



2020–2021 Dependency Status Documentation

You indicated on your 2020–2021 FAFSA that you are an independent student for financial aid purposes. Please provide documentation of your status for review, as requested below. Once submitted, the NDC Office of Financial aid will review your documentation and determine if changes must be made to your FAFSA. We may request additional information from you.

If you answered “Yes” to this FAFSA question	Submit this documentation:
Q.47: Are you married?	Copy of your marriage license.
Q.49: Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training?	Official documentation of your active duty status.
Q.50: Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces (or will be a veteran by June 30, 2021)?	Military separation form (DD-214).
Q.51: Do you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021?	Submit the attached form, explaining how you will be providing support.
Q.52: Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who will live with you and receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021?	Submit the attached form, explaining how you will be providing support.
Q.53: At any time since you turned 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court?	Official documentation (court documents, death certificate, obituary, etc.) that supports your answer.
Q.54: Are/were you an emancipated minor as determined by the court in your state of legal residence?	Official court documentation. <i>(Note: The State of Ohio does not have an emancipation law; therefore a minor cannot become emancipated in Ohio before the age of 18.)</i>
Q.55: Does someone other than your parent have legal guardianship of you, as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?	Official court documentation that you are in a legal guardianship. <i>(Note: legal guardianship is not the same thing as legal custody.)</i>
Q.56: At any time on or after July 1, 2019, did your high school or school district determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?	Documentation from your high school or school district on official letterhead.
Q.57: At any time on or after July 1, 2019, did the director of an emergency shelter or agency funded by HUD determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?	Official documentation from the shelter or agency.
Q.58: At any time on or after July 1, 2019, the director of a runaway shelter or homeless youth center determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?	Official documentation from the shelter or agency.

Return documentation to:

Financial Aid Office
 Notre Dame College
 4545 College Rd., South Euclid, OH 44121
 FAX: 216.803.6673
finaid@ndc.edu



NAME: _____

NDC ID# _____

1. Please explain below how you will provide more than half of the support for your children or dependents between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021. For example:

- Will you be working? How much will you earn?
- Will you be receiving government benefits such as WIC or TANF?
- Will you be receiving child support? How much?
- Will you be living in subsidized housing?
- Other?

2. Who will you and your children or dependents be living with between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021:

- On your own?
- With your parent?
- With another family member? Please indicate relationship: _____
- With the father/mother of my child (or children)?
- Other? Please explain: _____

3. Will anyone be able to claim you and/or your children or dependents on their:

- 2020 federal tax return? Who? _____
- 2021 federal tax return? Who? _____
- No one will be able to claim you and/or your children or dependents on either years' federal tax return.

Please read and sign below:

I understand that the information provided on this form will be reviewed by the NDC Office of Financial Aid. If the financial aid office determines that I will not be providing more than half of the support for my children or dependents between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021, I understand that I will be required to correct my FAFSA and provide parental information and a parent signature.

Signature

Date

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