not used				
120	Your citizenship status (Item 14) has been confirmed by the Department of Homeland Security and you meet the citizenship requirements for federal student aid.		DHS Secondary Confirmation match conducted. Match Flag = Y (citizenship status confirmed by DHS) DHS confirmed student is an eligible noncitizen.			

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121	It appears you have reported the same amount for your parents' cash, savings, and checking accounts and your parents' real estate/investment net worth. Review Items 88 and 89 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Parent asset fields equal			
122	It appears you have reported the same amount for your cash, savings, and checking accounts and your real estate/investment net worth. Review Items 40 and 41 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student asset fields equal			
123	It appears you have reported the same amount for your cash, savings, and checking accounts and your real estate/investment net worth. Review Items 40 and 41 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Independent student asset fields equal			
124	Contact the following agency(ies) regarding your defaulted or fraudulent federal student loan(s):		Contacts for defaulted student loans	Y		Resolution required. Student needs to contact the agency to resolved defaulted or fraudulent loan.
125	To be considered for a Federal Pell Grant, your financial aid office must receive your SAR by September 28, 2012, or your last day of enrollment, whichever comes first. Other student aid programs have different deadlines.	Updated year reference	The transaction process date is between 6/30/2012 and 8/20/2012.			

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126	You reported that your parents will not file an income tax return, but the amount you reported for your parents' income appears to be over the minimum amount required to file a tax return. Please review Items 79, 86, and 87 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student indicated that your parent is not a tax filer but appears to meet income requirement for tax filing		20	Resolution required. Review and correct or confirm (reenter the same value) the appropriate set of data from the following: Student's Tax Return Completed status or student's income or Parents' Tax Return Completed status or income for the father and mother.
127	It may be too late to submit any corrections to your SAR. To be considered for a Federal Pell Grant, you must submit a complete, correct SAR to your financial aid office no later than September 28, 2012, or your last day of enrollment, whichever comes first. If it is later than September 28, 2012, you must contact your financial aid office for assistance.	Updated year reference	The transaction process date is between 8/21/2012 to end of processing year and was not rejected (or a reject 19 only)			
128	It may be too late for you to make corrections or give us any more information for this year. We must have your corrected SAR no later than September 21, 2012. If it is later than September 21, 2012, you must contact your financial aid office for assistance.	Updated year reference	The transaction process date is between 8/21/2012 to end of processing year and was rejected for a reason other than 19			
129	You must provide your parent(s)' income information in Items 83 through 87 and 92a through 92i.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student and incomplete income information provided		2	Resolution required. Provide Parents' Taxed and Untaxed Income.

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130	You must provide your income information in Items 35 through 39 and 44a through 44j.	Updated item numbers	Independent student and incomplete income information provided		2	Resolution required. Provide Student and Spouse (if married) Taxed and Untaxed Income.
131	You reported that you will not file an income tax return, but the amount you reported for your (and your spouse's) income appears to be over the minimum amount required to file a tax return. Please review Items 32, 38, and 39 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Independent student indicated that he or she is not a tax filer but appears to meet income requirement for tax filing		20	Resolution required. Review and correct the appropriate set of data from the following: Student's Tax Return Completed status or income for the student and spouse.

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132	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that you are in DEFAULT on one or more federal student loans. You are not eligible to receive any federal student aid until you resolve any loan default(s).		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 2 (default) Applicant has at least one loan in default.	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Comment 124 will print in conjunction with comment 132 and will include up to three agencies that are holding defaulted loans. (Comments 135, 136, 181 to 239, 251 to 253, 303 to 307, or 309 to 314)</p> <p>Depending on loan status, student needs to contact GA, DLS, or EDR and make satisfactory arrangements to repay loan. If student has repaid the loan, obtain documentation that the loan identified as being in default is the loan that was paid off by the student.</p> <p>See the list of loan status codes and information on student eligibility in Appendix C of <i>The ISIR Guide</i> or in the Processing Codes section of the <i>Electronic Data Exchange Technical Reference</i>.</p>

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133	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that you have received one or more overpayments of federal student aid funds. You are required by law to repay any federal student aid funds received for which you were not entitled. You are not eligible to receive any federal student aid until you resolve your overpayment(s).		<p>NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent)</p> <p>NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment)</p> <p>Applicant has at least one overpayment or is in a fraud status and as a result, the applicant has at least one Overpayment Flag set to: Y = Overpayment or F = Fraud.</p> <p>NSLDS Overpayment</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Access NSLDS to obtain additional overpayment information.</p> <p>When there is an overpayment comment 133 will be provided with an additional comment(s) based on the type of overpayment.</p> <p>Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG) Overpayment: 010, 065, 066, 067, 077, or 079.</p> <p>Pell Grant Overpayment: 020, 038, 039, 041, 042, or 043</p> <p>Perkins Loan Overpayment: 086, 090, 100, 101, 102, or 107.</p> <p>Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) Overpayment: 240 to 244 or 246.</p> <p>National Science & Mathematics Access to Retain Talent Grant (National SMART) Overpayment: 261 to 266.</p> <p>Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Overpayment: 289 to 294</p> <p>Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Overpayment: 309 to 314</p>

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134	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that you are in DEFAULT on one or more federal student loans and that you received one or more overpayments of federal student aid funds. You are not eligible to receive any federal student aid until these items have been resolved.		NSLDS Defaulted loan and Overpayment	Y		Resolution required. See resolution for comments 132 and 133.
135	To resolve your defaulted or fraudulent federal student loan(s), contact the lender associated with the loan.		Defaulted loan lender contact	Y		Resolution required. A defaulted or fraudulent loan for this student is held by the lender of this loan.
136	To resolve your defaulted or fraudulent federal student loan(s), contact the school associated with the loan.		Defaulted loan school contact	Y		Resolution required. A defaulted or fraudulent loan for this student is held by the school who issued this loan.
137	To resolve issues with your federal student loan(s), please contact the Federal Servicer servicing your loan. Your Financial Aid Administrator can help you identify the servicer for your loans by looking up your record on the Department of Education's National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) web site.		Loan data provider contact DDP			FAA can look up the student's record at NSLDSFAP.ed.gov .

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138	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) found your reported Social Security Number (SSN) (Item 8) on their database, but your name (Items 1 and 2) and date of birth (Item 9) did not match. Therefore, this SAR does not contain the financial aid history that is associated with your reported SSN.		NSLDS Results Flag = 2 (SSN match, no name or date of birth match, no data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 7 (match but no data provided) SSN matched, but name and DOB did not match.	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Determine if the NSLDS record is that of the applicant by contacting the NSLDS Customer Service Staff directly at 800-999-8219.</p> <p>The NSLDS Customer Service Staff will help determine whether that SSN belongs to the student being assisted. Reviewing the student records with NSLDS Customer Service Staff will reveal which data provider supplied the conflicting SSN information. This provider can then be contacted directly to resolve the discrepancy. There is no need to wait for NSLDS to be updated before continuing the award process.</p> <p>If the record belongs to the student, verify they are in good standing by using the information in NSLDS to determine eligibility for Federal Student Aid student aid funds.</p>
139	To resolve issues with your federal student loan(s), call the Perkins Loans Customer Service Center at 1-800-826-4470, or write to them at Perkins Loans Customer Service, P.O. Box 7060, Utica, NY 13504-7060.		Loan data provider contact RDS Perkins			

