

**Office of Financial Aid
2026-2027
Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose**

- **The student must appear in person at Frostburg State University**, Office of Student Financial Aid to verify his or her identity by presenting a valid government-issued Photo identification (ID). Examples of accepted forms of ID are listed in section B below. The institution will mark the type of ID presented and maintain a copy of the student’s photo ID that is marked 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 statement in section C.
- **If the student cannot appear in person**, the student must send us a readable photocopy of the acceptable Photo ID presented/witnessed by the listed notary and the student must sign section C in the presence of that notary. The original “wet” documents must be received in the FSU Financial Aid Office to meet federal verification requirements.

A. Student Information (Please Print)

Student Name: _____ **Birth Date** _____

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

_____ **FSU ID:** _____

B. Verification of Government Issued ID (to be marked by Frostburg State employee or Notary and a copy attached)

____ Driver’s License ____ Non-Driving State ID ____ Passport

C. Statement of Educational Purpose and Student Signature

Complete this section **only in the presence** of a Frostburg State University, Office of Financial Aid Employee OR a Notary Public.

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing
(Print Student’s Name)
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 **Frostburg State University** for 2026–2027.

OFFICE USE ONLY

_____ (Student Signature) _____ (Date) _____ (FSU ID)

**Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement
(if applicable)**

State of _____ City/County of _____

On _____, before me, _____, personally appeared,
(Date) (Notary's name)

_____ and provided to me based on satisfactory evidence of identification.
(Printed name of signer/student)

_____ to be the above-named person who signed the
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)

foregoing instrument.

_____ My commission expires on _____
(Notary signature) (Date)

WITNESS my hand and official seal
(seal)

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