Student

	2014-2015 Special Independent Status Worksheet			
ID	Name			

According to our records, you answered "**Yes**" to one or more of the questions below on your 2014-2015 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This allowed you to complete your FAFSA as an independent student who was not required to provide parental information.

Before the processing of your FAFSA can continue, we are required to verify your independent status. Please complete, sign, and return this worksheet with all required documentation.

The payment of your Financial Aid is on hold until your FAFSA has been reviewed for accuracy. It is imperative that you take immediate action to complete and submit this form and any other required documentation being requested by the Office of Financial Aid.

Yes No	Are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?
If yes, please provide	A copy of a court's decision that you are/were an emancipated minor (the court must be located in your state of legal residence).
Yes No	Are you or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence? (This is a guardian other than your biological parents).
If ves. please provide	A copy of a court's decision that you are/were under a legal guardianship (the court must be located in your state of legal residence).
Yes No	At any time on or after July 1, 2013, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?
If yes, please provide	Documentation from your high school or school district homeless liaison that indicates you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless.
Yes No	At any time on or after July 1, 2013, did the director of an emergency shelter program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?
If yes, please provide	Documentation from the director of the emergency shelter that indicates you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless.
Yes No	At any time on or after July 1, 2013, 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?
If yes, please provide	Documentation from the director of the runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program that indicates you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.

Signing this form certifies that the above information is true and accurate.

Student Signature	Date	