

2018-2019 PARENT TAX FILING STATUS

Student Name (print): _____

S#: _____ Phone#: _____

Email: _____@student.cccs.edu

Note: Your official CCD email account is the only email CCD will accept for correspondence.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name (print): _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

The marital status you provided for your parent(s) on your FAFSA does not match their income tax filing status on their 2016 federal tax return. You are required to resolve this conflicting information before CCD can award financial aid to you. After submitting this complete form to CCD's Financial Aid Office, we will email your CCD student email address to notify you of your next steps and to inform you if any additional information is required.

As of the date you completed your 2018-2019 FAFSA, what was your parent's marital status? Check one:

☐ Single/Unmarried

☐ Married/Remarried/Domestic Partnership

☐ Divorced

☐ Widowed

☐ Separated

Date of marital status: ____/____/____

What was the tax filing status your parents reported on their 2016 federal income tax return? Check one:

☐ Single or Qualifying Widow

☐ Head of Household

☐ Did not file and not required to file

☐ Married Filing Jointly

☐ Married Filing Separately - both of your parents' 2016 income must be reported on your FAFSA.

☐ Check here if one or both of your parents earned \$0 in 2016

☐ Other: _____

If your parents' marital status on the FAFSA does not match their tax filing status, attach a signed letter that explains why your parents were allowed to use that filing status given their marital status. Generally, married individuals may not file taxes as Head of Household.

Your parents may be required to amend their 2016 federal tax return or make corrections to your 2018-2019 FAFSA at FAFSA Website before your FAFSA can be processed.

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For help determining what your parents' filing status should be, visit the [What Is My Filing Status](#) webpage and complete the online interview.

If you made a mistake on your 2018-2019 FAFSA or if your parents filed their 2016 taxes incorrectly and you/your parents have already made the necessary corrections, please select the appropriate option below (select only one):

☐ My parents filed their 2016 federal taxes incorrectly but they have updated their taxes to reflect their correct marital status.*

* Attach a signed copy of your parents' amended 2016 federal tax return (IRS Tax Form 1040X) as well as their original signed federal tax return.

☐ I filed my 2018–2019 FAFSA incorrectly but have updated it to reflect my parents' correct marital status and/or their correct tax filing status.*

* Allow one week after you make corrections to your FAFSA for our office to verify this change. If you have not corrected your FAFSA after one week, this form will be made incomplete.

Important: Any time you make a change to your FAFSA, we may be required to collect additional information from you and/or your parent(s). We will email your CCD student email address to notify you of your next steps and to inform you if any additional information is required.