

RESPONDENT PACKET **FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE WITH** **DEPENDENT OR MINOR CHILD(REN)**

(Replacements of these forms may be found at www.flcourts.gov under “Self-Help Information” and then “Family Law Forms”)

Please read the instructions for each form prior to completing the forms. If you require assistance and a review of the completed forms, you may schedule an appointment with the nearest Self-Help case manager on the 16th Circuit’s website at www.keyscourts.net

FILING FEE:

There may be a filing fee based on the type of “Answer” that you file.

- There is no filing fee for the filing of an Answer or an Answer & Waiver.
- There is a filing fee of \$295.00 for the filing of an Answer & Counterpetition.

Since there are minor children involved in your case, it is ***MANDATORY that both parents complete a 4-hour parenting course approved by Florida DCF and file your certificate of completion with the Clerk of Court. A list of on-line or in person courses is available at <https://www.myflfamilies.com/services/child-family/child-and-family-well-being/parent-education-and-family-stabilization>

As a pro se party, you may register with the Florida Courts E-filing Portal to file and receive pleadings electronically. The link to register is <https://www.myflcourtaccess.com/default.aspx> Under “Do not have an account-Register Now!”, select Role: “self-represented litigant” and click “Register”.

****All “Required” paperwork in this packet must be filled out.****