



Financial Aid Office Independent Student Status Documentation Worksheet

Name: _____ ID#: _____

On the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) you answered yes to one of the following question(s). Please provide the documentation to the Financial Aid Office to complete your file.

Question 53. – At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care or were you a dependent / ward of the court?

Please provide:

- Death Certificate for father and mother
- Court documentation verifying foster care / ward of the court

Question 54. – Are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by the court in your state of legal residence?

Please provide:

- Court document of emancipation

Question 55. – Are you or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?

Please provide:

- Court document(s) of legal guardianship