

### **Orphan or Ward of the Court**

You reported on your FAFSA that you are an Orphan or Ward of the Court. If you cannot answer yes to any of the following questions, you will need to submit appropriate documentation (copies of court documents or death certificates) verifying your status.

- Were you born before January 1, 1986?
- During the school year 2008-2009, will you be working on a master's or doctorate program (such as an MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, or graduate certificate)?
- As of today, are you married? (Answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced.)
- Do you have children who receive more than half their support from you?
- Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half their support from you, now and through June 30, 2009?
- Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces?

If you can answer "Yes" to any of the above questions, please contact the Financial Aid office at, 316-295-5200 or 1-800-794-6945 ext. 5200, for assistance.