



Last Name

First Name

M.I.

Social Security Number								
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We have received your 2009-2010 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). However, we cannot continue to process your file until your dependency status has been verified. When you completed your FAFSA, you responded "yes" to a question(s) that determined that your application be processed as an independent student. However, we do not have documentation on file verifying such status. In order to verify your status, you must complete the chart below.

CHECK THE BOX BELOW THAT APPLIES TO YOU

IF YOU ARE...	THEN please attach a copy of the...
<input type="checkbox"/> Foster care/Dependent/Ward of the Court <i>When you were age 13 or older, were you in foster care or were you a dependent or ward of the court?</i>	Court Order
<input type="checkbox"/> Orphan <i>When you were age 13 or older, were both your parents deceased?</i>	Obituary, death certificate, or other proof for BOTH parents
<input type="checkbox"/> Emancipated Minor <i>As of the date you completed your FAFSA, are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?</i>	Court Order
<input type="checkbox"/> Legal guardian <i>As of the date you completed your FAFSA, are you or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?</i>	Court Order
<input type="checkbox"/> Unaccompanied homeless youth <i>At any time on or after July 1, 2008, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?</i>	Determination document from high school or school district homeless liaison
<input type="checkbox"/> Participant of Emergency Shelter or Transitional Housing Program <i>At any time on or after July 1, 2008, did the director of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?</i>	Determination document from director of program
<input type="checkbox"/> Participant of Basic Center or Transitional Living Program <i>At any time on or after July 1, 2008, did the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?</i>	Determination document from director of program
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE OF THESE APPLY If your answer is NO we will electronically submit a correction to the Federal Processing Center to change your dependency status on your FAFSA. In addition to this change, you must update your 2009-2010 FAFSA with your parents' 2008 information and a parental signature. This update can be done online at www.fafsa.ed.gov . We cannot continue processing your file until this information is received.	

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS FORM AS DIRECTED WILL RESULT IN THIS FORM BEING RETURNED TO YOU.

Please return form to:
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID
 P.O. Box 219 Franklin Springs, GA 30639
 Phone: 706-245-7226 or 800-860-8800
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