

**BRYN MAWR**  
**OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID**  
**2019-2020 Noncustodial Parent Waiver Petition**

College policy requires financial information from both parents, whether never married, separated or divorced, to be considered for need-based aid from the College. If you have special circumstances that warrant consideration for a waiver, you must complete this form in full, providing a **minimum of two third party statements** along with applicable supporting documentation.

Types of waiver requests that may be considered:

- Documented abuse situations with your noncustodial parent
- Legal orders that limit the noncustodial parent's contact with the student
- No contact or support ever received from the noncustodial parent.

Requests based solely on your noncustodial parent's unwillingness to contribute or submit application materials are not considered.

If your Noncustodial Parent Waiver Petition is denied, your noncustodial parent's financial information will be required for your application for financial aid for the current year and all subsequent years.

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Bryn Mawr College ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Report your biological/adoptive parents' current marital status by indicating which year your parents separated and/or divorced. *Report the year for both, as appropriate.* If your parents never married or did not live together, only check that box.

Year of divorce (YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

Year of separation (YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

Never married to each other and do not share the same household:  Yes  No

**NONCUSTODIAL PARENT INFORMATION**

Noncustodial Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**FREQUENCY OF CONTACT**

How many times in the past year have you had contact with your noncustodial parent? \_\_\_\_\_

What was the nature of the contact (letter, visit, phone)? \_\_\_\_\_

If no contact in the past year, indicate the date and nature of the last contact with your noncustodial parent: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## CHILD SUPPORT

Has your noncustodial parent ever paid child support for you?  Yes  No If

yes, indicate the most recent tax year that occurred (YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, indicate how much was paid for you that year: \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, was the child support court ordered?  Yes  No

## STUDENT AND CUSTODIAL PARENT STATEMENT

Please provide a statement from the student and custodial parent explaining in detail why it is impossible to provide noncustodial parent information. *Attach any legal orders (i.e. restraining order, police report, or divorce decree) or any other supporting documentation that helps explain your situation.*

## THIRD PARTY DOCUMENTATION

Attach a minimum of TWO statements from impartial third parties that verify the amount of contact you have with your noncustodial parent. Examples of acceptable third part individuals include a counselor, clergy member, or another impartial source familiar with your situation in a professional capacity. **Letters from family members or friends will not fulfill the requirement.**

Third party letter requirements:

- Must be on letterhead
- Must address the amount of contact you have with your noncustodial parent
- Must indicate the person's relationship to you, the student
- Must be signed by the impartial third party

I certify that all of the information provided is true to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Custodial Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The College reserves the right to request additional information to support your request. If you have questions regarding this policy, please contact Bryn Mawr College Office of Financial Aid at 610-52-6-5245 or [finaid@brynmawr.edu](mailto:finaid@brynmawr.edu).

**Please submit along with all required documentation:** A signed and dated PDF to [finaid@brynmawr.edu](mailto:finaid@brynmawr.edu) or fax to 610-526-5249. Mail to: Bryn Mawr College Office of Financial Aid, 101 North Merion Avenue, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010.