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**DAWSON COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
INDEPENDENT STUDENT  
STATUS VERIFICATION**

Dear Student:

Your Student Aid Report indicates you responded 'yes' to one of the questions in the Dependency Status Section of the 2026-2027 FAFSA. Please provide the required documentation below for verification of that response. **This information is required prior to the processing of your financial aid.**

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by a copy of the student's marriage certificate

\_\_\_\_\_ I certify that I have or will have children who will receive more than half of their support from me between July 1, 2026 and June 30, 2027. This form must be accompanied by a copy of the student's dependent child's birth certificate.

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by a photocopy of:

- a) court documents demonstrating 'ward of the court' status;
- OR**
- b) court documents demonstrating 'foster care' status;
- OR**
- c) photocopies of parents' death certificates demonstrating 'orphan' status.

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by court determination of legal guardianship from state of legal residence

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by court determination of emancipation from state of legal residence

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by a photocopy of the U.S. Armed Forces discharge papers, other than dishonorable. (DD214)

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by a photocopy of the U.S. Armed Forces Presidential call to active duty for 'purposes other than training'.

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by the determination of being an unaccompanied homeless youth on or after 7/1/2025, from state of legal residence high school/district homeless liaison, HUD emergency shelter/transitional housing director, or runaway/homeless youth basic center/transitional living program director.

\_\_\_\_\_ This form must be accompanied by a copy of student's college transcript indicating date Bachelor's degree was received; unless already provided to the Office of Admissions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

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Date