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140	<p>According to Social Security Administration (SSA) records, the Social Security Number (SSN) that was provided in Item 8 belongs to a deceased person. If the SSN in Item 8 is correct, the applicant must contact the SSA at 1-800-772-1213 or www.socialsecurity.gov to resolve this problem. If the SSN is incorrect, the applicant must correct the SSN on a paper SAR or submit a new FAFSA online with the correct SSN.</p>		<p>SSN Match Flag = 5 (SSN, name, and DOB match with date of death)</p> <p>System generated</p> <p>Successful SSN match with a record that belongs to deceased person</p>		8	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If the student's SSN is correct, he or she must contact SSA. After SSA corrects its records, the student can reenter the name or date of birth and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction so the transaction can go back to SSA for an updated match flag. Records sent for rematching will continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>If the SSN is incorrect, the student can correct the SSN on the SAR/ISIR. If this is done, the student's original SAR ID [the ID that is used (with the incorrect SSN) to access the SAR/ISIR] will not change, but the current SSN reported in question 8 will be changed to reflect the corrected SSN.</p> <p>Alternatively, to obtain a SAR with a SAR ID that matches the student's reported SSN, the applicant should file a new FAFSA under the correct SSN. This FAFSA will be treated as an original application and will be sent through all of the matches as if another FAFSA had never been completed. The SAR ID will be the same as the SSN reported on this application.</p>

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141	You changed either your response to citizenship (Item 14) or the Alien Registration Number (Item 15) that was verified with the Department of Homeland Security. Therefore, you must submit proof of your citizenship status to your financial aid office.		DHS Primary Verification match not conducted. Match Flag = blank (record not sent to DHS) Applicant changed from eligible noncitizen to citizen or changed Alien Registration Number.	Y		Resolution required. Determine why student changed citizenship status and resolve any conflicting information. Student may need to submit proof of citizenship depending on reason for change.
142	The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security could not confirm that you are a noncitizen (Item 14) in an immigration status associated with the requirements of eligibility for the financial assistance for which you have applied because there is an issue with your Alien Registration Number (Item 15). You must submit proof to your school that you are a noncitizen in the required immigration status. If you do not submit proof within 30 days, or longer if your school allows, you may not be eligible for federal student aid.		DHS Primary Verification match not conducted. Match Flag = blank (record not sent to DHS) Student did not provide Alien Registration Number or provided invalid Alien Registration Number.	Y		Resolution required. If student failed to provide Alien Registration Number (ARN) or provided an invalid ARN, <i>do not perform Secondary Confirmation</i> . Instead, help student add or correct his or her ARN or make other corrections to the SAR/ISIR and resubmit for processing. If student provides adequate information to conduct match, record will be sent back to DHS for matching. Review match flags on subsequent transactions for updated match flag.

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143	Your citizenship status has been confirmed by the Department of Homeland Security and you meet the citizenship requirements for federal student aid.		DHS Match Flag = Y (citizenship confirmed) Applicant's noncitizen eligibility confirmed by DHS			<p>No resolution required.</p> <p>Do not initiate Secondary Confirmation unless there is conflicting information about the student's status or you have reason to believe the status reported is incorrect.</p> <p>The SAR/ISIR will serve as the necessary documentation to prove the student's eligible noncitizen status.</p>
144	The United States Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS) of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) has not yet confirmed your status as a noncitizen (Item 14) in an immigration status associated with the requirements of eligibility for the financial assistance for which you have applied. DHS will continue to check its records and we will notify you once we receive more information from DHS.		DHS Match Flag = N (citizenship not confirmed) DHS did not confirm applicant's noncitizen eligibility	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>See match flag for Secondary Confirmation.</p> <p>DHS will conduct the Secondary Confirmation process based on applicant identifier and Primary Verification information only. The next steps will depend on results from Secondary Confirmation match results.</p>

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145	According to Social Security Administration (SSA) records, the Social Security Number (SSN) that was reported in Item 8 belongs to a deceased person. If the SSN in Item 8 is correct, the applicant must contact the SSA at 1-800-772-1213 or www.socialsecurity.gov to resolve this problem. If the SSN is incorrect, the applicant must correct the SSN on a paper SAR or submit a new FAFSA online with the correct SSN.		SSN Match Flag = 5 (SSN, name, and DOB match with date of death) A successful SSN match with a record that belongs to deceased person		8	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If the student's SSN is correct, he or she must contact SSA. After SSA corrects its records, the student can reenter the name or date of birth and submit it as a SAR/ISIR correction so the transaction can go back to SSA for an updated match flag. Records sent for rematching will continue to receive this match flag until SSA updates its database. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.</p> <p>If the SSN is incorrect, the student can correct the SSN on the SAR/ISIR. If this is done, the student's original SAR ID [the ID that is used (with the incorrect SSN) to access the SAR/ISIR] will not change, but the current SSN reported in question 8 will be changed to reflect the corrected SSN.</p> <p>Alternatively, to obtain a SAR with a SAR ID that matches the student's reported SSN, the applicant should file a new FAFSA under the correct SSN. This FAFSA will be treated as an original application and will be sent through all of the matches as if another FAFSA had never been completed. The SAR ID will be the same as the SSN reported on this application.</p>

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146	<p>The Social Security Administration did not confirm that you are a U.S. citizen. Please provide your financial aid office with documentation of your U.S. citizenship (such as your U.S. Passport, Certificate of Naturalization or Birth Certificate). If the documents support your status as a U.S. citizen, the financial aid office at your school will make a copy of your documentation and can continue to process your federal student aid. If you are an eligible noncitizen, you or your school must submit a correction to Item 14 to indicate that you are an eligible noncitizen and also provide your Alien Registration Number in Item 15. You and your school will receive a new SAR/ISIR within three processing days with results from the Department of Homeland Security about your eligible noncitizen status.</p>		<p>SSA citizenship status match conducted.</p> <p>SSA Match Flag = B, C, D, E, F, or * (B = Legal alien, eligible to work C = Legal alien, not eligible to work D = Other E = Alien, student restricted, work authorized F = Conditionally legalized alien * = Foreign Blank = Domestic born [U.S. citizen])</p> <p>SSA did not confirm U.S. citizenship status.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If student is a U.S. citizen, he or she should provide birth certificate, passport, or other documents that definitively prove citizenship. Voter registration cards are not adequate proof of citizenship since many localities do not require proof of citizenship.</p> <p>If student is an eligible noncitizen, he or she should correct question 14 to indicate that the student is an eligible noncitizen and the Alien Registration Number (ARN) in question 15.</p> <p>If student provided citizenship and Alien Registration Number on the FAFSA or SAR, determine if his or her record was sent to DHS for matching. If it was not, verify that the ARN submitted is correct and that the First and Last Name, Date of Birth, and applicant's signature are on the record. If student was successfully matched with DHS as an eligible noncitizen, comment 146 is suppressed and no further resolution is necessary.</p> <p>Note: A match flag of * (asterisk) generally indicates that the student was born in a foreign country to American parents that were stationed in another country (for example, military, State Department, or Foreign Service). These students generally have birth certificates indicating that they are U.S. citizens that were born abroad. The SSA will not automatically update this flag and the financial aid administrator should document the information in the student's record.</p>
147		Comment not used				

