

Parent Filing Status Discrepancy

2026-2027 (Fall 2026, Spring 2027, Summer 2027)

Name: _____
Student's Name (Last, First, M.I.)

ID: _____
Student Identification Number (SID)

This form is to be completed by the primary parent listed on the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA) in order to verify reported information. We have received conflicting information on your marital status. Please complete questions below to confirm your marital status. Additional tax information will be required after completion of this form. Check your email for next steps.

Parent's Name (Last, First, M.I.) Please print

Parent Date of Birth (Day/Month/Year)

Parent's Address as of the date your student's 2026-27 FAFSA was originally completed.

1. Were you living at the address above as of July 1, 2024? Yes No
2. What was your tax filing status on your 2024 federal income tax return?
Single ☐ Head of Household Married—filed joint return Married—filed separate return Widow(er)
3. Select the option that best describes your marital status on the day your student's 2026-27 FAFSA was completed and answer the questions below it. Note: More options are on page 2.

Married/Remarried – (Legal or Common Law) If married, please complete the section below:

Spouse's Name:

Marriage Date:

Spouse's Date of Birth:

Did you and your spouse live at the same address for the last 6 months of 2024?

Yes

No, Spouse's address as of July 1, 2024 _____

Additional documentation you may be asked to submit: tax return transcripts, documentation that shows separate residences (mortgage statements, lease agreements, utility bills, USPS Change of Address receipt, copies of driver's licenses)

Separated. If separated, please complete the section below:

Spouse's name:

Separation Date:

Spouse's Date of Birth:

Spouse's address as of the date your student's 2026-27 FAFSA was originally completed:

Is this a legal separation?

Yes (Also submit the legal separation document)

No

Is your spouse the student's legal or adoptive parent?

Yes

No

Additional documentation you may be asked to submit: legal separation documents, W-2(s), tax return transcripts, documentation that shows separate residences (mortgage statements, lease agreements, utility bills, USPS Change of Address receipt, copies of driver's licenses)

PLEASE SEE OTHER SIDE FOR REMAINDER OF FORM, INCLUDING SIGNATURE CERTIFICATION

Please submit your form by mail or online at www.colorado.edu/financialaid/forms/secure-document-upload

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Unmarried and both parents living together. If unmarried and both living together, please complete the section below:

Other parent's name:	Other parent's Date of Birth:
Is the other parent the student's legal or adoptive parent?	Yes No
Additional documentation you may be asked to submit: tax return transcripts	

Divorced. If divorced, please complete the section below:

Ex-spouse's name:	
Divorce Date:	Ex-spouse's Date of Birth:
Is your ex-spouse the student's legal or adoptive parent?	Yes No
Ex-spouse's address as of the date your student's 2026-27 FAFSA was originally completed: _____	
Prior to the divorce being finalized, did you and your ex-spouse maintain separate residences? Yes, Separation Date: No	
Additional documentation you may be asked to submit: divorce decree, W-2(s), tax return transcripts, documentation that shows separate residences (mortgage statements, lease agreements, utility bills, USPS Change of Address receipt, copies of driver's licenses)	

Widowed. If widowed, please complete the section below:

Spouse's Date of Death:	Spouse's name:
Additional documentation you may be asked to submit: death certificate, W-2(s), tax return transcripts	

Single/Never Married.

You may use the space below to provide additional information you believe is pertinent regarding your marital status:

By signing this form, I certify that all the information provided is complete and accurate.

Parent signature

Date

Electronic and typed signatures are not acceptable.

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