



Financial Aid Office – 5100 Sierra College Blvd., Rocklin CA 95677 Phone (916) 660-7310

## Emancipation / Legal Guardianship Documentation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
M.I.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student ID Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number (include area code)

You have reported that you were an emancipated minor or in a legal guardianship. Please check the appropriate box for your situation:

- I was determined an **emancipated minor** by my state of legal residence and will provide the appropriate court decision to verify this status.
- A court determined I be placed in a **legal guardianship** with someone other than my parent upon reaching the age of majority and will provide the appropriate documentation to verify this status. Please answer the following questions:
  - Name of your legal guardian/relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Was the legal guardianship terminated before you reached 18 years of age? \_\_\_\_\_

You are required to provide documentation verifying your status before we are able to continue the financial aid process. Examples of the documentation that will be accepted by the financial aid office is: GC-110 Legal Guardianship, Declaration of Emancipation of Minor After Hearing, etc.

You are **not** considered independent if you are still a minor and the court decision is no longer in effect or the court decision was not in effect at the time you became an adult. It is also not considered legal guardianship if guardianship was given by a power of attorney or legal custody was given to someone other than your parent.

If you do not meet the definition of an emancipated minor or legal guardianship, then you are considered a **dependent student for financial aid**. You will be required to provide your parents' income on the FAFSA.

A correction to your FAFSA data will be required to determine your financial aid eligibility.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date