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148	We assumed the number in college should be one (Item 73). Your parents should not be included in the number in college.	Updated item number	Parents' number in college assumed to be less than the number reported			
149	This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs. Based on the information we have on record for you, your EFC is <EFC>. You may be eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant and other federal student aid. Your school will use your EFC to determine your financial aid eligibility for federal grants, loans, and work study, and possible funding from your state and school.	This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.	Pell eligible EFC (Web only)			

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150	You must provide asset information for you and your parent(s). Review Items 40 through 42 and Items 88 through 90 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	<p>Dependent student did not meet Simplified Needs Test criteria and supplemental asset data left blank</p> <p>If the student is dependent and filed using FAFSA on the Web, the response can be blank only if the parents' total asset net worth did not exceed the asset threshold amount determined by CPS as of the day the FAFSA was completed, or the student meets the simplified needs test or qualifies for an automatic zero Expected Family Contribution (EFC).</p>		1	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Provide the following: Parents' Cash, Savings, and Checking; Parents' Real Estate/Investment Net Worth and Parents' Business/Investment Farm Net Worth.</p>

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151	You must provide your asset information. Review Items 40 through 42 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	<p>Independent student did not meet Simplified Needs Test criteria, SNT not met and supplemental asset data left blank</p> <p>If the student is independent and filing using FAFSA on the Web, the response can be blank only if the student indicates his or her (and spouse's) current asset net worth did not exceed the asset threshold amount determined by CPS as of the day the FAFSA was completed, or the student meets the simplified needs test or qualifies for an automatic zero Expected Family Contribution (EFC).</p>		1	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Provide the following:</p> <p>Student's Cash, Savings and Checking; Student's Real Estate/Investment Net Worth and Student's Business/Investment Farm Net Worth.</p>

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152	The amount you reported for your income tax is equal to or greater than the amount you reported for your adjusted gross income. Review Items 35 and 36 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependent Student and Taxes Paid is greater than zero and equal to or greater than AGI.		3	Resolution required. Correct or confirm (reenter the same value) Student's Taxes Paid or AGI.
153	The amount you reported for your income tax appears to be over the allowable amount based on what you reported for your adjusted gross income. Review Items 35 and 36 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student's Taxes Paid is greater than zero, and greater than or equal to a fixed percentage of the AGI, but not equal to or greater than AGI.		G	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct Taxes Paid and Adjusted Gross Income.
154	The amount you reported for your parents' income tax appears to be over the allowable amount based on what you reported for their adjusted gross income. Review Items 83 and 84 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Parent's Taxes Paid is greater than zero and greater than or equal to a fixed percentage of the AGI, but not equal to or greater than AGI.		C	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct Taxes Paid and Adjusted Gross Income.

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155	The amount you reported for your income tax appears to be over the allowable amount based on what you reported for your adjusted gross income. Review Items 35 and 36 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Student's Taxes Paid is greater than zero and greater than or equal to a fixed percentage of the AGI, but not equal to or greater than AGI.		C	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct Taxes Paid and Adjusted Gross Income.
156	If your parents have now completed their 2010 tax return, you should correct your information to reflect the income and tax information reported on their tax return. You may either make corrections to your information online at www.fafsa.gov , or by using this SAR. If you make corrections online at www.fafsa.gov , your parents may be able to retrieve their tax return information directly from the IRS. If your parents have not yet completed their tax return, you must correct this SAR to reflect the income and tax information reported on their tax return once it is filed.	Updated comment text	Parents' tax filing status is will file			
157	If you have now completed your 2010 tax return, you should correct your information to reflect the income and tax information reported on your tax return. You may either make corrections to your information online at www.fafsa.gov , or by using this SAR. If you make corrections online at www.fafsa.gov , you may be able to retrieve your tax return information directly from the IRS. If you have not yet completed your tax return, you must correct this SAR to reflect the income and tax information reported on your tax return once it is filed.	Updated comment text	Student's tax filing status is will file			

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158	<p>This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs.</p> <p>You are not eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant because you reported that you have a bachelor's degree (Item 27) or you are working on a degree beyond a bachelor's degree (Item 50). Your Financial Aid Administrator will determine what types of federal student aid you are eligible to receive.</p>	<p>This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.</p> <p>Updated item numbers</p>	Pell eligible EFC, graduate student (Web only)			
159	<p>This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs.</p> <p>You MAY not be eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant because you reported that you have a bachelor's degree (Item 27) or you are working on a degree beyond a bachelor's degree (Item 50). Your Financial Aid Administrator will determine what types of federal student aid you are eligible to receive.</p>	<p>This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.</p> <p>Updated item numbers</p>	Pell eligible EFC, graduate student in teaching credential program (Web only)			
160	<p>You either did not sign your FAFSA or FAFSA correction, or the date that you provided indicates that you completed your FAFSA prior to January 1, 2011, or later than the date the FAFSA was received. You must sign and return this SAR before we can determine your eligibility for federal student aid.</p>	<p>Updated year reference</p>	Missing student signature on paper FAFSA or SAR		14	<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>Signature correction must be made on a printed SAR certification page and resubmitted to the FAFSA Processor or can be corrected electronically.</p>

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161	We could not match your information with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Please provide your full name (Items 1 and 2) and/or date of birth (Item 9) for us to complete the match with the Department of Veterans Affairs.		VA Match Flag = 8 (record not sent to VA) VA Match not completed Record could not be sent to VA because of last name, date of birth, and/or signature provided.			No resolution required. Help student make corrections to name, date of birth, or signature if necessary so that the student's record can be sent to VA for matching. Review subsequent transactions for updated match flag.

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162	<p>The Department of Veterans Affairs did not confirm that you are or will be a qualifying veteran for purposes of receiving federal student aid for the 2011-2012 school year. If you believe you are or will be a qualifying veteran, contact your financial aid office and provide a copy of your DD214 (military separation form). If you are currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training, change your answer to Item 49 from “Yes” to “No” and answer “Yes” to Item 48. If you are not and will not be a veteran, you must change the answer to Item 49 from “Yes” to “No” and provide parental information, including the signature of at least one of your parents.</p>	Updated year reference and item numbers	<p>VA Match Flag = 2 (record found on VA database but not a qualifying Veteran)</p> <p>Independent and record is not independent for a reason other than veteran status.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If the student believes the match results are in error, he or she should contact a regional VA office to have VA records updated. The CPS will continue to send any correction transactions to VA for rematching and an updated match flag.</p> <p>While the student is resolving the discrepancy with the VA, the financial aid administrator can collect documentation from the applicant that clearly demonstrates that he or she is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces. The student can provide the DD214 form showing that “Character of Service” is other than “dishonorable.” However, until the information is corrected in the VA database, the match results will not change. If the documentation confirms that the student is a veteran, Title IV aid can then be disbursed to the student.</p> <p>If the match results are correct and the student is not a qualifying veteran, the he or she must submit a correction to change the answer to Item 55 from “Yes” to “No” and provide parental information, including the signature of at least one parent.</p>
163		Comment not used				

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164	You reported that your parent(s) did file or will file a 2010 income tax return (Item 79) but also reported that your father and your mother do not have a Social Security Number (Items 60 and 64). Please review your answers and make the necessary corrections.	Updated year reference and item numbers	This comment prints instead of printing comments 83 and 84 together		J and K	Resolution required.
165	It appears that the Social Security Numbers you reported for your father and mother are not correct. Review the numbers you reported in Items 60 and 64 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Father's SSN and Mother's SSN in unissued range			
166	It appears that the Social Security Number you reported for your father is not correct. Review the number you reported in Item 60 and make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Match with SSA was not conducted because SSN for father is not in SSA's list of issued SSNs			No resolution required. Father's SSN appears to be invalid. Provide correct SSN for father. If Father's SSN is correct, father should contact SSA to ensure their records are correct. If documentation confirms that the father does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.
167	It appears that the Social Security Number you reported for your mother is not correct. Review the number you reported in Item 64 and make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Match with SSA was not conducted because SSN for mother is not in SSA's list of issued SSNs			No resolution required. Mother's SSN appears to be invalid. Provide correct SSN for mother. If Mother's SSN is correct, mother should contact SSA to ensure their records are correct. If documentation confirms that the mother does not have an SSN, enter all zeros in the field and confirm by reentering the zeros.

