



Documentation of Emancipated Minor Status (2021-2022)

Student's Name: _____ Student's ID: _____

Please return this form with the requested information or documentation.

Your status for financial aid as an independent student is based solely on your answer to the question on the 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) regarding your status as an **"Emancipated Minor."** Please submit legal documentation verifying your status.

An **Emancipated** minor is a child who has been granted the status of adulthood by a court order or other formal arrangement. You must provide a copy of the court order that granted you this status. The court order must be from your state of legal residence at the time the court's decision was issued. (Please note: If you are still a minor and the court decision is no longer in effect, or the court decision was not in effect at the time you became an adult, you would not be eligible to claim this status.)

Check the appropriate statement below, attach the required documents, and return the form to this office so that we may continue the processing of your financial aid paperwork.

I am an emancipated minor. Attached is a copy of the court order that granted this status.

I answered the Emancipated Minor question incorrectly on the FAFSA. I have corrected the FAFSA to indicate that I am not an emancipated minor, and have also included parent information as well as the parent signature on my FAFSA. Attached is a copy of my corrected FAFSA/Student Aid Report.

Student's Signature

Date