



2016 – 2017

Verification of Unaccompanied Homeless Youth



Please check campus: Cañada College College of San Mateo Skyline College

A. Student Information

Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Student ID Number	
Street Address	City	ST	Zip	Phone Number

Students who answered “yes” on their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as being an unaccompanied homeless youth and/or at risk of being an unaccompanied homeless youth must submit documentation to the Financial Aid Office. By completing this form, it will prove the students’ independent status for financial aid purposes. Acceptable documentation, in lieu of this form, would be a signed letter (on agency letterhead) by any of the certifying officials listed in Section B of this form.

I hereby authorize the certifying official at _____ to release information regarding my homeless status (as of July 1, 2015 or later) to the Financial Aid Office.

Student Signature	Date
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B. Certification/Validation (To be completed by certifying official)

The student above may be eligible for financial aid as an independent student. When validation is complete, return this form to the Financial Aid Office. Please check only one option and sign below.

- Student was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless (on or after July 1, 2015) by a high school or high school district homeless liaison.
- Student was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless (on or after July 1, 2015) by the director/coordinator of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
- Student was determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or at risk of being homeless (on or after July 1, 2015) by the director/coordinator of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program.

Signature of Certifying Official	Title	Date
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Print Name of Certifying Official	Email Address	Phone Number
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Must submit with valid photo ID

Cañada College	(650) 306-3307
College of San Mateo	(650) 574-6147
Skyline College	(650) 738-4236

IMPORTANT

Please use black or blue ink if completing by hand. This document will be scanned into your financial aid file.