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168	You must provide answers for your parents' marital status and number of family members in Items 58 and 72.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student and marital status and number of family members are blank		10	Resolution required. Review and correct Parents' Marital Status and Parents' Number of Family Members.
169	You must provide answers for your marital status and number of family members in Items 16 and 93.	Updated item number	Independent student and marital status and number of family members are blank		10	Resolution required. Review and correct Student's Marital Status and Student's Number of Family Members.
170	This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs. Your FAFSA has been selected for a review process called verification. Your school has the authority to request copies of certain financial documents from you and your parent(s).	This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.	Selected for verification, dependent (Web only)			
171	This text is the same for the Web and SARs/ISIRs. Your FAFSA has been selected for a review process called verification. Your school has the authority to request copies of certain financial documents from you (and your spouse).	This comment does not print on SAR or ISIR from EDEExpress.	Selected for verification, independent (Web only)			
172	This SAR was produced because we have processed a change to your information based on information reported to us by another agency or as a result of a processing system change. Please review your SAR to see what effect, if any, this change has had on your application.		System generated			

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173	<p>The Department of Veterans Affairs did not confirm that you are or will be a qualifying veteran for purposes of receiving federal student aid for the 2011-2012 school year. If you believe you are or will be a qualifying veteran, contact your financial aid office and provide a copy of your DD214 (military separation form). If you are currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training, change your answer to Item 49 from “Yes” to “No” and answer “Yes” to Item 48. If you are not and will not be a veteran, you must change the answer to Item 49 from “Yes” to “No” and provide parental information, including the signature of at least one of your parents.</p>	<p>Updated year reference and item numbers</p>	<p>VA Match Flag = 3 (record not found on VA database)</p> <p>Independent, record not found on VA database, and record is not independent for a reason other than veteran status.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>If the student believes the match results are in error, he or she can provide the DD214 form (military separation form). However, it is likely that the military branch or Department of Defense has not sent the data to the VA. The student should contact a regional VA office to have VA records updated. Until the information is corrected in the VA database, the match results will not change.</p> <p>While the student is resolving the discrepancy with the VA, the financial aid administrator can collect from the applicant the DD214 that clearly demonstrates that he or she is a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces. If the documentation confirms that the student is a veteran, Title IV aid can then be disbursed to him or her.</p> <p>If the match results are correct and the student is not a qualifying veteran, he or she must submit a correction to change the answer to Item 55 from “Yes” to “No” and provide parental information, including the signature of at least one parent.</p>

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174	We did not process your request to add another school code to your application because the Financial Aid Administrator at your previous school updated your application based on professional judgment. Please contact the financial aid office at your new school for assistance.		Attempting to add a school to an FAA adjusted transaction			
175	You reported that you are married and have dependents other than a spouse, but you also reported that your number of family members is 2. These answers are inconsistent. Review Items 16, 51, and 93 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependency, marital status, and number of family members inconsistent			
176	You reported that you do not have children or other legal dependents, but you also reported that your number of family members is greater than 2. These answers are inconsistent. Review Items 50, 51, and 93 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependency, legal dependents and number of family members inconsistent			
177	You reported that you are not married and do not have children or other legal dependents, but you also reported that your number of family members is 2. These answers are inconsistent. Review Items 16, 50, 51, and 93 and make the necessary corrections.	Updated item numbers	Dependency, legal dependents, number of family members, and marital status inconsistent			
178	Review the number of family members you have reported in Item 72 and either confirm your answer by reentering it or make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Dependent with large number of family members		W	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct Parents' Number of Family Members.

