



2017-2018 MARITAL STATUS FORM

(Use dark blue or black ink to fill out form)

Your 2017-2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) indicates that there is a discrepancy in your or your parent's marital status OR the status originally reported on FAFSA has been changed. In order to resolve this discrepancy, please read and complete this form. Additional information may be required.

Section A: Student Information:

_____	_____	_____	_____
Last	First	M.I.	Student I.D.
_____			_____
Street address			Date of birth
_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip code	Phone number
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Student email			

Section B: Current Marital Status: For Independent and Dependent Students

Note: Independent students, please mark below your most current marital status.

Note: Dependent Students, please provide the following information regarding the most current marital status of the parent whose information was provided on the FAFSA. If your parent is married or has re-married, your parent/stepparents information is required on the FAFSA

If you/your parents are:	Then:
<input type="checkbox"/> Married/remarried:	Note: Dependent students need to provide a copy of their parent/stepparents social security card and driver's license or other state issued ID. Enter date of marriage: Month _____ Year _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Divorced	Please attach a copy of the final court ordered divorce decree. Enter date of divorce: Month _____ Year _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Separated	Please enter date of separation: Month _____ Year _____ Please see section C: Separation Documents
<input type="checkbox"/> Widowed	Please attach a copy of the death certificate
<input type="checkbox"/> Single	Please attach a signed statement explaining the discrepancy in the marital status

The following page is only completed if the response to the current marital status is SEPARATED. IF NOT, please sign and date this page and provide documentation requested. Turn this paperwork in to the Student Financial Aid Office located at 715 North Grand Avenue Tahlequah, Ok 74464-2300 OR you may fax it to us at (918)458-2150. If you have any questions, please call us at 918-456-5511 ext. 3456

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

Section C: Separation Documentation

This section is only completed if the response to the current marital status is SEPARATED in Section B of this form.

Marital separation is defined as: (a) one of the partners has left the household for an indefinite period; and (b) the marriage is severed. If your circumstance does not meet BOTH parts of this definition, then you are required to submit your spouses' information. In order for us to verify the status of separation, please provide each of the following items:

PROOF OF SEPARATE RESIDENCES: Provide proof that the student/parent and spouse live in separate households by submitting copies of: a lease/contract agreements showing each spouse is maintaining a different household OR separate utility bills such as water/electric/trash. Hand written letters will not be accepted. **Note: P.O. Boxes do not qualify as proof of separate addresses.**

TAX TRANSCRIPT(S) AND W2's: Current year's tax return transcript(s) and W2's.

REFERENCE LETTERS: Please attach two letters from reputable and impartial third party sources who can endorse confirmation of the separation claim. For example, clergy person, marriage counselor, or an attorney can provide such a letter. The letters should state the date of separation, living arrangements, length of time they have known student/parent and their knowledge of these events. Please make sure it is legible and includes the person's full printed name, address, contact information, and a signature.

Documentation submitted must be reviewed and approved before financial aid will be awarded. Submission of the requested documentation does not guarantee approval.

Section D: Certification and Statement of Marital Separation

I, _____, do hereby certify that my current marital status is separated from my spouse, _____, since ____ / _____. I certify that we are, and have continued, living separated and the marriage is severed. Currently, my separated spouse resides at:

SEPARATED SPOUSE INFORMATION

Name: _____

Physical Address: _____

City, State and Zip code: _____

Section E: Signature

Each person signing this form certifies that all the information on it is complete and correct. **Warning:** If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

Student

Date

Parent (Required if Student is Dependent)

Date

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