



Dear Student:

Central Christian College realizes that not all students who appear to be dependent actually are due to a variety of circumstances. If you have circumstances that you feel warrant Central's Financial Aid Office determine if you are actually an independent student, you must complete the Dependency Override application.

Attached is the form used to request an adjustment to your dependency status for the 2022-2023 academic year. Please complete the entire form. Also, if you have not already done so, please provide a letter asking for a review and detailing the circumstances surrounding your request. If you have any questions regarding documentation, or eligibility criteria, please feel free to call me at (660) 263-3900, or e-mail me at [aid@ccb.edu](mailto:aid@ccb.edu).

When you have completed the form, please return it to me. I will notify you by email of the results.

In Him,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Veronica L. Hamble".

Director of Financial Aid  
Central Christian College of the Bible  
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Moberly, MO 65270  
888-263-3900 ext. 168  
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## Request for Review of Dependency Status

2022-2023 Academic Year

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid allows only students who meet certain criteria to be considered as “independent students.” This form is intended for use by students who must answer “no” to FAFSA questions 45-57, but feel that they are independent of their parents.

In completing this form you are endeavoring to prove to the Financial Aid Director that you are truly independent of your parents. However, even though your explanation may be logical and persuasive, approval of your request is not automatic. Each request is reviewed individually and judged against the Department of Education’s guidelines. The Department of Education’s guidelines state that if a student wishes to be declared independent, “Unusual circumstances”, which could include abuse or abandonment and may warrant a dependency override, must exist and be documented. The decision of the Financial Aid Director is final.

Please complete this form in its entirety and provide all requested documentation. Your request will not be reviewed until all documentation has been submitted. Be sure to sign and date the form before submitting it. You will be notified of the decision and given further instructions as soon as the review has been completed.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Student Name)

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

Student Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

1. When did you last live with your parents (even if only for a short time)? \_\_\_\_\_

For how long? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What are your current living arrangements? (i.e., living alone, roommate, etc.) If someone else pays any of your living expenses, please explain this arrangement in detail in your letter. (See #5)

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3. Please indicate who claimed you on a tax returns in the following years, and your Adjusted Gross Income for both years. **You must submit copies of your tax returns from both years.** If you did not file a tax return for either year, please check that line, and explain fully in your letter how you supported yourself.

	2020	2021
I claimed myself.	_____	_____
My parents claimed me.	_____	_____
Someone else claimed me.	_____	_____
(Please explain in your letter)		
Adjusted gross Income	_____	_____
I did not file a tax return.	_____	_____

4. How much support did your parents provide to you in 2019 & 2020? Support includes not only cash, but also clothes, food, housing, loan payments, insurance, rent, educational expenses, etc. (You may estimate.)

	2020	2021
Types of Support:	_____	_____
Total Amount:	_____	_____

5. Do you have your own insurance (health and car) or are you listed on your parents policy? Please explain why if you are listed on their policies.

6. Please include **3** letters detailing your circumstances. The *first* should be from you, explaining why you believe you should be considered independent. The *second* should come from your parents if at all possible. If you are unable to obtain this, please detail why in your letter and provide an additional letter from a family member or someone else who has firsthand knowledge of your circumstances. One letter must come from a 3<sup>rd</sup> party, a non-family member who knows you and your situation well. Examples might be social worker, law enforcement, high school counselor, employer, or minister.

7. Please provide any additional documentation that would help validate your claim of independence, i.e., court documents, social service documents if available. etc.

I certify that all information submitted is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**CHECK LIST -- -- Did You:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Answer each question fully?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Attach a SIGNED copy of your 2019 tax return if applicable
- \_\_\_\_\_ Include the 3 letters requested in #6.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sign and date this form?

Please Submit this form to: Veronica Hamblin, Director of Financial Aid  
Central Christian College of the Bible  
Moberly, Missouri 65270

If you have questions, please call (660) 263-3900 ext. 168 or e-mail  
veronicahamblin@cccb.edu.

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**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Denied \_\_\_\_\_

FAA Initials \_\_\_\_\_