Sul Ross State University
SRSU Title IV Code: 003625
2019 - 2020 Identity Statement of Educational Purpose

Please read instructions before filling out the form

Section A - High School Completion Status
Please indicate which one of the following documents you will submit proving high school completion before the 2019-2020 academic year. If you are unable to obtain the documentation listed, please contact our financial aid office.

- A copy of your high school diploma.
- A copy of your final official high school transcript showing your graduation date.
- A copy of your General Education Development (GED) certificate or GED transcript. (acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree) that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree)
- An academic transcript that indicates you successfully completed a two-year program. (Associate Degree acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor’s degree)
- Secondary completion credential for homeschool students. (other than a high school diploma or its recognized equivalent, if required by state law)
- A transcript, or equivalent, signed by the student’s parent or guardian documenting the secondary school courses and successful completion of a secondary school education in a homeschool setting. (If not required by state law to obtain a secondary school completion credential)

Section B - Identity Statement of Educational Purpose - read instructions carefully
(To be signed at the institution or remotely)

The student must appear in person at the Financial Aid office at Sul Ross State University to verify his or her identity by presenting a 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 student’s photo ID that is annotated 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 of Educational Purpose (page 2 of this document).

- OR -

If the student is unable to appear in person at the Financial Aid office at Sul Ross 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 (page 2 of this document), which must be notarized. The original notarized Statement of Educational Purpose and a copy of your photo ID must be submitted to the financial aid office.

Your 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was selected for review in a process called verification. The law states that before awarding Federal Student Aid, we may ask you to confirm the information you reported on your FAFSA. Our office will confirm high school completion and verify your identity that was reported on the 2019-2020 FAFSA. Your financial aid award will not be available until the verification process is completed.
Statement of Educational Purpose

Note: if you are unable to sign this document at the University, it must be signed in the presence of a notary. Mail, or drop off the original document along with a copy of your photo ID to the financial aid office.

I certify that I ________________________________ 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 purpose, and to pay the cost of attending ________________________________ for 2019-2020.

(Name of Postsecondary Educational Institution)

Certification

I certify that all information is complete and correct. In accordance with federal regulations, I understand that if I purposely give false or misleading information I may be fined, be sentenced to prison, or both.

_____________________________ ________________________________ __________________
Student's Signature Date Student A Number

For Institutional Use Only:

Financial Aid Administrator Signature: ________________________________ collected

☐ photo identification and ☐ witnessed student signature on _________________, 20___

Notary's Certificate of Acknowledgment

State of _____________________, City/County of _______________________

On _________________________, before me, ________________________________________________________________, personally appeared

_____________________________, and provided to me on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification

______________________________ to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

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Type of government-issued photo ID provided

WITNESS my hand and official seal: ______________________________________________  Notary Seal Below This Line

My Commission expires on: ________________________________

Notary Signature: ________________________________

SUBMIT THIS WORKSHEET TO THE APPROPRIATE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE:

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Retain a copy for your records.