



Dependency Status Certification

2020-21 Academic Year

1. Student Information	
Student's Name	GFU ID Number
Email	Phone Number

2. Dependency Status	
Check the box next to the situation that describes your circumstances and provide the required documentation.	
	Required Documentation:
<input type="checkbox"/> I was/am an orphan (both parents are deceased) after the age of 13	
<input type="checkbox"/> I was placed in foster care after the age of 13	Attach court documentation or a letter from your caseworker confirming your foster care status.
<input type="checkbox"/> I was/am a ward of the court after the age of 13	Attach court documentation or a letter from your caseworker confirming your ward of the court status.
<input type="checkbox"/> I was/am an emancipated minor as determined by a court in my state of legal residence	Attach court documentation confirming that you were/are an emancipated minor.
<input type="checkbox"/> I was/am in a court-appointed legal guardianship in my state of legal residency	Attach court documentation confirming that you were/are in a court-appointed legal guardianship in which guardianship was granted to someone other than your biological or adoptive parent in your state of legal residence.
<input type="checkbox"/> I received determination that I was an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or self-supporting and at risk of being homeless	Attach documentation from a school district or shelter confirming the determination.
<input type="checkbox"/> I answered the FAFSA incorrectly and none of these conditions apply to me	Update your FAFSA by changing the dependency status questions to "no". You will then be required to include parental information and signature on your FAFSA.

3. Certification – Signatures		
I certify all of the information is true and correct. Additionally, I understand that I am responsible for returning all financial aid monies received due to inaccurate, false or misleading information provided on this form.		
Student Signature	Date	Student Name (please print)