



**Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose  
(To Be Signed with Notary)**

If the student is unable to appear in person at West Virginia State University to verify his or her identity, the student 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
- 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  
(Print Student's Name)  
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 West Virginia State University for 2022-2023.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's Signature) (Date) (Student's ID Number)

**Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement**

State of \_\_\_\_\_ City/County of \_\_\_\_\_, On  
\_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_, personally appeared,  
(Date) (Notary's name)  
\_\_\_\_\_, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of  
(Printed name of signer)

\_\_\_\_\_ to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.  
(Type of identification provided)

**WITNESS my hand and official seal**  
(seal) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary signature)

My commission expires on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Date)