

**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose  
(To Be Signed at the Institution)**

The student must appear in person at \_\_\_\_\_ to  
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

verify his or her identity by presenting an unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID), such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport. The institution will maintain a copy of the student's photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received and reviewed, and the name of the official at the institution authorized to receive and review the student's ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose  
(To Be Signed in the Presence of a Notary)**

If the student is unable to appear in person at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

to verify his or her identity, the student must provide to the institution:

- (a) A copy of the unexpired valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, or that is presented to a notary, such as, but not limited to, a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- (b) The original Statement of Educational Purpose provided below, which must be notarized. If the notary statement appears on a separate page than the Statement of Educational Purpose, there must be a clear indication that the Statement of Educational Purpose was the document notarized.

**Statement of Educational Purpose**

I certify that I \_\_\_\_\_ am the individual signing  
(Print Student's Name)

this Statement of Educational Purpose and that the Federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending \_\_\_\_\_ for 2022–2023.  
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's Signature) (Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's ID Number)

**\*If the form is not completed in person at the Financial Aid office and will be notarized, form must be uploaded with valid government-issued ID to the student's Financial Aid portal. Or mailed to: Office of Financial Aid, 5050 Ave Maria Blvd., Ave Maria FL. 34142.**

*Notary's certification may vary by State*

State of \_\_\_\_\_

City/County of \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_,

(Date)

(Notary's name)

personally appeared, \_\_\_\_\_, and proved to me (Printed name of signer)

because of satisfactory evidence of identification \_\_\_\_\_

(Type of unexpired government-issued photo  
ID provided)

to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

**WITNESS my hand and official seal**

(seal)

\_\_\_\_\_

(Notary signature)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_

(Date)

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**Certification and Signature  
(Dependent Student)**

**Certification and Signature**

Each person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct.

<b>WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.</b>
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\_\_\_\_\_

Print Student's Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Student's ID Number

\_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature (Required)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature (Required)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

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## Certifications and Signatures (Independent Student)

### Certifications and Signatures

Each person signing below certifies that all of the information reported is complete and correct. The student and one parent whose information was reported on the FAFSA must sign and date.

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\_\_\_\_\_

Print Student's Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Student's ID Number

\_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature (Required)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Signature (Optional)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

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