You must appear in person at Central Oregon Community College to verify your 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 this photo ID that is annotated by the institution with the date it was received, reviewed and the name of the official at the institution authorized to receive and review the ID.

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

If you are unable to appear in person at COCC to verify identity, you must provide to the institution:

- 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**
- This 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.

**Note:** This form cannot be faxed or emailed. Students must submit the original of this form.

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**Statement of Educational Purpose.**

Please read and sign only in the presence of authorized Financial Aid Official.

I certify that ____________________________ 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 Central Oregon Community College for 2020-21.

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**Notary Certificate of Acknowledgement** *(not required if signed in person)*

State of ____________________________

City/County of ____________________________

On ___________ , before me, ____________________________ personally appeared, ________

Date ____________________________  Notary’s name

Printed name of signer ____________________________

Type of unexpired government-issued photo ID ____________________________

**WITNESS my hand and official seal**

My commission expires on ___________  Date ____________________________

Notary signature ____________________________

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Financial Aid Office or authorized personnel use only. Government photo ID **required** if received in person.

I have seen and attached a photocopy of the original identification presented.

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Signature of person accepting ID: ____________________________

To be completed by file reviewer.

Verified by: ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

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