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179	Review the number of family members you have reported in Item 93 and either confirm your answer by reentering it or make the necessary correction.	Updated item number	Independent with large number of family members		W	Resolution required. Confirm (reenter the same value) or correct Student's Number of Family Members.
180	The Department of Veterans Affairs did not confirm that you are or will be a qualifying veteran for purposes of receiving federal student aid for the 2011-2012 school year. If you believe you are or will be a qualifying veteran, contact your financial aid office and provide a copy of your DD214 (military separation form). If you are currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training, change your answer to Item 49 from "Yes" to "No" and answer "Yes" to Item 48. If you are not and will not be a veteran, you must change the answer to Item 49 from "Yes" to "No" and provide parental information, including the signature of at least one of your parents.	Updated year reference and item numbers	VA Match Flag = 4 (record found on database but applicant is on active duty) Record is not independent for a reason other than veteran status	Y		Resolution required. Student must provide documentation to the school that shows upcoming release orders from a military branch, typically in memorandum format or letter, stating intent to release. There is no requirement to reconfirm actual separation during the award year.
181	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 611)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
182	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 620)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
183	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 627)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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184	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 631)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
185	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 654)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
186	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 656)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
187	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 701)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
188	United Student Aid Funds, Alaska Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 702)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
189	Student Loan Guarantee Foundation of Arkansas, Collections, 1-800-622-3446 (GA 705)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
190	EdFund, 1-800-367-1589 or 916-526-7900 (GA 706)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
191	College Assist, 303-305-3000 or 1-800-727-9834 (GA 708)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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192	Connecticut Student Loan Foundation, Collections, 1-800-237-9721 or 860-257-4001 (GA 709)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
193	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 710)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
194	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 711)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
195	Florida Department of Education, Defaulted Borrowers Assistance, 1-800-366-3475 or 850-410-5200 (GA 712)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
196	Georgia Student Finance Commission, Collections, 1-800-776-6878 or 770-724-9000 (GA 713)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
197	Northwest Education Loan Association, Collection Office, 1-800-552-0686 or 1-800-331-2314 (GA 716)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
198	Illinois Student Assistance Commission, Claims and Collections, 1-800-934-3572 or 847-948-8500 (GA 717)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
199	United Student Aid Funds, Indiana Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 718)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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200	Iowa College Student Aid Commission, Claims Dept., 1-800-383-4222 or 515-725-3400 (GA 719)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
201	Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Collections Office, 1-800-928-8926 or 502-696-7281 (GA 721)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
202	Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance, 1-800-256-6882 or 1-800-259-5626 (GA 722)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
203	United Student Aid Funds, Maine Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 or 317-849-6510 (GA 723)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
204	United Student Aid Funds, Maryland Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 724)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
205	American Student Assistance, Collections, 1-800-999-9080 or 617-426-9434 (GA 725)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
206	Michigan Higher Education Assistance Authority, Collections, 1-800-642-5626 (GA 726)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
207	Great Lakes Educational Loan Services, Inc., 1-800-354-6980 (GA 727)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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208	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 728)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
209	Missouri Department of Higher Education, 1-800-824-4893, Ext. 1 or 1-800-473-6757 (GA 729)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
210	Montana Guaranteed Student Loan Program, Claims Management, 1-800-537-7508 or 406-444-0395 (GA 730)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
211	National Student Loan Program (NSLP), Collection Office, 1-800-735-8778, Ext. 6380 or 402-479-6800 (GA 731)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
212	United Student Aid Funds, Nevada Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 732)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
213	New Hampshire Higher Educ. Assistance Foundation, Claims Section, 1-800-525-2577 or 603-225-6612 (GA 733)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
214	New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority, 1-800-792-8670 (GA 734)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
215	New Mexico Student Loan Guarantee Corporation, 1-800-279-5063 or 505-345-3371 (GA 735)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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216	New York State Higher Education Services Corporation, Office of Default, 1-800-666-0991 or 1-888-697-4372 (GA 736)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
217	North Carolina State Education Assistance Authority, Collections, 1-800-544-1644 (GA 737)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
218	North Dakota Post Claims Collections, 1-800-472-2166, Ext. 5662 or 701-328-5662 (GA 738)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
219	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 739)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
220	Oklahoma Guaranteed Student Loan Program, Collection Office, 1-800-522-8022 or 405-234-4300 (GA 740)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
221	Oregon Student Assistance Commission, Collection Office, 541-984-2450 or 1-888-323-3262 (GA 741)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
222	Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, 1-800-233-0751 or 1-800-692-7392 (GA 742)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
223	Rhode Island Higher Education Assistance Authority, 1-800-922-9855 or 401-736-1100 (GA 744)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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224	South Carolina State Education Assistance Authority, Collections, 1-800-347-2752 or 803-798-0916 (GA 745)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
225	Education Assistance Corporation, 1-800-874-8982 or 605-622-4347 (GA 746)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
226	Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation, BTI Services, 1-800-257-6528, Ext. 1 or 615-741-1346 (GA 747)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
227	Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corp., Collections, 1-800-252-9743 or 512-219-7337 (GA 748)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
228	Utah Higher Education Assistance Authority, 801-321-7200 or 1-800-418-8757 (GA 749)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
229	Vermont Student Assistance Corp., 1-800-642-3177 or 802-655-9602 (GA 750)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
230	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 751)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
231	Northwest Education Loan Association, Collection Office, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 753)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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232	Great Lakes Higher Education Corporation, 1-800-354-6980 or 1-800-247-0462 (GA 755)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
233	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 772)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
234	Debt Collection Service, 1-800-621-3115 (GA 778)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
235	United Student Aid Funds, Post Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 800)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
236	United Student Aid Funds, Arizona Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 804)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
237	United Student Aid Funds, Hawaii Claims Assistance, 1-800-331-2314 (GA 815)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
238	Educational Credit Management Corporation, 651-221-0566 or 1-888-221-3262 (GA 927)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
239	Educational Credit Management Corporation, 651-221-0566 or 1-888-221-3262 (GA 951)		NSLDS defaulted loan contact			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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240	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the ACG overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.
241	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115 or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
242	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115 or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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243	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115 or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
244	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional ACG overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
245	Direct Loan Servicing Center, Utica, NY, 1-800-848-0979 (00100)		Direct loan servicing center information			

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246	To resolve your Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional ACG overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for ACG overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
247	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that one or more of your federal student loans have been discharged by the Department of Veterans Affairs. If you have questions, contact the financial aid office at your school.	Added Comment	Loan discharged by the Veterans Administration			
248		Comment not used				
249		Comment not used				
250		Comment not used				
251	Call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609. (EDR 04)		ED Regional office contact information			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
252	Call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609. (EDR 05)		ED Regional office contact information			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

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253	Call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609. (EDR 09)		ED Regional office contact information			<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.</p>
254	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and your grade level, we have determined that you may have received subsidized student loans in excess of loan limits established for the federal loan programs. You should review the information on Page 4.		<p>NSLDS</p> <p>Subsidized or Combined Loan Total has exceeded loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags or Postscreening reason codes of 09 or 10.</p>	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>In general, students who borrow in excess of aggregate loan limits are ineligible to receive further Title IV assistance. However, if the school determines that the student inadvertently borrowed in excess of the limits, the student may regain eligibility either by repaying the amount borrowed in excess of the aggregate limits or by making satisfactory (to the loan holder) repayment arrangements for the excess amount.</p> <p>See Section 668.35(b) (1) of the Federal Student Financial Aid Regulations and Dear Colleague Letter GEN 96-13, Q&A #17 for additional information.</p>

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255	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and your grade level, we have determined that you may have received a total amount of undergraduate student loans that exceeds the loan limits established for the federal loan programs. You should review the information on Page 4.		NSLDS Subsidized or Combined Loan Total has exceeded undergraduate loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags or Postscreening reason code 09 or 10.	Y		Resolution required. See Action Needed for comment 254.
256	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and your grade level, we have determined that you may have received a total amount of student loans (graduate and undergraduate) that exceeds the loan limits established for the federal loan programs. You should review the information on Page 4.		NSLDS Subsidized or Combined Loan Total has exceeded graduate loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags or Postscreening reason code 09 or 10.	Y		Resolution required. See Action Needed for comment 254.

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257	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and your grade level, we have determined that you may have received a total amount of student loans (graduate and undergraduate) that is close to or equal to the loan limits established for the federal loan programs. Therefore, your eligibility for additional student loans may be limited. You should review the information on Page 4.		NSLDS Subsidized or Combined Loan Total is close to exceeding the loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags. Graduate close to loan limit			No resolution required. On the CPS 01 transaction, loan limits may already be exceeded. However, the CPS would not detect it until NSLDS postscreening occurs. Schools must check aggregate amounts to determine if loans to the student are close to, equal to, or exceeding loan limits. If they are exceeding, see action needed for comment 254. If loan limits are close to or equal to the limits, caution should be used to ensure that the student does not exceed his or her loan limits with subsequent Title IV loans.
258	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) and your grade level, we have determined that you may have received a total amount of undergraduate student loans that is close to or equal to the loan limits established for the federal loan programs. Therefore, your eligibility for additional student loans may be limited. You should review the information on Page 4.		NSLDS Subsidized or Combined Loan Total is close to exceeding the loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags. Undergraduate close to loan limit			No resolution required. See Action Needed for comment 257.

