



UH Hilo Financial Aid Office
2021-2022 Verification of Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

_____ UH ID Number/Username

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Last Name

First Name

M. I.

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Phone Number (include area code)

Your application for federal financial aid was selected for review in a process called 'Verification'. In this process, we will be comparing information from your FAFSA application with this document. The law says we must ask you for this information before awarding financial aid. If there are differences between your application information and verification documents submitted, corrections will be made to your application and your information will be reprocessed.

You must complete and sign this worksheet. We cannot continue processing your financial aid application until verification has been completed.

Complete verification as soon as possible to avoid any delays with your financial aid. Contact the Financial Aid Office at (808) 932-7449 if you need assistance.

**VERIFICATION OF IDENTITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE –
 Complete Section A OR B.**

- A.** I, the student, am **able to appear in person** at the University of Hawaii at Hilo Financial Aid Office to verify my 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. A copy of my identification will be retained by the Financial Aid Office.

Please sign the following Statement of Educational Purpose in the presence of a Financial Aid Official:

I certify that I, _____ am the individual signing 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 the University of Hawaii at Hilo for 2021-2022.

(Print Student's Name)

(Student's Signature)

(Date)

(Student's ID)





B. I, the student am **NOT able to appear in person** at the University of Hawaii at Hilo Financial Aid Office to verify my identity. I have provided BOTH of the following:

- (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.
- (b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

I certify that I, _____ am the individual signing 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 the University of Hawaii at Hilo for 2021-2022.

(Print Student's Name)

(Student's Signature)

(Date)

(Student's ID)

NOTARY'S CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of: _____

City/County of: _____

On _____ (Date), before me, _____ (Print Notary's Name),

personally appeared, _____ (Print Student/Signer's Name), and provided me 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.

(Notary Signature)

**WITNESS my hand
and official seal**

(Seal)

My commission expires on: _____ (Date)