



The information on your FAFSA indicates you are an independent student. Please complete this form and submit the required supporting documentation to certify your status as an independent student.

A. STUDENT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Longwood ID Number: _____ Email: _____

B. DEPENDENCY DETERMINATION—Check one of the following and provide documentation.

I made a mistake – I am not an independent student.	Return to fafsa.gov to make corrections to your FAFSA and add parent information.
I am an orphan or ward of the court, or I was in foster care after the age of 13.	Provide a copy of both parents’ death certificates; OR a copy of a court’s decision that you are/were a ward of the state or placed in foster care for any period after the age of 13.
I am, or was, an emancipated minor.	Provide a copy of a court’s decision that, as of today, you are an emancipated minor or were an emancipated minor before you reached the age of being an adult in your state of residence.
I am, or was, in legal guardianship.	Provide a copy of a court’s decision that you are or were in legal guardianship (not custody).
I am currently serving in the US Armed Forces or am a National Guard or Reserve enlistee currently serving on active duty.	Attach a letter from your unit commander or a copy of orders showing that you are currently on FEDERAL active duty status for purposes other than training.
I am a Veteran of the US Armed Forces.	Provide a copy of your DD Form 214.
I am married.	Provide a copy of your marriage certificate.
None of the above apply to my situation, but I wish to be considered an independent student due to special circumstances.	Contact our office for further assistance and instructions.

C. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURES

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this form, you may be fined, sentenced to jail or both. By signing and dating this form you certify that all statements and information are complete and correct.

Student Signature

Date