

## Dislocated Student (DS)

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We have received the data from your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You must respond to all item(s) listed and supply the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid with any requested documentation.

You changed the dislocated worker status on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). In general, a person may be considered a dislocated worker if he or she:

-is receiving unemployment benefits due to being laid off or losing a job and is unlikely to return to a previous occupation;

-has been laid off or received a lay-off notice from a job;

-was self-employed but is now unemployed due to economic conditions or a natural disaster; or

-is a displaced homemaker. A displaced homemaker is generally a person who previously provided unpaid services to the family (e.g., a stay-at-home mom or dad), is no longer supported by the husband or wife, is unemployed or underemployed, and is having trouble finding or upgrading employment.

If a person quits work, generally he or she is not considered a dislocated worker even if, for example, the person is receiving unemployment benefits.

Please confirm whether or not you or your spouse is a dislocated worker and return this letter to our office. If you have questions, please contact our office.

I, or my spouse, is a dislocated worker \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

Please return this letter and any requested documentation to:  
 BALL STATE UNIVERSITY, FINANCIAL AID OFFICE, MUNCIE, IN 47306.  
 FAX #: (765) 285-4247

**CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:** You must read and sign this statement. I certify that all of the information provided on this letter and on any attached documentation is accurate and complete. If I purposely give false or misleading information, I may be fined \$20,000, sent to prison, or both.

Student signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Ball State Student ID # \_\_\_\_\_