WHEELING UNIVERSITY

2021-2022 Parent FAFSA Refusal Form

Federal regulations give schools the authority to allow a student to borrow a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan when the student's parent(s) has (have) ended all financial support and has (have) refused to complete and sign a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students who request consideration for the loan should read the information on this form and complete and sign this form below. Please note that this form does **not** allow a student to apply for financial aid as an independent student. **Students must understand that they are requesting only an Unsubsidized Loan subject to the limits for dependent students. No other federal or state financial aid will be available.**

Although the Financial Aid Office may waive the requirement for parent income and asset information on the FAFSA, the student must complete and submit a FAFSA that includes all of the required student information and certifications. The decision of the Financial Aid Office is final and may not be appealed to the U.S. Department of Education.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name_____**Westmoreland Student ID#**_____

Address_____**City/State/Zip**_____**Phone**_____

Parent(s) Name(s) _____

I attest that all of the following statements are true (please initial each statement):

_____ Parent(s) has (have) stopped providing financial support (this includes cash and non-cash support such as room and board) to the student as of_____(please enter date); and

_____ Student does not currently live with a parent; and

_____ Parent(s) will not provide financial support in the future; and

_____ Parent(s) refused to complete the parental section of the FAFSA.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND SIGNATURE

I hereby certify that all of the information on this form is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statements or misrepresentations will be cause for denial, reduction, or withdrawal and/or repayment of financial aid and may subject filers to a fine and/or imprisonment, under the provisions of the United States Criminal Code.

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Parent Signature (Electronically generated signatures cannot be accepted)   **Date**

Please allow 3 to 5 business days to confirm receipt of documents in your student portal.