

University of Illinois Springfield -- Office of Financial Aid
Orphan/Ward of the Court/Foster Care Confirmation

Section A – Student Information (Please print clearly)

UIN :	_____	Email :	_____
Last Name :	_____	Current Address :	_____
First Name :	_____	City & State :	_____
M.I. :	_____	Zip Code :	_____

What you should do:

1. Complete this entire worksheet. You must answer all the questions and the form must be SIGNED.
2. Submit 8 ½ x 11 legible copies of documentation requested.
3. Please upload all documents at the same time.

We are unable to process your UIS financial aid application until you either correct your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or provide our office with documentation showing you were in foster care, a ward of the court or an orphan at any time since you turned age 13.

Section B – Orphan/Ward of the Court

Return this original form to our office along with a copy of the following requested documentation.

- ☐ A copy of the court's decision or documentation from Child and Family Services that you were in foster care or a ward of the court.
- ☐ Documentation regarding your status as an orphan.

Section C – Student Signature

IMPORTANT: Please upload this form and supporting documentation to the Financial Aid Home Page on Self-Service.

1. Clearly print UIN on every page of 8 ½ x 11 legible copies.
2. Include all appropriate signatures.

I certify that the information provided on this form and any attachments are true and correct.

Student Signature

Date