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259	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates you have one or more student loans in a status associated with identity theft. Before you can receive additional federal student loans, you must contact the financial aid office at your school.	<i>Added Action Needed</i>	NSLDS Identity Theft loan			<p><i>No resolution required.</i></p> <p><i>SAR comment code 259 was originally developed in 2008-2009 to be added to the record of an innocent student who was the victim of identity theft. However, we subsequently determined the comment was unnecessary as the student would simply have his or her identifiers removed from the fraudulently received loan. This comment will never appear on a student's record.</i></p>
260	Based upon data provided by the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS), your grade level, and your dependency status, we have determined that you may have received student loans in excess of loan limits established for the federal loan programs. You should review the information on Page 4.		NSLDS Subsidized or Combined Loan Total has exceeded loan limits based on NSLDS Loan Limit Flags or Postscreening reason code 09 or 10.	Y		<p>Resolution required.</p> <p>See Action Needed for comment 254.</p>

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261	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the National SMART Grant overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.
262	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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263	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
264	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

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265	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional National SMART Grant overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
266	To resolve your National SMART Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional National SMART Grant overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for National SMART Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
267		Deleted comment Comment not used				

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268	You reported that you completed a rigorous high school program or state scholars program that may qualify you for an Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG).	Comment will not appear for 2011-2012	ACG – High School program			
269	You reported that you completed two or more Advanced Placement (AP) courses or two or more International Baccalaureate (IB) courses and achieved a score on the exams that may qualify you for an Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG).	Comment will not appear for 2011-2012	ACG – AP/IB courses			
270	You reported that you took and passed a series of high school courses that may qualify you for an Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG).	Comment will not appear for 2011-2012	ACG – Rigorous high school courses			
271	The Financial Aid Administrator at your college will determine if you are eligible for an ACG. All follow-up information about your grant eligibility will come from the financial aid office at your college.	Comment will not appear for 2011-2012	ACG – Referral to FAA			
272	The National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) indicates that you have one or more student loans that may have been obtained fraudulently. You are not eligible to receive any federal student aid until this issue is resolved.	Added Action Needed	NSLDS Fraud Loan			<i>SAR comment code 272 will only appear if a guaranty agency, a Perkins school, or the Department of Education has determined that a loan was obtained fraudulently. In these rare cases, the loan is listed under the perpetrator’s identifiers and thus he or she cannot get further Title IV federal student aid. If a school receives a student record with comment code 272, the school should refer the applicant to the loan holder for resolution.</i>

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273	You have changed the answer to your parents' income, income taxes paid, or exemptions. If your parents have completed their 2010 tax return, you should also change the answer to the tax return question (Item 79) to indicate their tax return has been completed.	Updated year reference and item number	Parent corrections to tax fields with estimated tax return			
274	You have changed the answer to your income, income taxes paid, or exemptions. If you have completed your 2010 tax return, you should also change the answer to the tax return question (Item 32) to indicate your tax return has been completed.	Updated year reference	Student corrections to tax fields with estimated tax return			
275	You were issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. Your information has been verified and your PIN has been confirmed. Do not share your PIN with anyone. Remember that your PIN stays the same from year to year and that you can use your PIN to make corrections, add school codes, view your federal student loan history, and electronically sign your Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note. For more information on the PIN, visit www.pin.ed.gov .	Updated year reference and removed reference to Federal Family Education Loan	Student Temporary PIN confirmed			
276	You were issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. We were unable to verify your name, date of birth, and/or Social Security Number (SSN) with the Social Security Administration (SSA). Therefore, your PIN has been deactivated. Follow the instructions below to resolve your problem with the SSA.	Updated year reference	Student Temporary PIN not confirmed			

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277	Your father was issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. His information has been verified and his PIN has been confirmed. Your father should not share his PIN with anyone. The PIN stays the same from year to year and can be used to make corrections, add school codes, and view your federal student loan history. For more information on the PIN, your father can visit www.pin.ed.gov .	Updated year reference	Father Temporary PIN confirmed			
278	Your father was issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. We were unable to verify his name, date of birth, and/or Social Security Number (SSN) with the Social Security Administration (SSA). Therefore, his PIN has been deactivated. Follow the instructions below to resolve your father's problem with the SSA.	Updated year reference	Father Temporary PIN not confirmed			
279	Your mother was issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. Her information has been verified and her PIN has been confirmed. Your mother should not share her PIN with anyone. The PIN stays the same from year to year and can be used to make corrections, add school codes, and view your federal student loan history. For more information on the PIN, your mother can visit www.pin.ed.gov .	Updated year reference	Mother Temporary PIN confirmed			
280	Your mother was issued a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your 2011-2012 FAFSA. We were unable to verify her name, date of birth, and/or Social Security Number (SSN) with the Social Security Administration (SSA). Therefore, her PIN has been deactivated. Follow the instructions below to resolve your mother's problem with the SSA.	Updated year reference	Mother Temporary PIN not confirmed			

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281		Deleted comment Comment not used				
282		Comment not used				
283		Deleted comment Comment not used				
284	This SAR reflects your Financial Aid Administrator's decision to consider you an independent student.		Dependency Override set			
285	Since you filed your FAFSA over the telephone, you must sign and return this SAR before we can determine your eligibility for federal student aid.		Missing student signature on FAFSA on the Phone record		16	Resolution required. Signature correction must be made on a printed SAR certification page and resubmitted to the FAFSA Processor or corrected electronically.
286	We assumed the total amount for your parents' income deductions to be zero in order to calculate your eligibility for federal student aid because the amounts you reported in Items 91a through 91f are high, based on the other income amounts you reported. If our assumption is correct, no further action is required. If it is incorrect, you need to confirm your answers or make the necessary corrections to Items 91a through 91f.	Updated item numbers	Parents Worksheet A Total assumed			

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287	We assumed the total amount for your income deductions to be zero in order to calculate your eligibility for federal student aid because the amounts you reported in Items 43a through 43f are high, based on the other income amounts you reported. If our assumption is correct, no further action is required. If it is incorrect, you need to confirm your answers or make the necessary corrections to Items 43a through 43f.	Updated item numbers	Dependent student's Worksheet A Total assumed			
288	We assumed the total amount for your income deductions to be zero in order to calculate your eligibility for federal student aid because the amounts you reported in Items 43a through 43f are high, based on the other income amounts you reported. If our assumption is correct, no further action is required. If it is incorrect, you need to confirm your answers or make the necessary corrections to Items 43a through 43f.	Updated item numbers	Independent student's Worksheet A Total assumed			
289	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the TEACH Grant overpayment.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.

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290	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
291	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
292	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
293	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional TEACH Grant overpayment information.	Updated comment to make “overpayment” plural	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
294	To resolve your TEACH Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional TEACH Grant overpayment information.		NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for TEACH Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
295	You did not report information about your parents on your FAFSA and will see comments and highlighted fields on your SAR regarding the missing information. You indicated you have a circumstance that requires you to follow-up with your Financial Aid Administrator before your eligibility for federal student aid can be determined.		Special Circumstances Flag = 1 (dependent record submitted without parental data)			
296	This SAR reflects the parental data that you have added to your FAFSA.		Parental data corrected on Special Circumstances record			
297	You indicated that you were homeless or at risk of being homeless. Since you are over the age of 21, only your Financial Aid Administrator can make the determination that you meet the homeless conditions, so we have assumed the answer to Item 55, 56, or 57 to be 'No'. You should contact your financial aid office for assistance in determining your status.	Updated item numbers	Assumption for Homeless Youth questions			

