

2009 - 2010 REQUEST FOR APPEAL INDEPENDENT STUDENT STATUS



PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY IN INK.

STUDENT'S LAST NAME (LEGAL NAME)		FIRST NAME	MI
STUDENT ID#	E-MAIL ADDRESS	BEST CONTACT PHONE NUMBER	

Students appealing for independent status must submit this form with all supporting documentation as defined below.

1. Yes No Have you received support (gifts, money, loans, food, clothes, medical care, dental care, transportation, etc.) from your parent(s) during 2008?

If yes, how much support (gifts, money, loans, food, clothes, medical care, dental care, transportation, etc.) did your parent(s) provide during 2008?

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2. / / When was the date (MM/DD/YY) you last lived with your parent(s)?

3. / / When was the date (MM/DD/YY) of the last time you had contact with your parent(s)?

4. **Submit the following:**

- a. A signed, typed and detailed statement of your situation stating how you have supported yourself during 2008. Indicate the amounts and sources of income.
- b. If you are living off-campus, provide a copy of your rental leases/agreements or statements from your landlord(s) with documentation of rent paid.
- c. A letter confirming your situation (*preferably on letterhead*) from your minister, social worker, teacher, counselor, etc. who is familiar with your situation. This letter must include:
 - 1) The length of time the person has known you.
 - 2) How the person is aware of your situation and his/her relationship to you.
 - 3) Reason you do not receive parental support (*to the best of his/her knowledge*).

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

PLEASE NOTE: REQUESTS RECEIVED WITHOUT A TYPED EXPLANATION OR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS WILL BE RETURNED WITHOUT CONSIDERATION. By signing, you certify that you have not purposely provided false or misleading information. Be aware that the SFS Office may request additional documentation from you in support of your appeal. Your submission and any subsequent approval of an appeal does not guarantee that your eligibility for financial aid will change.

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

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- Approved Denied

Comments:

FAO SIGNATURE

DATE

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Return this completed appeal form with a typed explanation and all documentation to:
PLNU Student Financial Services Office, 3900 Lomaland Dr., San Diego, CA 92106
Phone: (619) 849-2538, Fax: (619) 849-7078, Email: sfs@pointloma.edu