

2023-2024 Verification (V4) Worksheet

Independent Student

Your 2023-2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law says that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. To verify that you provided correct information, Student Financial Services at your school will compare your FAFSA with the information on this worksheet and with any other required documents. If there are differences, your FAFSA information may need to be corrected. You must complete and sign this worksheet, attach any required documents, and submit the form and other required documents to Student Financial Services at your school. Your school may ask for additional information. If you have questions about verification, contact Student Financial Services as soon as possible so that your financial aid will not be delayed.

A. INDEPENDENT STUDENT'S INFORMATION

//For Office Use Only// Academic Division:

Verified ☐

Student's Last Name

Student's First Name

Student's M.I.

Student's Social Security Number

Student's Street Address (include apt. no.)

Student's Date of Birth

City

State

Zip Code

Student's E-mail Address

Student's Home Phone Number

Student's Alternate or Cell Phone

Student ID Number

B. IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE (Section To Be Signed At The Institution)

The student must appear in person at _____ to verify
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

his or her identity by presenting a 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 with the date it was received and the name of the official at the institution authorized to collect the student's ID.

In addition, the student must sign, in the presence of the institutional official, the following:

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this Statement of
(Print Student's Name)

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 2023-2024.

(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

Student's Signature

Student ID

Date

Student's Name: _____ SSN or Student ID: _____

C. IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE (Section To Be Signed With Notary)

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

verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

- (a) A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as but not limited to a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport;
and
- (b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I, _____, am the individual signing this Statement of
(Print Student's Name)

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 2023-2024.
(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

Student's Signature

Student ID

Date

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of _____

City/County of _____

on _____, before me, _____,
(Date) (Notary's name)

personally appeared, _____, and provided to me
(Printed name of signer)

on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____
(Type of 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)

Student's Name: _____ SSN or Student ID: _____

D. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE(S)

I certify that all the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct.

The student must sign and date the worksheet.

If married, spouse's signature is optional.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

Student's Signature

Date

Spouse's Signature (optional)

Date

***Do not mail this worksheet to the U.S. Department of Education.
Submit this worksheet to Student Financial Services at your school.***

You should make a copy of this worksheet for your records.