

## 2021-2022 CONFIRMATION OF DEPENDENCY STATUS

You indicated on your FAFSA that you meet one of the definitions for independent status listed below, and therefore, parental financial information was not required on the FAFSA. In order to proceed with the determination of your financial aid eligibility, we need additional documentation to confirm your status. Please review the items below. Check the box that corresponds to your situation.

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**Student's Name**

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**VIP ID**

- You were born before January 1, 1998.
- As of today, you are married (Also answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced).
- At the beginning of the 2021–2022 school year, will you be working on a master's or doctorate program (such as an MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, graduate certificate, etc.).
- You are currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training.
- You are a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces.
- You have or will have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2021 and June 30, 2022.
- You have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2022.
- At any time since you turned age 13, both your parents deceased, you were in foster care or you were a dependent or ward of the court.
- You or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence.
- You are or were in legal guardianship by someone other than your parent or stepparent, as determined by a court in your state of legal residence.
- At any time on or after July 1, 2020, your high school or school district homeless liaison determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless.
- At any time on or after July 1, 2020, the director of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.
- At any time on or after July 1, 2020, the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.

By signing this document, I certify that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. If I purposely give false or misleading information on this document, it will be cause for denial or repayment of financial aid and I may also be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

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Student's Signature

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Date