

# Checklist of Items Needed to Apply for 2016-2017 FAFSA



## Independent Student

You are independent if you can check one or more of the following situations:

*You are . . .*

Born before January 1, 1993

Married

Veteran

Serving on active duty for the military for purposes other than training

*You have . . .*

*(or will have)* children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017

## Special Circumstances

At any time after age 13, were both parents deceased, were you in foster care, or were you a dependent or ward of the court?

As determined by the court, are you or were you in legal guardianship or are you or were you an emancipated minor?

Are you deemed homeless or at risk of being homeless?

## Items needed:

- Social security number
- Driver's license number
- Alien Registration Number if you are not a U.S. citizen
- 2015 federal tax returns including IRS W-2 information **for you and your spouse** if you are married:
  - IRS 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ and W-2s
- Records of untaxed income, such as child support received, interest income, and veterans non-education benefits **for you and your spouse**
- Child support paid **by you and/or spouse**
- Information on the following: cash, savings and checking account balances, investments, such as stocks and bonds and real estate but not including the home in which you live, and business and farm assets **for you and your spouse**  
*Do not include a family farm or family business with 100 or fewer full-time or full-time equivalent employees.*

**EOC can help you file your FAFSA. Call 918 647-1396 to make an appointment!**