

Unaccompanied Homeless Youth Verification Form

Student Information:

Student Name:

Social Security Number:

Confirmation of Unaccompanied Homeless Status

You indicated on the "Dependency Status" section of your 2024-2025 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA) that at any time on or after July 1, 2023 you were determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were an unaccompanied youth that is self-supporting and at risk of being homeless. Use this form to confirm your status and attach supporting documentation.

- □ <u>I was</u> determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless as determined by one or more of the organizations below and I have attached supporting documentation to this form.
 - □ Your high school or school district homeless liaison determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless, or
 - □ The director of an emergency shelter program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless, or
 - □ The director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program (RHYA) determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.
 - □ The director or designee of a project supported by a federal TRiO or GEAR UP program determined that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of homelessness.
- □ <u>I was not</u> determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless by either of the organizations above. But I am homeless or at-risk of homelessness and I am attaching other supporting documentation from a recognized 3rd party such as: a homeless shelter or service provider, high school counselor, health professional, social worker, employer, mentor, doctor, or clergy member.
- □ <u>I was not</u> determined to be an unaccompanied youth who was homeless by either organization above. However, <u>I am unable to provide parental information</u> on my FASFA or other financial aid forms due to unusual circumstances and I would like to contact a school official to discuss my situation.

My signature below confirms that all of the information that I am providing on this form is true, accurate, and complete.

Student's Signature

Date

Please visit <u>https://www.uarichmountain.edu</u> and click on the Financial Aid link for more information and resources concerning unaccompanied youth and/or homelessness