



OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID
2019-20 Independent Student Support Form

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Student Name: _____ NSHE ID _____
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According to the information that you have provided with your Alternative Needs Scholarship application, your household income appears to be insufficient and does not meet the basic living expenses to support your household. In order to verify how you and your spouse (*if married*) supported yourself and your family, please provide additional information in the steps below.

A. STUDENT AND SPOUSE (*if married*) RESOURCES: Please indicate if you and your spouse (*if married*):

Are living with a friend, relative, or someone whom they have a relationship for free (i.e. do not pay them rent money)? YES ___ NO ___
Are receiving food/groceries from a friend, relative, or someone whom they have a relationship for free (i.e. do not pay them for the groceries)? YES ___ NO ___

B. STUDENT AND SPOUSE (*if married*) EXPENSES: List all of your Expenses for the 2017 calendar year. Items with an asterisk (*) cannot be left blank.

If you indicated above that you are receiving free housing and food, please put a zero in the housing, utilities, and food category below.

^^ If the expense is in someone else's name, please list only the portion attributed to you and your family. For example, if you live with someone and their monthly rent is \$1000 and there are a total of 5 people living in the house, each person's portion of the rent is \$200. Multiply that \$200 by the number of people in your household as reported on the FAFSA (i.e. you + spouse (*if married*) + 2 children = 4 people). \$200 multiplied by 4 is \$800/month – list \$800 in the monthly column above for housing. Use the same formula for the remaining categories to determine your family's portion of expenses.

Expenses	Monthly	Yearly	
*Housing (Rent or Mortgage)	\$	\$	Is this expense in your name? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
*Utilities (Electricity, gas, water)	\$	\$	Is this expense in your name? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
*Food (Groceries)	\$	\$	Is this expense in your name? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
*Transportation (Car loan, insurance, gas, bus, other)	\$	\$	Is this expense in your name? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
*Miscellaneous (Phone, cable, internet, Clothing, etc.)	\$	\$	Is this expense in your name? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

C. TYPE(S) OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT:

Please provide information about any other resources, benefits and other amounts received by the student and any members of your household. This may include items that were not required to be reported on the FAFSA or other forms submitted to the financial aid office, and this includes such things as federal veteran's educational benefits, military housing, SNAP, TANF, etc. If there is any additional information that you would like the Financial Aid Office to know, please attach a signed, written statement to this form.



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Complete all sections of the form, for items that do not apply indicate with a "0" for amounts and "N/A" for other information.

Was Support Received in 2017? Check one		Name of Recipient	Type of Financial Support Received in 2016	Student ANNUAL Amount	Spouse (if married) ANNUAL Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<i>Example: John Doe</i>	SNAP	\$0	\$4161
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		AFDC Benefits (Specify Type):		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		TANF		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		SNAP		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Housing Assistance (Specify Type):		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Utility Assistance (Specify Type):		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		WIC		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		WIA		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Social Security Benefits (not SSI)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		SSI		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Combat Pay		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Unemployment Compensation (List dates): _____ to _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Alimony		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Student Aid used for living expenses		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		Other (list) _____		

Please note: You must be able to demonstrate how your bills/expenses are being paid. If your expenses (Section B) exceed your reported financial support (Section C), you must include a written statement explaining how your family is meeting these expenses.

D. SIGNATURE: I certify that all the information provided above, to the best of my knowledge, accurately describes my living situation.

 Student Signature (Required) Date

 Spouse (if married) Signature Date