



Last Name First Name M.I. GOCC Student ID# (**Required**)

Street Address (include apt. no.) Date of Birth

City State Zip Code E-mail address

You indicated one of the following on your 2020-2021 FAFSA. Your dependency status must be verified before your financial aid eligibility is determined.

INSTRUCTIONS: Check the appropriate box below and return this form with the required supporting documentation. If the Dependency Status Criteria listed below does not match your circumstance, please contact the GOCC Financial Aid Office.

Check Box	Dependency Status Criteria	Required Supporting Documentation
	<p>I am currently serving on federal active duty. Check this box if you are currently serving on federal active duty with the U.S. Armed forces or with the National Guard reserves for purposes other than training.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of your military orders documenting active duty status.</p>
	<p>I am an orphan. Check this box only if you had no living (biological or adoptive) at any time since you turned age 13, even if you are now adopted.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of the death certificate of each of your parents.</p>
	<p>I was in foster care. Check this box if you were in foster care at any time since you turned age 13, even if you are no longer in foster care as of today.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of the state Department of Human Services Verification of Court/State Ward Status Form from your caseworker.</p>
	<p>I am a ward of the court, or I was a ward of the court. Check this box if you were a dependent or ward of the court at any time since you turned age 13, even if you are no longer a dependent or ward of the court as of today.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of official court documentation of your status as a ward of the court</p>
	<p>I am or I was an emancipated minor. Check this box only if: (A) You can provide a copy of a court’s decision that as of today, you are an emancipated minor, OR (B) You can provide a copy of a court’s decision that you were an emancipated minor immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state. The court must be located in your state of legal residence at the time the court’s decision was issued.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of a court’s decision of your emancipated minor status.</p>
	<p>I am or I was in legal guardianship. Check this box only if: (A) You can provide a copy of a court’s decision that as of today, you are in legal guardianship, OR (B) You can provide a copy of a court’s decision that you were in legal guardianship immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state. The court must be located in your state of legal residence at the time the court’s decision was issued.</p>	<p>Attach a copy of the Letters of Guardianship or a copy of the court’s Order of Discharge from Guardianship.</p>

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	<p>I am an unaccompanied youth who is homeless or self-supporting and at risk of being homeless on or after July 1 of the previous academic year. (For example, if you are enrolled for the 2020-2021 school year, you must meet this criteria on or after July 1, 2019.)</p> <p>The documentation must confirm:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You are an unaccompanied homeless youth – Effective after July 1, 2019, you are living in a homeless situation as defined by Section 103 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act and you are not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian. • You are an unaccompanied, self-supporting youth at risk of homelessness – Effective after July 1, 2019, you are not in the physical custody of a parent/guardian, you provide for your own living expenses entirely, and you are at risk of losing your housing. 	<p>Attach documentation on official letterhead from one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A McKinney-Vento School District Liaison • A director or designee of a HUD-funded shelter • A director or designee of a RHYA-funded shelter
	<p>None of the above circumstances apply. I made an error on my FAFSA and I have updated my FAFSA with the required changes.</p>	<p>You and one parent MUST correct the information on your FAFSA at fafsa.gov by providing your parent's information and signature.</p>

CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

Each person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct.

Warning: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Print Student's Name

GOCC Student ID Number

Student's Signature (Required)

Date

Submit this form and supporting documentation by mail or fax to:
Glen Oaks Community College, Attn: Financial Aid Office, 62249 Shimmel Road, Centreville, MI 49032
Fax: 269-467-9068