

We have completed the initial review of your 2011-12 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). We now need to verify that you meet the criteria to be considered an emancipated minor or that you were under legal guardianship and are, therefore, an independent student. Please complete this form, attach the appropriate documentation, and return it to Financial Aid as soon as possible.

****PROCESSING OF YOUR AID HAS STOPPED UNTIL THIS FORM AND ALL DOCUMENTS ARE RETURNED****

You indicated on the FAFSA that you are an Emancipated Minor or were in Legal Guardianship until the age of 18. Please respond to the following questions of either Emancipated Minor **or** Legal Guardianship:

Emancipated Minor

1. Are you a legal resident of the state of Wisconsin? YES NO
2. If you answered NO, what state are you a legal resident of? State _____
3. Are you or were you an emancipated minor as determined by a court in your state of legal residence? YES NO

If yes, you must attach a copy of the court order from the court that granted emancipation.

Date of Legal Emancipation: _____

ATTACHED is a copy of my court order verifying my status.

Legal Guardianship

1. Are you or were you in legal guardianship until the age of 18 as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?
 YES NO

If yes, you must attach a copy of the court order from the court that granted legal guardianship.

ATTACHED is a copy of my court order verifying my status.

If you have not been legally emancipated or if you were not in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your legal state of residence, you are required to complete your FAFSA as a **dependent** student using your parents' or adoptive parents' information.

Please contact Enrollment Services at 920-498-5444 or 888-385-6982 for more information.

Statement of Certification: I certify that the information given to document my dependency status is true and complete.

Student's Signature

Date

Student ID

Student's Name (please print)

Social Security Number

PLEASE RETURN TO:

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College, Financial Aid
P.O. Box 19042, 2740 W. Mason St., Green Bay, WI 54307