



**Please turn in ALL Verification Documents AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. Financial Aid will NOT PAY OUT until verification is COMPLETE.

2026 FA V IDENTITY AND EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE FOVI_E

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M.I. _____ Student Number _____

IDENTITY AND EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE

(To Be Signed at the Institution)

The student must appear in person at the University of Northern Iowa - Office of Student Financial Aid & Scholarships to 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 the University of Northern Iowa – Office of Student Financial Aid & Scholarships 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 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 Northern Iowa for 2025-2026.

(Student's Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (Student's ID Number) _____

For Office Use Only:

Signature of official at UNI authorized to collect student's ID _____ Date _____



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Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

Notary's certification may vary by State

State of _____

City/County of _____

On _____, before me, _____, personally appeared,

(Date) (Notary's name)

_____, and proved to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification

(Printed name of signer)

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

(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

WITNESS my hand and official seal

(seal)

_____ (Notary signature)

My commission expires on _____

(Date)

Certification and Signature

(Independent Student)

Certification and Signature

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

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Print Student's Name

Student's ID Number

Student's Signature (Required)

Date

Spouse's Signature (Optional)

Date

(Dependent 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.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information, you may be fined, sent to prison, or both.

Print Student's Name

Student's ID Number

Student's Signature

Date

Parent's Signature

Date

As a reminder, students and parents should never send personally identifiable information, such as Social Security Numbers, via email. (Signatures MUST BE Handwritten)