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 the 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 and copy of ID.

**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 2022-23.

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

State of ____________________________________________________________

City/County of ________________________________________________________

On __________________________, before me, _______________________________ personally appeared,

______________________________, and proved to me on because of satisfactory evidence of identification to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

Printed name of signer

Type of unexpired government-issued photo ID

WITNESS my hand and official seal

My commission expires on __________________________ Date

Notary signature

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

| Type of ID: __________________ State: ______ Expiring: __________________ |
| Signature of person accepting ID: __________________

To be completed by file reviewer.

Verified by: __________________

Date: __________________

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