

# 2015 – 2016 Parent Head of Household Worksheet – Dependent

Student Name	CCCC ID #

According to the information you provided on your FAFSA, your parent(s) filed as 'Head of Household' on your 2014 IRS Tax Return. The information also indicates they were married in 2014.

Please review these rules from IRS Publication #501 regarding who can file a 2014 IRS form as 'Head of Household'.

### You may be able to file as 'head of household' if you meet ALL the following requirements:

- You were separated or divorced on the last day of the year.
- You paid more than half the cost of keeping up a home for the year.
- A qualifying person\* lived with you in the home for more than half the year (except for temporary absences such as attending school)

# \*A qualifying person is:

- Your child or grandchild who lived with you more than half the year and is single or is married by still someone you can claim as an exemption **or**
- The tax filer's mother or father, if the tax payer claims the mother/father as an exemption or
- Another relative who lives with the tax preparer and the tax payer claims the relative as an exemption

## You are considered separated/divorced if you meet the following requirement:

• Your spouse did not live in your home during the last 6 months of the tax year.

Please review the instructions below

#### **Parental Instructions:**

If parent(s) should not have filed as 'head of household' please complete the following:

- 1. File and amended 2014 IRS Income Tax Return to correct your filing status.
- 2. Submit to the Financial Aid Office:
  - A signed copy of the original 2014 IRS Tax Return OR 2014 IRS Tax Return Transcript
  - A signed copy of the 1040X amended 2014 IRS Tax Return

If you or your spouse meet **ALL** the conditions for filing as 'head of household', provide the requested information below:

Please provide the address where parent 1 lived for	Please provide the address where parent 2 lived	
the last 6 months of 2014. Include the street,	for the last 6 months of 2014. Include the street,	
apartment number, city, state, & zip code.	apartment number, city, state, & zip code.	
Parent 1 (Father/Mother/Stepparent)	Parent 2 (Father/Mother/Stepparent)	

What was your par	rent's marital status as of I	December 31, 2014?		
Married	Separated	Divo	rced	
Did parent(s) pay	for more than half the cost	of keeping up a home for 2014	1?	
Yes	No			
Did a qualifying po	erson live with you in you	home for more than half of 20	014?	
Yes No	•			
If yes: Please provide tha	t person's name and relation	onship to you.		
Name of Person		Relationship to you	Relationship to you	
Certification:				
understand I may be that purposely pro-	e asked to provide additio	information on this form may i	sted on this form. I understand	
Student Signature			nte	
Parent's Signature		 		