

Student Parent Status Self-Certification Guide

Early registration will be given to students who have at least one child under the age of 18 who receives more than half of their support from the student.

This guide illustrates the steps for the student to self-certify that they meet the criteria for the early registration appointment.

1. Log in to MySJSU.

- a. If you see the **Student Parents message**, click the [review and certify that you have at least one dependent under the age of 18](#) link and proceed to **Step 2**.

Student Parents

If you have a dependent child or children under the age of 18, you may qualify for priority registration. If you are interested, please [review and certify that you have at least one dependent under the age of 18](#).

[Back to the Student Center](#)

- b. If you do not see the **Student Parents message** (shown above), go to the **Personal Information** section.
 - i. Click on the 3 Ellipses menu.
 - ii. Click the [Student Parent Status](#) link.

Sammy's Student Center

Personal Information

Addresses	Demographic Summary
Email Addresses	Phone Numbers
Privacy Settings	Pronouns
Student Parent Status	

2. On the Update Student Parent Status page:

- a. Select **Yes** if you have a child that meets the criteria.
- b. If yes is selected, enter the **Date of Birth** of the youngest child.
- c. Check the **Student Certification Select** box to certify that the information provided is true and correct.

- d. Click the [Submit](#) button to submit your self-certification.

Update Student Parent Status

Sammy Spartan

CSU students who have at least one child who is currently under the age of 18 and for whom you provide more than half of their financial support are eligible for priority registration and other services. The information below is based on your response to the Student Parent Status question on your Cal State Apply application. If this information is not up to date, please make the appropriate changes and confirm your response.

Student Parent Status

Do you currently have a child or children under the age of 18 who receive(s) more than half of their support from you?

a ☒ No ☐ Yes

b Youngest Child's Date of Birth:

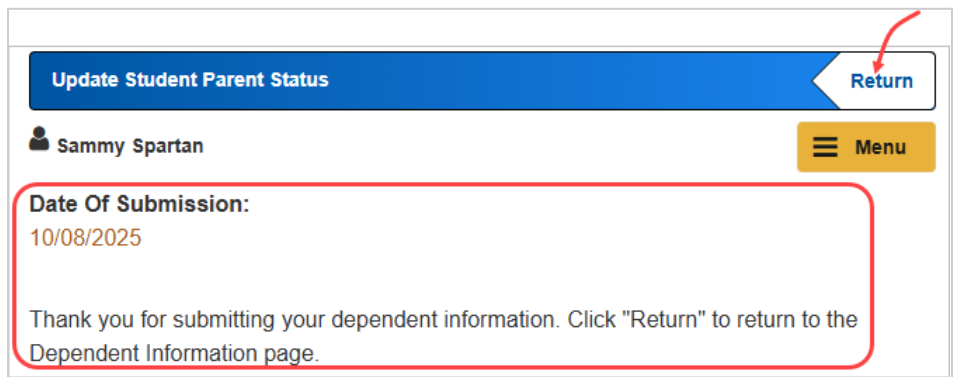
c ☒ Select

Student Certification: By selecting the check box and clicking the **Submit** button, I understand that it is illegal to report false or misleading information. I have read the information printed and certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the information provided is true and correct.

d [Submit](#)

3. If you see the verification page with the **Date of Submission** displayed, you have successfully completed the process.

Click **Return** to go back to the Dependents page.



This screenshot shows the 'Update Student Parent Status' page for a user named Sammy Spartan. A red box highlights the 'Date Of Submission: 10/08/2025' and a message that says 'Thank you for submitting your dependent information. Click "Return" to return to the Dependent Information page.' A red arrow points to the 'Return' button in the top right corner.

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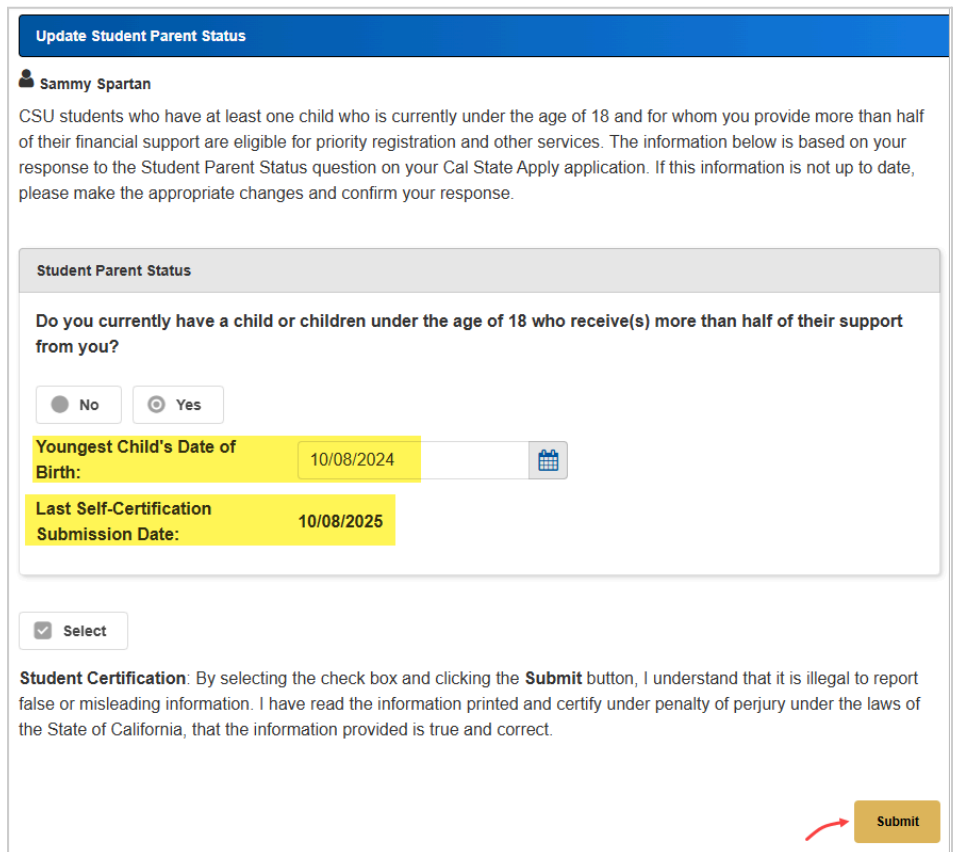
Date Of Submission:
10/08/2025

Thank you for submitting your dependent information. Click "Return" to return to the Dependent Information page.

Return

4. You will see your youngest child's date of birth that you have certified along with the last self-certification submission date.

At any time, you can update the information as needed and resubmit.



This screenshot shows the 'Update Student Parent Status' page for a user named Sammy Spartan. The 'Student Parent Status' section contains a question: 'Do you currently have a child or children under the age of 18 who receive(s) more than half of their support from you?' with radio buttons for 'No' and 'Yes'. Below this, there are two yellow boxes: 'Youngest Child's Date of Birth: 10/08/2024' and 'Last Self-Certification Submission Date: 10/08/2025'. At the bottom, there is a 'Select' checkbox and a 'Student Certification' statement. A red arrow points to the 'Submit' button in the bottom right corner.

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☒ Select

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Submit