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Student ID # **Last Name** **First Name**

2017-2018 VERIFICATION OF STUDENT ILLINOIS RESIDENCY
(FOR INDEPENDENT STUDENT)

In order for an independent student to be eligible for the Monetary Award Program (MAP), the student must be a resident of the State of Illinois. It is this office's responsibility to ensure that all MAP recipients meet this requirement set forth by the Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC). For an independent student to be considered an Illinois resident for MAP purposes, s/he must have: **physically resided in Illinois (at the time of application), and also resided for 12 continuous full months immediately prior to the start of the academic year for which assistance is requested and Illinois must be his/her true, fixed, and permanent home.** Students who are in a graduate or post-baccalaureate program are not eligible for MAP.

Failure to complete this form will delay the processing of your aid.

A. On August 21, 2016, my state of legal residence was **not** Illinois. My state of legal residence was _____.

(Skip the documentation section, sign the form and submit it to the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships.)

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B. On August 21, 2016, my Illinois address was: _____

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and I have continuously resided in Illinois since that time.

DOCUMENTATION:
Please attach a copy of:

1) **Your (valid) Illinois Driver's License or State of Illinois Identification Card**

   AND

2) **A copy of your 2016 Illinois (state) tax form filed verifying your residency.**

I/We certify that the above information is a true and correct statement.

_____ _____
Student's Signature **Date**

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Spouse's Signature (if married) **Date**

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