2015-2016 Unaccompanied & Homeless Youth Form

Application are reviewed in the order in which they are received until September 1, 2015.

Do not complete this form unless you have already applied for financial aid using the 2015-2016 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). If you have not filed the FAFSA, please complete the on-line form as soon as possible at: www.FAFSA.ed.gov

When you completed the FAFSA you answered yes to one or more questions which may mean you do not have to provide parental information on your FAFSA. You are required to provide supporting documentation of your answers in order to qualify for federal financial aid without reporting parental information. Please complete the form as indicated, attach the documentation as instructed, and return this form along with the required documentation to the Student Financial Services Office.

NOTE: No action will be taken without full documentation.
Fax all documents to (417) 575-5478. Indicate Unaccompanied & Homeless Youth and student’s name on each document.

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**Homeless:** lacking fixed, regular and adequate housing, which includes living in shelters, motels or cars, or temporarily living with people because you had nowhere else to go.

**Unaccompanied youth:** as of the day you signed the financial aid application you were not living in the physical custody of your parent or guardian AND you are 21 years of age or younger or you were still enrolled in high school.

1. At any time, on or after July 1, 2014, did your high school or school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless? Yes____ No____

   If you answered “yes” attach documentation from the homeless liaison.

2. At any time, on or after July 1, 2014, did the director of an emergency shelter program or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless? Yes ____ No ____

   If you answered “yes” attach documentation from the shelter program.

Documentation is essential. Submit all of the following: (Submit photocopies, no documents will be returned)
- A personal statement about where you have lived over the past 12 months.
- Third Party Statement
- Unaccompanied or Homeless Youth Appeal form completed correctly
- Your (student) 2014 tax return transcript and W-2s

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3. At any time, on or after July 1, 2014, did the director of a runaway or homeless youth basic center or transitional living program determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at-risk of being homeless? Yes____ No____

If you answered “yes” attach documentation from the director of the program that determined your status.

4. At any time, on or after July 1, 2014, did you become homeless due to a change in circumstances and currently do not have a professional determination? Yes____ No____

If you answered “yes” attach a third party statement from a pastor, teacher, or counselor.

I certify that all information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that I have provided the documentation requested to verify the information on this form. I understand I may be required to provide additional documentation to support this request. The penalty for submission of fraudulent information on this form may include repayment of money received, plus a fine and/or imprisonment.

________________________________________  ___________________________
Student Signature                             Date

________________________________________  ___________________________
Student Name Printed                          Telephone

________________________________________  ___________________________
Student ID                                   Date of Birth

Current Mailing Address (if none, please list name, phone number, and mailing address of current contact):

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Please submit your Unaccompanied & Homeless Youth Form along with the required documents to:

Evangel University
Student Financial Services
1111 North Glenstone Avenue
Springfield, Missouri  65802
FAX: (417) 575-5478
Phone: (417) 865-2815, ext. 7300