



Financial Aid, Veterans & Scholarship Services
2026-2027 Parent FAFSA Refusal Form

For Office Use Only

Last Name	First Name	MI	Palomar ID Number
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Federal Regulation under the Higher Education Opportunity Act, Section 472 (HEA section 479 (a)) gives a dependent student the right to borrow a [Federal Unsubsidized Loan](#) when the student's parents have ended financial support and refuse to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Note to student: If you meet the conditions shown in Section A but your parent (s) refuse to sign this form, you may submit a letter from a third party (e.g. teacher, counselor, clergy, court) who is familiar with your situation and can describe your relationship with your parents.

Section A: Parent Certification and Signature

I/we understand that providing my/our information on my/our child's FAFSA does not obligate me/us to pay their educational expenses; however, I/we do not and will not provide financial support to my/our child. By signing below, I/we certify that:

1. I/we are the lawful parent (s) of the above named student; **and**
2. I/we do not and will not provide any financial support for this student; **and**
3. Financial support ended on _____; **and**
4. The student does not live with me/us; **and**
5. I/we refuse to provide financial information and sign my child's Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

 Parent 1 Name (Printed)

 Parent 2 Name (Printed)

 Parent 1 Signature

 Date

 Parent 2 Signature

 Date

Section B: Student Certification and Signature

I understand the following:

1. This form does not allow me to apply for financial aid as an independent student.
2. I am only requesting an unsubsidized loan subject to the limits for dependent students.
3. I understand that no other federal, state, or institutional need-based aid will be available.

Signing this form certifies that the information reported is complete and correct and that any false statement or failure to provide proof when asked may be cause for delay, denial, reduction or withdrawal of financial aid.

Warning: purposely giving false and/or misleading information may be cause for a fine, sentence to jail or both.

 Student Signature

 Date

Submit in person to the Palomar College Financial Aid Office -or- scan & email us from your Palomar Student Email Account to finaid@palomar.edu.