

# BRYN MAWR Student Financial Services

## 2013-2014 Request for Noncustodial Parent Waiver

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

College policy requires financial information from both parents, whether never married, separated or divorced, to determine need for Bryn Mawr Grant. The College is not bound, in awarding its own funds, by divorce decrees, agreements between parents, or state divorce laws. If you have special circumstances that warrant consideration of a waiver, you must complete this form in full and submit three (3) letters with documentation as detailed below.

- Three (3) statements or letters: Include relationship to student, name, signature and phone number.

### Acceptable Documentation:

Statements from the student and custodial parent explaining in detail why it is impossible to provide noncustodial parent information.

Letters from third parties or professionals with an understanding of the student's situation such as a family member, an informed high school counselor, doctor, mental health professional, social worker, attorney, clergyperson, law enforcement professional, a police report, a restraining order, etc. Statements must be on letterhead with original signature.

- Frequency of Contact

Have you had contact with your noncustodial parent in the past year?  Yes  No

If no, indicate the last time you had contact: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Are there legal orders that limit your noncustodial parent's contact?  Yes  No

If yes, please attach documentation (restraining order, police report)

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

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

An appeal committee will review the complete information you provide. The College reserves the right to request additional information to support your request. Incomplete requests will not be considered. You will be informed if a waiver is possible under College policy. If you are having difficulty submitting documentation, or have questions about the policy, please contact Student Financial Services at: 610-526-5245 or [sfs@brynmawr.edu](mailto:sfs@brynmawr.edu)