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
298	This SAR has been produced due to a possible change in your eligibility for federal student aid. Please contact your financial aid office for more information.		<p>DOD Match Flag = Y (applicant's SSN included in the DOD Match file</p> <p>Student's SSN and first two letters of the last name match a record on the DOD Match file confirming the student had a parent who died as the result of military service in Iraq or Afghanistan after September 11, 2001.</p> <p>DOD Match system generated transaction</p>			<p>If the student was 24 years of age or older on the date of the parent's death, confirm that the student was enrolled in college. The parent's date of death is included in the ISIR file or can be viewed in the EDEXpress FAA Information View and on FAA Access to CPS Online. The date of death does not print on the ISIR and the match flag and date of death do not print on the SAR. The Date of Death does print on the FAA version of the e-SAR. If the student is Pell eligible and has a Pell eligible EFC, he or she should receive a 0 (zero) EFC Pell Grant award. If the student's EFC is not Pell eligible, he or she should receive the equivalent to a 0 (zero) EFC Pell Grant award in the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant.</p>
299	You did not report information about your parents on your FAFSA because you indicated you are homeless or at risk of homelessness. You will see comments and highlighted fields on your SAR regarding the missing information. You are required to follow-up with your Financial Aid Administrator before your eligibility for federal student aid can be determined.		Special Circumstances Flag = 3			

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
300	You did not report information about your parents on your FAFSA because you indicated you are only applying for an unsubsidized student loan. You will see comments and highlighted fields on your SAR regarding the missing information and are required to follow-up with your Financial Aid Administrator before your eligibility for federal student aid can be determined.		Special Circumstances Flag = 4 (dependent record unsubsidized loans only)			
301	You did not report whether or not you will have your first bachelor's degree by July 1, 2011 (Item 28). You need to provide an answer for this item.	Updated year reference and item number	Blank Bachelor's Degree			
302	You have changed your marital status in Item 16 or your marital status date in Item 17 to a new response. The answer to these questions must be your marital status as of the date you signed and submitted your FAFSA. If your answers do not reflect your status as of the date you submitted your FAFSA, you need to make a correction to one or both of these items.		Student's Marital Status or Marital Status Date corrected			
303	Department of Education/ACS, 1-800-508-1378 (GA 577)		NSLDS defaulted loan contacts			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
304	Department of Education/SALLIE MAE, 1-800-722-1300 (GA 578)		NSLDS defaulted loan contacts			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
305	Department of Education/FEDLOAN Servicing (PHEAA), 1-800-699-2908 (GA 579)		NSLDS defaulted loan contacts			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
306	Department of Education/NELNET, 1-888-486-4722 (GA 580)		NSLDS defaulted loan contacts			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
307	Department of Education/GREAT LAKES, 1-800-236-4300 (GA 581)		NSLDS defaulted loan contacts			Resolution required. A defaulted loan for this student is held by this agency.
308	You have changed your parents' marital status in Item 58 or your parents' marital status date in Item 59 to a new response. The answer to these questions must be your parents' marital status as of the date you signed and submitted your FAFSA. Unless a financial aid administrator has instructed you to update this information, you need to make a correction to one or both of these items if your answers do not reflect your parents' status as of the date you submitted your FAFSA.	Updated item numbers	Parents' Marital Status or Marital Status Date corrected			
309	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must contact the school associated with the Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should help the student resolve the overpayment by contacting the school associated with the overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
310	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
311	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
312	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment, call the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-621-3115, or write to the U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 5609, Greenville, Texas 75403-5609.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. Applicant needs to contact the agency listed to resolve the overpayment.
313	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayments, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment information.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.

SAR Comment Code	SAR Comment Text Definition	Notes/ Changes	Reason for Comment	C Code	Reject Code	Action Needed
314	To resolve your Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment, your Financial Aid Administrator must access NSLDS for additional Iraq/Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment information.	Added comment	NSLDS Results Flag = 1 (record matched, data sent) NSLDS Match Flag = 3 (overpayment) Flagged for Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant overpayment	Y		Resolution required. The financial aid administrator should access NSLDS for additional information to help student resolve overpayment.
901		<i>Added comment code with no comment text</i>	<i>Dependent applicant filed on the Web, and his/her parents indicated that they did not meet the predefined asset threshold amount</i>			<i>No resolution required.</i> <i>This comment code prints on the ISIR if the parent of a dependent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.”</i> <i>Comment number will print on the ISIR, not on the SAR.</i>
902		<i>Added comment code with no comment text</i>	<i>Independent applicant filed on the Web and indicated he or she (and spouse, if applicable) did not meet the predefined asset threshold amount</i>			<i>No resolution required.</i> <i>This comment code prints on the ISIR if an independent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.”</i> <i>Comment number will print on the ISIR, not on the SAR.</i>

Database Match Results

How to Use the Charts

The information in this section is provided for you to use as a quick reference. The *Federal Student Aid Handbook*, Volume 1–FSA Handbook: Student Eligibility contains detailed information about student eligibility and the action needed to resolve discrepancies found in the data matches. The handbook can be found on the IFAP Web site, located at ifap.ed.gov.

A flag of **C** is an indicator that institutional resolution is required. The C Flag is printed on the SAR next to the EFC if any of the conditions described in the chart are met.

Note: Some of these data match results generate rejected records. Comments associated with a match results reject do not generate SAR C codes. However, a SAR C code could possibly be generated by another match result comment and is printed on a SAR rejected for other than match results reasons. An EFC is not provided on any rejected records.

An asterisk (*) in the Match Flag column of this chart indicates that a match flag value is not generated for cases that could not be sent to the matching agency.

Selective Service Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	Y = Registration status confirmed	No comment
	T = Temporarily exempt	026
C code	N = Registration status not confirmed	030
	Blank = Record not sent to Selective Service	

Selective Service Registration

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	Y = Registration completed	031
	T = Temporarily exempt	028
C code	Blank = Record not sent to Selective Service.*	033
C code	N = Registration not completed	057

DHS Primary Verification Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	Y = Citizenship confirmed	143
C code	N = Citizenship not confirmed	144
Reject 17	Blank = Record not sent to DHS *	068
C code	Blank = Record not sent to DHS *	141 or 142

DHS Secondary Confirmation Match

CPS waits for three compute days to receive results from Secondary Confirmation instead of processing ISIRs with results from Primary Verification only.

After three days, if DHS does not return a response, CPS generates the ISIR, which shows that Secondary Confirmation is still in progress.

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	P = Pending results of secondary confirmation	No comment
	Y = Citizenship status confirmed by DHS	120
C code	C = DHS has not yet confirmed eligible noncitizen status	105
C code	N = DHS did not confirm eligible noncitizen status	046
C code	X = DHS did not have enough information to confirm eligible noncitizen status	109

Notes about the paper (G-845) Secondary Confirmation Process

- Before sending copies of documentation to DHS, the school should confirm that the student identifiers on the ISIR are accurate, especially Alien Registration Number and Date of Birth. If application data is incorrect, submit corrections to the CPS instead of paper Secondary Confirmation.
- Be sure to enter the student's 15 digit DHS Verification Number on the G-845 form. It can be found in the Match Flags section of the ISIR.
- In all cases, if a school does not receive a response to a paper Secondary Confirmation request within 15 days, student is eligible for aid if documentation appears to support claim of eligible noncitizen.

