



2026-27
PARENT MARITAL STATUS WORKSHEET

COMPLETE WITH
BLACK INK ONLY.

The Office of Student Financial Aid is required to resolve conflicting information reported on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Processing of your federal aid application cannot continue due to conflicting information; therefore, you must complete and return this worksheet.

IMPORTANT: Read Part A to determine the parent(s) whose information should be reported in Parts B and C.

Part A - Which parent should include information on your FAFSA?

For federal student aid purposes, "parent" refers to biological or adoptive parent and stepparent married to biological or adoptive parent.

- If your parent was never married and does not live with your other legal parent, or if your parent is widowed and not remarried, your parent should provide only their own information on the FAFSA.
- If your parents are separated or divorced, answer about the parent who provided you with the most financial support over the 12 months prior to when you submitted your 2026-27 FAFSA, even if you do not live with that parent. If both parents provided an exact equal amount of financial support or if neither supports you financially, the parent with the greater income and assets should complete FAFSA and answer questions in Part B. If that parent is remarried, both that parent and the stepparent should provide information on the FAFSA.
- If your parent is widowed and remarried, both your parent and the stepparent should provide information on the FAFSA.

Same-sex couples must report their marital status as married if they were legally married in a state or other jurisdiction (foreign country) that permits same-sex marriage.

Never are grandparents, foster parents, legal guardians, older siblings, aunts, or uncles considered parents for federal student aid purposes, unless they have legally adopted you.

A stepparent who is separated or divorced from your parent is not considered a parent for federal student aid purposes.

Part B – On the date you filed the 2026-27 FAFSA, what was the marital status of the parent who signed your FAFSA? (select one only)

Unmarried:

- ☐ My legal parents were unmarried and were living together at the time the FAFSA was filed.
- ☐ The parent whose information is provided on the FAFSA was single (never married) at the time the FAFSA was filed.

Married or Remarried:

- ☐ The parent who signed my FAFSA was married (or remarried) and was not separated at the time the FAFSA was filed.

Date parent(s)/stepparent were married: _____ / _____ (MM/YYYY)

Parent(s)/stepparent names: _____

Separated or Divorced:

- ☐ The parent who signed my FAFSA was separated and did **NOT** live with his/her spouse at the time the FAFSA was filed.

Date parent was separated: _____ / _____ (MM/YYYY)

- ☐ The parent who signed my FAFSA was divorced and was **NOT** remarried at the time the FAFSA was filed.

Date parent was divorced: _____ / _____ (MM/YYYY)

Widowed:

- ☐ The parent who signed my FAFSA was widowed and had **NOT** remarried at the time the FAFSA was filed.

Date parent was widowed: _____ / _____ (MM/YYYY)

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Part C - Since the date you filed the 2026-27 FAFSA, has the marital status of the parent(s) who signed your FAFSA changed?

☐ No, my parent's marital status has not changed.

☐ Yes, my parent's marital status has changed to:

___ Unmarried and both parents living together as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List names of both parents below.

___ Married as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List names of both parents below.

___ Remarried as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List names of parent and stepparent below.

___ Separated as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List name of parent reported on your FAFSA below.

___ Divorced as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List name of parent reported on your FAFSA below.

___ Widowed as of: ___ / ___ (MM/YYYY). List name of parent reported on your FAFSA below.

LIST FIRST AND LAST NAME(S) OF PARENT(S)/STEPPARENT LIVING IN THE HOUSEHOLD AS OF TODAY'S DATE:

Parent 1: _____

Parent 2 (if applicable): _____

STUDENT AND PARENT HANDWRITTEN SIGNATURES AND DATE ARE REQUIRED BELOW.

ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE ON THIS FORM.

Certification Statement: By signing this worksheet, I (we) certify that all of the information reported above, used to determine eligibility for federal student financial aid, is complete and accurate. **WARNING:** If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

Student Signature (using full legal name) Date

Parent Signature (using full legal name) Date

Questions? Please contact Rocket Solution Central (RSC) at 419.530.8700.

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"Financial Aid Documentation Upload"

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