2013–2014 Statement of Educational Purpose Verification

Your 2013–2014 FAFSA was selected to verify your educational purpose.

To verify your educational purpose, you should appear in person at WCC with valid, government-issued photo identification (ID) such as a passport or a driver's license or other state-issued ID and sign a statement of educational purpose (available in the WCC Financial Aid Office) that certifies who you are and that the federal student aid you may receive will only be used for educational purposes and for the cost of attending the school for the 2013–2014 year.

If you are unable to appear at WCC, you must appear in person before a notary with the attached statement of educational purpose and valid, government-issued photo identification (ID) such as a passport or a driver's license or other state-issued ID. You must submit the attached statement signed by the notary (see below), confirming that you appeared before him or her, presented the required ID, and he or she certified your signature.

The original notarized copies of the statement and the ID must be **mailed** to the WCC Financial Aid Office at the following address:

Whatcom Community College
Office of Financial Aid
237 West Kellogg Road
Bellingham, WA

2013–2014 Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose

(To Be Signed With Notary)

If the student is unable to appear in person at Whatcom Community College to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

(a) A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as but not limited to a driver's license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and

(b) The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I _____ am the individual signing this
(Print Student's Name)
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 Whatcom Community College for 2013-2014.

_____ _____
(Student's Signature) (Date)

_____
(Social Security Number)

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of _____
City/County of _____
On_____, before me, _____,
(Date) (Notary's name)
personally appeared, _____, and provided to me
(Printed name of signer)
on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification _____
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)
to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal
(seal) _____
(Notary signature)

My commission expires on _____
(Date)

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