Social Security Administration's Citizenship Status

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	A = U.S. citizen Blank = Domestic born (U.S. citizen)	No comment.
C code	B = Legal alien, eligible to work C = Legal alien, not eligible to work D = Other E = Alien, student restricted, work authorized F = Conditionally legalized alien * = Foreign	146

Student's Social Security Number Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
Reject 18	1 = No match on SSN 6 = SSN not verified	24
Reject R	2 = SSN and name match, no match on DOB	060
C code	2 = SSN and name match, no match on DOB	063
Reject D	3 = SSN match, no match on name	061
C code	3 = SSN match, no match on name	064
	4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match	013 or no comment
Reject 8	5 = SSN, name, DOB match with date of death	076, 140, 145
Rejects N, 13, 5, 14, and/or 16	8 = Record not sent to SSA	059
Rejects N, 13, 5, 14, 16, and/or P	8 = Record not sent to SSA	023

Parent's Social Security Number Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	N/A	048
	N/A	045
Reject 6	Father = 1 (no match on SSN) or 6 (SSN not verified) Mother does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	011
Reject 7	Mother = 1 (no match on SSN) or 6 (SSN not verified) Father does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	012
	Father = 1 (no match on SSN) or 6 (SSN not verified) Mother = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	014
	Mother = 1 (no match on SSN) or 6 (SSN not verified) Father = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	015
Reject S	Father = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Mother does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	016
	Father = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Mother does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	007
Reject T	Mother = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Father does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	017
	Mother = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Father does not = 4 (4 = SSN, Name, and DOB match)	008
	Father = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Mother = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	019
	Mother = 2 (SSN and name match no match on DOB) Father = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	021
	Father = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Mother = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	022
Reject E	Father = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Mother does not = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	040
	Father = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Mother does not = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	044
	Mother = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Father = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	025

Parent's Social Security Number Match (continued)

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
Reject F	Mother = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Father does not = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	051
	Mother = 3 (SSN match, no match on name) Father does not = 4 (SSN, Name, and DOB match)	071
	Father = 5 (SSN, name, DOB match with date of death)	027
	Mother = 5 (SSN, name, DOB match with date of death)	029
Reject 9		049
		166
		167

Department of Veterans Affairs Veteran Status Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	1 = Veteran status confirmed	No comment.
C code	2 = Record found on VA database but not a qualifying Veteran	162
	2 = Record found on VA database but not a qualifying Veteran	No comment.
C code	3 = Record not found on VA database	173
	3 = Record not found on VA database	No comment.
C code	4 = Record found on VA database but applicant on active duty	180
	4 = Record found on VA database but applicant on active duty	No comment.
	8 = Record not sent to VA	161

National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Results Flag	Match Flag	Comment Number
	1 = Match found; NSLDS data sent	1 = Student not in default or overpayment	No comment
	3 = Student's SSN not found; No NSLDS data to send	1 = Student not in default or overpayment	No comment
	4 = Match found; No relevant NSLDS data to send	1 = Student not in default or overpayment	No comment
C code	2 = Incomplete match; no NSLDS data sent	7 = Match, but no data provided	138
C code	1 = Match found; NSLDS data sent	2 = Default	132, 124 Up to three names and phone numbers of Guaranty Agencies, Direct Loan Servicers or ED Regions that are holding the student's defaulted loan(s) will be listed (comments 135, 136, 181 to 239, 251 to 253, or 303 to 307).

National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) Match (continued)

SAR C Code/ Reject	Results Flag	Match Flag	Comment Number
C code	1 = Match found; NSLDS data sent	3 = Overpayment	Comment 133 will be provided with one of the following comments: 010, 020, 038, 039, 041, 042, 043, 065, 066, 067, 077, 079, 086, 090, 100, 101, 102, 107, 240 to 244, 246, 261 to 266, 289 to 294 or 309 to 314.
C code	1 = Match found; NSLDS data sent	4 = Default and overpayment	134
C code	1 = Match found; NSLDS data sent		115, 116
		8 = Record not sent to NSLDS	None
C code			254 to 258, 260

Department of Defense (DOD) Match

SAR C Code/ Reject	Match Flag	Comment Number
	Blank = No match	No comment.
	Y = Applicant's SSN included in the DOD Match file	298

Drug Abuse Hold

SAR C Code/ Reject	Comment Number
Reject 19	009
	055

Note: No match flag values are associated with hold files. Hold files are maintained at the CPS and not at an outside matching agency.

Drug Conviction Question #23

SAR C Code/ Reject	Comment Number
C code	053
C code	054
C code	056
C code	058
	052

Verification Selection Edits

If the applicant's record is selected for verification, variable text prints on the first page of the SAR. If the school requests, the student must complete the verification process and submit all necessary documentation within the necessary timeframe. More information can be found in *The Application and Verification Guide*, which is part of the Federal Student Aid Handbook and is available on the IFAP Web site, located at ifap.ed.gov.

New for 2011-2012: In prior years, the Verification Tracking Flag was used to determine the verification selection priority. This value is no longer used. Alphanumeric values may still appear in the Verification Tracking Flag field; however, this field is for Federal Student Aid use only.

Appendix

Overview

This Appendix is updated each time change pages are issued for the SAR Comment Codes and Text. The tracking log is added for each set of change pages as they are issued, providing you with a cumulative list of the updates made to the document.

New text additions in SAR Comment Codes and Text change pages are identified with ***bold italic*** text. Text deletions are marked with ~~strikethrough~~.

When the SAR Comment Codes and Text is modified through a change page release, the footer is updated to reflect the month that the change pages were issued. For example, if a change is made to page 3 in April 2011, the footer will show “April 2011.” Use the corresponding tracking log to identify that specific month’s change page posting.

**2011-2012 SAR Comment Codes and Text
April 2011 Change Page Tracking Log**

Pages Affected	Pages Inserted	Changes Made
i	i	Updated the Table of Contents to include the Appendix
3 to 5	3 to 5	<p>Added a new note, “<i>New for 2011-2012:</i> Based on skip logic on 2011-2012 FAFSA on the Web, the asset questions are not presented to an applicant who indicates his or her asset information (or parents’ asset information for dependent students) is below a specified threshold. To address an issue experienced by one or more proprietary software systems with blank field values for the asset questions, we have added two new comment codes to the ISIR. To help identify applicants who answered “No” to the asset threshold screening question and subsequently were allowed to skip the asset questions, the following comment numbers have been added:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comment code 901 (with no text) prints on the ISIR if the parent of a dependent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.” • Comment code 902 (with no text) prints on the ISIR if an independent student was presented with the asset threshold screening question and answered “No.” <p>The new comment codes will print on the ISIR but no comment text is associated with them. Neither the comment number nor the comment text prints on the SAR.</p> <p>See the April 7, 2011 electronic announcement posted on the IFAP Web site for additional information.”</p>

Pages Affected	Pages Inserted	Changes Made
91 to 103	91 to 103	<p>Page 92, Comment 259: Added the following text to the Action Needed column, “No resolution required. SAR comment code 259 was originally developed in 2008-2009 to be added to the record of an innocent student who was the victim of identity theft. However, we subsequently determined the comment was unnecessary as the student would simply have his or her identifiers removed from the fraudulently received loan. This comment will never appear on a student's record.”</p> <p>Page 96, Comment 272: Added the following text to the Action Needed Column, “SAR comment code 272 will only appear if a guaranty agency, a Perkins school, or the Department of Education has determined that a loan was obtained fraudulently. In these rare cases, the loan is listed under the perpetrator's identifiers and thus he or she cannot get further Title IV federal student aid. If a school receives a student record with comment code 272, the school should refer the applicant to the loan holder for resolution.”</p> <p><i>Comments shifted on pages 91-103 as a result of the changes.</i></p>
109	109	Added comment codes 901 and 902
	A-1 to A-3	Added the Appendix